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Sonowal stresses on weeding out difficulties of tax payers in post GST regime

Dispur, December 10: Chief Minister Sarbananda Sonowal has asked Commissionerate of Taxes to strengthen its 'team' to unearth the problems faced by the businessmen at the grass root level and bring about adequate awareness about the single window tax system in the post GST regime to help creation of more disciplined tax payers in the state.

Chairing a meeting to assess the GST roll out and its contribution to the State economy, Chief Minister Sonowal said that the Commmissionerate of Taxes with its dedicated men should intensify its reach and access to educate people more on the relatively new tax regime to weed out any encumbrances faced by the tax payers. He also exhorted on the need of strengthening the monitoring system of the Commissionerate on the tax payment. He also asked the Commissionerate to recognise the sincere and dedicated tax payers and acknowledge their timely tax payment with commendation letters.

Chief Minister Sonowal also stressed on the need of intensifying the vigilantism on the part of tax Commissionerate so that it can plug the holes against tax evasion.

Chief Secretary Alok Kumar, Additional Chief Secretaries Home and Political Kumar Sanjay Krishna, Additional Chief Secretary Tax Rajib Bora, Principal Secretary to the Chief Minister Sanjay Lohiya, Principal Secretary Finance Sameer Singha, Commissioner of Taxes Anurag Goel, officers from CGST and others senior officers of the government were present at the meeting.

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