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## KEY DECISIONS

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### Termination Age of ASHA, ASHA Supervisors Fixed

- Termination age and **one-time gratitude benefit** for Accredited Social Health Activists (ASHA) and ASHA Supervisors fixed
- The **age of relinquishment** of services of ASHA & ASHA Supervisors to be **60 years**
- ASHA who rendered continuous voluntary service for a minimum of 10 years will be entitled to a **one-time gratitude benefit of ₹2 lakh** on relinquishment of their services on attaining 60 years
- Similarly, ASHA Supervisors will be able to avail a **one-time gratitude benefit of ₹3 lakh** on relinquishment of their services on attaining 60 years
- ASHA and ASHA Supervisors will be eligible for a **one-time gratitude benefit of ₹1 lakh** in case of resignation or relinquishment of voluntary service before attaining 60 years, but after rendering continuous voluntary service for a minimum of 10 years.
- **Next-of-kin** of ASHA and ASHA Supervisors who die in harness will get the benefits as per their eligibility



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### Filip to Regional Air Connectivity

- ➔ Viability Gap Funding (VGF) under Non-UDAN scheme for **Guwahati-Jorhat route** approved
- ➔ FlyBig to be allowed to operate Guwahati-Jorhat route under **VGF provision of Non-UDAN scheme** on similar terms & conditions as well as revenue model of the Guwahati-Dibrugarh and Guwahati-Silchar routes
- ➔ Extension of operation of flights among these sectors approved till 31 March 2024 under VGF provision of Non-UDAN Scheme

### Rechristening Food, Civil Supplies Dept

- ➔ Food, Civil Supplies and Consumer Affairs Department to be renamed as **Food, Public Distribution and Consumer Affairs Department**
- ➔ The department is responsible for implementation of Food Security Rules, control orders related to public distribution systems and formulation of policies related to food security, etc

### Policy For Smooth Land Acquisition

- ➔ Amendment to the policy for procurement of land through direct purchase by way of negotiated settlement for public purposes



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### Khel Maharan for Nurturing Sports Talents

- ➔ Khel Maharan to be held for identifying and nurturing sports talents at the grassroots
- ➔ More than **50 lakh sportspersons** to participate & compete in five sporting disciplines - Athletics (100m, 200m, 400m & 800m), Football, Kabaddi, Volleyball and Kho-Kho
- ➔ **Competition in 4 age categories:**
  - Under 19 (Men)
  - Under 19 (Women)
  - Above 19 (Men)
  - Above 19 (Women)
- ➔ **Stages of competition:**
  - Gram Panchayat/ULB/Wards level and Village Council Development Committee/MAC level of BTR, KAAC & DHAC
  - Assembly constituencies
  - District level
  - State level
- ➔ **State level events** to be held at **Guwahati, Dibrugarh, Silchar, Kokrajhar & Diphu** with each location holding the final event of a particular discipline



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### Reservation of Seats in ITIs for OBCs/MOBCs

- ➔ Reservation policy for admission into ITIs for Ahom, Moran, Matak, Chutia, Koch Rajbongshi communities, etc, under the OBC/MOBC categories approved to ensure equitable representation of students from backward communities. TGL/Ex-TGL communities are already availing 5% reservation within OBC/MOBC category

#### Breakdown of seats reserved in ITIs against the 27% OBC/MOBC reservation:

| Community       | Percentage of seats reserved (as per unit) | No. of seats reserved (as per present seat strength) |
|-----------------|--|--|
| Koch Rajbongshi | 3.24%                                      | 213  |
| Tai Ahom        |  | 164  |
| Chutia          |  | 147  |
| Moran           |  | 131  |
| Matak           |  | 131  |

- ➔ **Vacant seats in ITIs to be filled up** after 4th/5th e-Counselling under all reserved categories from the remaining registered and verified reserved category candidates on the e-Counselling portal in order of merit



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