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**Commencement of Sampoonata Abhiyan in Damchara Block**

Recognised as the Aspirational Block of North Tripura district, Damchara marked the launch of Sampoonata Abhiyan on 5<sup>th</sup> July. The program was inaugurated by MLA Binoy Bhushan Das in a function held at the Damchara block office premises. The initiative, which began on July 4, aims to drive the overall development of the Aspirational Blocks by focusing on advanced infrastructure. Exhibition stalls from various departments were set up at the event to showcase the efforts and progress being made. The campaign's objective is to achieve 100 percent success in six key indicators related to infrastructural and socio-economic development. This drive will continue until September 30. The event saw the presence of several notable officials, including the Director of NITI Aayog, Dr. Amrit Pal Kaur, North Tripura District Magistrate and collector Debapriyo Bardhan, Additional District Magistrate Subhash Chandra Saha, NITI Aayog official Siddharth Bagaria, and Damchara BAC chairman Upendra Reang. The welcome speech was delivered by Anupam Chakma, BDO of Damchara Block. Dr. Amrit Pal Kaur emphasized the significance of the program, noting that the country has 500 Aspirational Blocks, with Dasda and Damchara Blocks among them in North Tripura. The program prioritizes six indicators for the development of infrastructure and socio-economic standards in these blocks, marking a significant step towards their comprehensive development.

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