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CM chairs Governing Body meeting of Assam Board of Sports

Engage experienced consultants, develop revenue model: CM

Dispur, June 9: Chief Minister Sarbananda Sonowal directed the functionaries of Assam Board of Sports to take urgent steps for upgradation of infrastructure incorporating modern amenities at Nehru Stadium and other sports infrastructure managed by the Board in the State. Chief Minister Sonowal directed this while chairing the Governing Body meeting of Assam Board of Sports at Assam Administrative Staff College in Guwahati today.

Reviewing various activities and programmes of the Board of Sports, Chief Minister Sonowal asked the functionaries to engage experienced consultants to develop a revenue model for making the sports complexes of the Board sustainable. He further instructed to take the help of print, electronic and social media for extensive publicity of the facilities available at the sports complexes managed by the Board so that young sportspersons could take maximum benefit out of them. He also asked to prepare a plan for proper utilization of the land available under the Board at different parts of the State.

Earlier in the meeting, Secretary of the Board of Sports apprised the Chief Minister about various infrastructure and facilities available at the sports complexes under the Board.

Minister of State (i/c) for P&RD Naba Kumar Doley who is also the Vice Chairman of Assam Board of Sports, MLAs cum members of the Board viz. Bhaskar Sarma, Dipak Rabha and Kishor Nath, MLA Bimal Bora, Member Secretary of Advisory Committee for SLAC Lakhya Konwar, Director General of Sports Authority of Assam Onkarmal Kedia, Principal Secretary to CM Sanjay Lohiya, Commissioner & Secretary of Sports & Youth Welfare Dr. M Angamuthu, Director of Sports cum Secretary of the Board Dharmakanta Mili and other members of the Board were present in the meeting.

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