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## Meeting of West Tripura Zilla Parishad Standing Committee on Social Justice

A meeting of the Standing Committee on Social Justice of the West Tripura Zilla Parishad was held on 15<sup>th</sup> December, 2023 in the Conference Hall of the Zilla Parishad. In-charge Sabhadhipati of the Zilla Parishad Haridulal Acharya presided over the meeting. The meeting was attended by other members of the standing committee and officials of the concerned departments. In the meeting, the officials of Social Welfare and Social Education Department informed that 82 thousand 95 people of the district are being given allowances in various social allowance schemes. Moreover, 7,596 people of the district will be given an allowance of Rs. 2,000 per month under Chief Minister's Social Assistance Scheme. 3,439 pregnant women have been given medical assistance of Rs. 500 and nutrition kits of Rs. 2,000 in 4 instalments till November in the district under the Mukhyamantri Matri Pushti Upahar Yojana. In the meeting, the District Welfare Officer informed that in the current financial year, 134 small businessmen have been given financial assistance under the self-employment scheme. Besides, 159 people are being given sewing machines. In the meeting, the representative of Tripura Women Commission discussed issues related to women's safety.

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