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CM attends oath-taking ceremony of KAAC EMs as Guest of Honour

Dispur, June 20: Chief Minister Dr Himanta Biswa Sarma attended the oath-taking event of the newly elected members of the Karbi Anglong Autonomous Council at Diphu today.

Speaking to media persons present at the event, the Chief Minister expressed happiness over the presence of the Governor of the state, Professor Jagdish Mukhi as the Chief Guest. "I am certain the presence of the honourable Governor (for the oathtaking ceremony) would act as a moral boost for the people's representatives who today officially pledged to serve the public through the provisions of the Constitution of India," Dr. Sarma said.

"Witnessing the enthusiasm and zeal to serve the public among the 26 elected members today, I am certain we shall be able to deliver the promises that were made to the people during the run-up to the Karbi Anglong Autonomous Council elections," the Chief Minister added.

Addressing queries by media persons on the recent flood deluge in the state, Dr. Sarma expressed confidence the state machinery, including the administrations, would be successful in mitigating the woes of the affected population through a co-ordinated approach. The Chief Minister also stated that central government's institutions such as the Army, Air Force and National Disaster Response Force, among others, have also extended all possible support in their capacity to deal with the flood scenario.

Today's ceremony, held at Taralangso under Diphu municipal area, with Governor Professor Jagdish Mukhi as the Chief Guest, also witnessed the presence of minister of the Assam Cabinet Jogen Mohan, Member of Parliament Haren Sing Bey as well as a number of legislators of the Assam Legislative Assembly.

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