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Agriculture Minister inaugurated fertilizer and seed godown in Belonia
Governmental facilities are being delivered to the farmers: Agriculture Minister

Agriculture and Farmers Welfare Minister Pranajit Singha Roy inaugurated fertilizer and seed godown in Belonia under South Tripura district yesterday. After inaugurating, the Minister said, governmental facilities are being delivered to the farmers. As a result, farmer's production cost has decreased to an extent. The farmers of this region from now onwards will not have to depend on Gomati district for fertilizers because of the newly inaugurated fertilizer and seed godown. Besides that, the government has an eye upon that the paddy grown by the farmers don't get spoiled. The farmers will be able to keep their paddy inside the seed godown. The Minister said, the amount of agricultural produce has risen than before after enrolling the farmers under PMKISAN and Pradhan Mantri FasalBima Yojana.

Agriculture Minister further said, the farmers are benefitting from paddy being procured from them at Minimum Support Price. The present government has prioritized the agriculture sector. He hoped that this godown will play a significant role in farmers overall development. The fertilizer godown has the capacity of 3 thousand MT. It was built spending 2 crore 81 lakh rupees. The paddy godown has the capacity of 1 thousand MT. It was built spending 1 crore 25 lakh rupees. The seed godown has the capacity of 200 MT. It was built spending 19 lakh 88 thousand rupees and 7 lakh 57 thousand rupees was spent in seed processing scheme.

Others present in the inaugural programme were Sabhadhipati of South Tripura Zila Parishad Kakali Das Dutta, Sahakari Sabhadhipati Bibhishan Chandra Das, Chairperson of Belonia Municipal Council Nikhil Chandra Gope, and Director of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare department Saradindu Das.
