

Sabha's books for sale in Mumbai Assam Bhawan



A series of selected books published by Asam Sahitya Sabha will now be available for sale at Assam Bhawan in Mumbai. At a solemn function held at the Singhapurush Radhagobinba Barua Meeting Hall in the Sabha's Guwahati office on November 30, 2020, Sabha president Dr Kuladhar Saikia ceremonially presented the packet of books to the Mumbai Assam House-based State Govt's commissioner-secretary Shri Debasish Sharma, ACS. Dr Saikia also presented to Shri Sharma another packet of books as gift to the Mumbai Assam House library.

Speaking on the occasion, the Sabha president Dr Saikia said that this was a part of the mission to take Sabha's books to the close proximity of the greater reader community. Under this scheme, the Sabha has recently opened a book shop in its Dibrugarh office, said Dr Saikia adding that some more book shops will be opened in Sabha's rest of the regional offices, i.e., Diphu, North Lakhimpur, Nagaon, Jalah, Dhubri and Silchar. Recently, the Sabha has opened up a Sahitya Sabha book corner at the Srimanta Sankardev Kalakhsetra's souvenir shop, informed Dr Saikia. It may be mentioned here that two book shops are already there in Sabha's Jorhat central office and Guwahati administrative office. Commissioner-Secretary Shri Sharma, in his speech after receiving the books, lauded Sabha's such mission of taking books to the close reach of the masses and said that Mumbai Assam Bhawan is privileged to extend helping hand to Sabha's such noble venture.

Sabha's Guwahati administrative office secretary, noted poet Manjit Singh and executive member, noted writer Apurba Kumar Saikia were also present on the occasion which was also attended by a number of mediapersons representing almost all the Guwahati-based media houses.
