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Assam CABINET

KEY DECISIONS

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Scooters for meritorious students

- ➔ Scooter to be provided to **girl students who secured 60% and above** in recently concluded Higher Secondary exams. For **boy students, the cut-off will be 75% and above**

Extension of Orunodoi benefits

- ➔ **7 lakh** additional beneficiaries to be covered under Orunodoi scheme, who will be provided **₹1,250** per month from 10 September 2023

National Games in Assam

- ➔ Approval to a request to the Indian Olympic Association to allow Assam to host National Games in either the year **2025 or 2027**

Bicycles for Class IX students

- ➔ **₹167 Crore** approved for distribution of **3.78 lakh** bicycles amongst the students of Class 9 studying in Govt and Provincialised schools



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Equitable representation of backward communities

- ➔ Increase in reservation of seats for Other Backward Classes (OBCs)/More Other Backward Classes (MOBCs) in professional courses under Assam Agricultural University **from 15% to 27%**
- ➔ Reservation of seats for OBC/MOBC communities has been done community wise, namely – Tea Tribe, Moran, Matak, Tai-Ahom, Chutia, and Koch Rajbongshi in view of the increase in reservation for OBCs/MOBCs **in professional courses under AAU** from academic session 2023-24

Reservation

- Tea Garden Labour Community- **8**
- Moran- **3**
- Matak- **3**
- Koch Rajbongshi- **6**
- Tai Ahom- **4**
- Chutia- **4**



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Reservation of seats

➔ Reservation of seats for allocation to **6 communities**, namely - Tai Ahom, Chutia, Moran, Matak, Koch Rajbongshi and Tea Tribes, within 27% OBC/MOBC reservation, in BSc/GNM/ANM training courses in **24 Govt GNM training schools, 18 ANM training schools and 3 BSc Nursing schools**

➔ **Allocated number of seats:**

Community	In BSc Nursing schools	In ANM training schools	In GNM training schools
Tea Tribes	2	6	20
Koch Rajbongshi	1	4	14
Tai Ahom	1	3	11
Chutia	1	3	11
Moran	1	2	10
Matak	1	2	10



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Smoothing MSME Setup

- Approval to the Assam Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (Facilitation of Establishment & Operation) Rules, 2023
- The proposed Rules will **exempt MSMEs from certain approvals and inspections**, required for establishment and operation in the State for **3 years**
- Instead, an MSME in Assam can now start operation upon receipt of an **'Acknowledgement Certificate'** from the State nodal agency by submitting the 'Declaration of Intent'

Expanding food security net

- Approval to the draft of amended **Assam Food Security Rules, 2022** under the National Food Security Act, 2013
- The proposed amendment provides for enhancement of income criteria from the existing **₹2.5 lakh to ₹4 lakh** to enable more deserving families to apply for new ration cards under NFSA.



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Streamlining management of SMCs

- ➔ Approval for substitute School Management Committee (SMC) members as per RTE Act, 2009 of The Right to Children for Free and Compulsory Education Rule, 2011, as amended in 2017
- ➔ Accordingly, following members will be inducted into the SMCs:
 - **One elected member** from Panchayati Raj Institutions and Village Council Development Committees in case of 6th Scheduled areas and Urban local from the area where the school is located
 - **One member from among the teachers** of the school
 - **Two members are to be nominated** by the Alumni Association of the school



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