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**Meeting of Social Justice Standing Committee of Khowai Zilla Parishad held**

A meeting of Social Justice Standing Committee of Khowai Zilla Parishad was held yesterday at the conference of the Zilla Parishad. The meeting was presided over by President of the Standing Committee Swarupa Dutta. Others present in the meeting were Sabhadhipati of the Zilla Parishad Joydeb Debbarma, Sahakari Sabhadhipati Hari Shankar Pal, Vice-Chairperson of Tripura Women's Commission Ashmita Banik, Members of the Standing Committee Sabitri Deb (Biswas), Shefali Rani Roy, Sunita Das and Member Secretary of the Zilla Parishad Abhiram Debbarma and Panchayat Extension Officer (Zilla Parishad) Nitai Nama.

President of the Standing Committee Swarupa Dutta called on everyone present in the meeting towards proper implementation of different developmental works of the government for welfare of the people and ensure good governance and corruption-free administration. CDPO of Social Welfare & Social Education department, District office, Dinesh Debbarma said, there are total 1042 Pre Primary Schools in Khowai district where 26 thousand 767 children study. There are 1897 pregnant ladies and 2439 lactating mothers in the district. There are 1010 Anganwadi Centres in the district. 812 Pre Primary Schools have clean drinking water connection. 677 Anganwadi Centres have lavatories and 790 Anganwadi Centres have kitchens. Apart from that, mid day meals are available in 1042 Pre Primary Schools in the district. Services under POSHAN Abhiyan in the previous financial year have been provided to total 49 children in different ICDS Project areas to alleviate malnutrition problems. Cooking gas connections have been provided to 441 Pre Primary Schools in the present financial year. Vice Chairperson of Women's Commission Ashmita Banik called on the concerned officials to generate awareness on effects of dowry, human trafficking and drugs through Social Welfare & Social Education department.

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