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Prepaid auto rickshaw & taxi service launched at MBB Airport

Prepaid auto rickshaw and taxi service had been launched at MBB Airport yesterday. As per primary prepaid chart, prepaid service is available for travelling to Agartala city and to 73 different suburban areas. Transport Minister Pranajit Singha Roy inaugurated this service at the premises of Airport. Mayor of AMC Dipak Majumder and Director of Airport Authority of India KC Mina were present in the inaugural programme.

Transport Minister expressed that the passenger- drivers interaction may play an important role in upholding the tradition of the state to those who come from outside of the State. This will in give a primary picture of the people and government of the State. Minister also said that, development of tourism industry of the state is not possible without ideal communication system. State government is working from the very beginning to provide all kinds of facilities and convenience to the tourists for visiting different sites of natural beauty, religious and historical significance in the state.

The transport minister said, a management committee for pre-paid service has been formed with the representatives of Transport, Police, Tourism, district administration and airport. If any problem arises, they would take immediate decision. Total 235 auto rickshaws have been registered for providing pre-paid service. Mayor of AMC Dipak Majumder expressed that public transport system has been improved a lot compared to earlier days. Difference services of the transport department are being provided online. As a result, corruption has been reduced which is saving time and money. Moreover, MLA Dilip Das also spoke on the occasion. Special secretary of Transport department Sandip R Rathode delivered welcome address.
