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# Cabinet approves recruitment of 80 Assistant Technology Managers in agriculture department

The state cabinet has approved a proposal for recruiting 80 Assistant Technology Managers in the agriculture and farmers welfare department. The education minister Ratan Lal Nath has informed this in a press meet at the state secretariat on July 7, 2020. He informed that candidates would be recruited on contract basis under the National Mission for Agriculture Extension Technology Scheme of the Union government. Salary of each employee would be Rs 25,000. Rs 1.74 crore will be spent for this purpose. Out of this, Rs 1 crore 54 lakh 70 thousand would be Union share and Rs 19 lakh 30 thousand would be state share. Educational qualification required for the post is B.Sc degree in agri allied sector.

On the other hand, it was decided to build an ADC Bhavan at Agartala at the cost of Rs 10 crore. The education minister also informed that the proposed ADC Bhavan will be constructed at the place of Old Council Bhavan behind Agartala Town Hall. He informed that the state government had decided to construct this Bhavan to solve issues related to food, lodging etc. for the people who come from ADC areas to Agartala.

## 16,268 students benefited under Mid-day meal scheme in Sabroom

Fund due under Mid-day-meal has been deposited into the personal accounts of the students in Sabroom subdivision due to covid-19 situation during the period of Lock down and Unlock. A total of 16,268 students have benefited with this initiative. In total 2010 students of the schools under TTADC area of Sabroom and 7467 students of the primary schools under Sabroom inspectorate of schools in non-ADC area and 6791 students of Upper primary schools have benefited.

The Sabroom inspector of schools Sanjit Kumar Malakar has also informed that the fund for 25 days of the month of June and 26 days of the month of July will be deposited into the accounts of the students in third phase.

#### Housing facility for 10 fish farmer families of Damchhara block

Houses have been constructed by the fishery department for 10 fish farmer families of Damchhara block under a housing scheme allotted for the last financial year. Expenditure for each house is estimated to be Rs 1.30 lakh. These houses will be provided to 4 families of Manachhara, 1 family of Uttamjoy para, 3

families of Piplachhara and 2 families of Rahumchhara of the block. The subdivision office of the fishery department has informed this.

## Over Rs 4 crore collected under small savings in Gomati

An amount of Rs 4 crore 43 lakh 23 thousand 10 has been collected under small savings scheme in Gomati district till May of the current financial year. Small savings development officer of Gomati district has informed that Rs 4 crore 5 lakh 28 thousand has been collected in Udaipur subdivision, Rs 32 lakh 38 thousand 593 in Amarpur subdivision and Rs 5 lakh 56 thousand 417 in Karbook subdivision has been collected during this period.

It is noteworthy that target has been set to collect Rs 28 crore under the small savings scheme in the district during the current financial year.

# 7053 persons of Kadamtala block receiving pension

7053 Persons of Kadamtala block are receiving different pensions under different pension schemes of the Union and state governments. Accordingly, 284 persons under 3 pension schemes of the Union government and 4869 persons

under 28 pension schemes of the state government are receiving different pensions. North district office of the social welfare and social education department has informed this.

#### Special initiative taken for expansion of fish cultivation in Damchhara

An action plan has been taken for expansion of fish cultivation through scientific method in Damchhara block. Assistance will be provided to ADC villages of Damchhara block under the scheme. Mixed fish cultivation will be taken up in 1 hectare water land under the scheme. Seasonal fish will be cultivated in 2 hectare water land. A small pond of 4 hectare water land has been covered under fish cultivation.

Similarly, prawn will be cultivated in one hectare water land. Fish will be cultivated in one hectare water land under integrated fish culture scheme. Total 10 families will be benefited. Moreover, scientific training on fish cultivation will be provided to the fish cultivators. One day training will be provided to 100 fish farmers. Moreover, three-day long training will be provided to 150 fish farmers. Damchhara office of the fishery department has informed this.