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## Chief Minister Sarma condemns grenade blast in Digboi

## Asks DGP to take stern action to deal with incident

Dispur, May 14: Chief Minister Dr. Himanta Biswa Sarma expressed concern and condemned the grenade explosion at Tingrai Market in Digboi today. He also asked Director General of Assam Police Bhaskar Jyoti Mahanta to nab the miscreants and deal with the situation sternly.

In a statement here today, Chief Minister Samra said, "This act of violence is a sign of desperation and cowardice. State government will never tolerate such kind of highhandedness leading to the loss of precious human lives". Sarma asked the DGP to direct Range DIG to rush to the site, inquire in to the incident and nab the miscreants involved in the incident.

Meanwhile, Chief Minister Dr. Sarma condoled the death of the persons succumbed to their injuries perpetrated by grenade blast and wished speedy recovery of those who sustained splinter injuries.

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