

**Tribal Welfare Minister Ram Pada Jamatia graced the
inaugural programme of 50 Seated ST Girls Hostel Building**

Tribal Welfare Minister, Ram Pada Jamatia graced the Inaugural programme of 50 Seated ST Girls Hostel Building attached to Kathalcherra TMC Higher Secondary School on 19th September, 2022 at Nepaltilla under Longtharai valley Sub-division. The programme was attended by MLA, Diba Chandra Hrangkhawl, MDC Sanjoy Das, SDM of Longtharai valley Amartya Barman, Joint Director of Tribal Welfare Department Ringku Reang, DEO of Dhalai District Mihir Debnath, Manu BDO Dr. Animesh Debbarma, Executive Engineer of PWD (R&B) Manu Division Pijush Debbarma and others.

While addressing his inaugural speech, the TW Minister, assured to initiate an action plan for maintenance of Kathalcherra TMC H.S school ground in the capacity to convert into a better football ground within this area. Moreover, the inaugurator reviewed and stated that the concerned guardians of this 50 ST hostel students enlisted or enroll here, will timely received a financial assistance of Rs. 1950/- per month, 400 gm ration each per day along with other basic needs for their education. The source also mentioned here that free Coaching, co-curricular activities will also be part of their education and livelihood in this atmosphere.

Further speaking, the minister, Sri Jamatia also cited that, the government main objectives is to provide necessary source of prepared places and atmosphere for learning opportunities to the needful and less privileged inhabitants of the rural and remote habitations. Keeping in mind of that, the Minister simply cited that, the government has recently established more than 18 residential and Ashram schools in the state, so as to emphasize and encourage the families of rural and remote habitation in order to sensitized and provide proper opportunities and facilities, through various means and sources. Hence, the minister appeal and urged all those present here, reminding them, it is the responsibilities and service of every teachers and guardians as well as stakeholders and other optimistic people of the society to extend their full co-operation and under their immense guidance should motivate for developing educational system in all manners. The programme was presided over by MLA cum BAC Chairman of Manu RD Block, Diba Chandra Hrangkhawl.

Besides, the construction work of the said residential school building was in taken up Longtharai valley Sub-division PWD (R&B), Manu, Dhalai District under CSS 2013 14 fiscal year and total Project Cost was Rs. 2.93/-crores sanctioned and incurred expenditure is Rs. 2.13/- crores for this. This new building got completed during June, 2018 and total build up area is 865.00 Sq m. And the existing infrastructure of this new hostel building consists of 1 no' Warden Quarter, Kitchen cum Dinning with Pantry and Store Set, Security guard room, Visitors room, Reading room, Common room, 10+ 3 Bed Room, Stair case:1+1, Toilet Blocks, Bathroom: 4+2 nos, Sick room or dispensary, of both ground and first floor inclusively here.

The programme was organized by Tribal Welfare Department, Government of Tripura in association with other line departments, whereby it is observed that, huge gathering of students, guardians, local citizens, officials and people from different villages assembled here to uphold and graced the programme.