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**Sonowal condoles Pranab Gogoi's death**

Dispur, February 4: Chief Minister SarbanandaSonowal mourned the death of veteran political leader, former Speaker of Assam Legislative Assembly and former Law Minister Pranab Gogoi.

In a statement today, Chief Minister Sonowal while expressing his deep condolences over the death of the octogenarian leader, said a value-based political leader throughout his life, the contributions of late Gogoi in different spectrum of life is evident in the state. An honest, matured and upright political leader, late Gogoi always spoke and lived for the rightful interests of the ethnic people of the state. Moreover, as the Speaker of Assam Legislative Assembly, late Gogoi always upheld the democratic traditions of the Assembly.

An ethical and value-based public representative, his contributions with respect to the state more particularly with Sivasagar have always been a glittering chapter in his long political life. While praying to the Almighty for eternal peace of the departed soul, Sonowal also extended his condolences to the bereaved family members. Meanwhile, the Chief Minister asked Chief Secretary to perform his last rites with full state honour.

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