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TW & Cooperation Ministers at Press Meet

Three national awards for Tripura in DAJA & PM JANMAN

Tripura has bagged three national awards for exemplary implementation of Dharti Aba Janbhagidari Abhiyan and PM JANMAN in the state. Tripura has been adjudged the best performing state in the implementation of Dharti Aba Janbhagidari Abhiyan and North Tripura District has been declared the best performing district in the implementation of PM JANMAN, the Tribal Welfare Minister Bikash Debbarma and Cooperation Minister Shukla Charan Joatia made these announcements at the secretariat today.

Addressing the media, the Tribal Welfare Minister Bikash Debbarma said, the President Droupadi Murmu handed over these awards to the secretary of tribal welfare department Dr. K. Shashi Kumar and DM of North Tripura Chandni Chandran at the Vigyan Bhavan, New Delhi on October 17. Detailing further on the achievements the minister said, under Dharti Aba Janbhagidari Abhiyan, 4036 camps were organised thereby benefitting 12.7 lakh people. Through these camps, 55,958 AADHAAR cards, 43,424 Caste Certificates, 39,414 PRTC, and 16,602 *pattas* were provided to the beneficiaries. Besides, 27,049 Ayushman Cards have been issued. Under PM Kishan Samman Nidhi 15,841 people, under Pradhan Manti Jandhan Yojana 12,105 people and Pradhan Mantri Jeevan Jyoti Bima Yojana 24,963 people have been covered. Additionally Kishan Credit Cards have been given to 17,073 beneficiaries and 6,493 people have been covered under Van Dhan Yojana. In addition, domestic gas connections have been given to 8,863 persons under PM Ujjala Yojana and ration cards have been issued to 15,321 persons.

At the press conference the Cooperation Minister Shukla Charan Noatia informed, developmental works are being taken up under PM JANMAN for the socio-economic development of the Reang community. Under this scheme 65,840 families have been covered to give them access to various scheme benefits. For this purpose during the 2024-25 financial year, Rs. 523.27 crore was sanctioned from 11 different departments. Out of this amount, Rs. 322.06 lakh has already been spent. Under this scheme till date construction of 15,548 pucca house has been completed; 141 Anganwadi Centres have been commissioned; drinking water connections have been given to 38,014 families; 11,692 households have been electrified; 10 mobile networks have been established; 18 multi-purpose centres and 30 Van Dhan Centres have been set up. In addition, about 205 km road construction work is going on.

The Tribal Welfare Minister Bikash Debbarma further said, the present government is working to deliver the benefits of developmental programmes to the last person in the society. It is being ensured that no eligible person, irrespective of his political affiliation, is deprived of the government benefits. Secretary of the tribal welfare department Dr. K. Shashi Kumar and director Subhashis Das were also present in the press meet.
