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ASSAM PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

Jawaharnagar, Khanapara, Guwahati-781 022

PRESS RELEASE

Guwahati the 28th March, 2016: The Assam Public Service Commission will celebrate its 80th Foundation Day on 1st April, 2016 in its office premises at Khanapara, Guwahati-22, with a day long programme.

It is pertinent to mention that the Assam Public Service Commission was one of the five Public Service Commissions of the country simultaneously formed on $1^{\rm st}$ April, 1937 under the provisions of the Govt. of India Act. Mr James Hazlett, who was a retired ICS officer, was called from London to head the Commission. Mr Kameswar Das was the first Assamese to be appointed as the Chairman of the Commission.

Hon'ble Mr. Justice BP Katakey, former Judge of the Gauhati High Court and Member (Judicial) of the Armed Forces Tribunal will be the Chief Guest of the function while Shri Bhaskar Baruah, IAS (Retd.) and Dr. Niru Hazarika, Prof. & HoD (Retd.), Deptt. of Pol Sc, GU will deliver talks on the topic 'Role of Public Service Commissions: Challenges and Public Expectations'. As a part of the function, a Souvenir will also be released.

The APSC has made elaborate arrangements to make the celebration a grand success. Several dignitaries from the Govt. of Assam, district and police administrations, leading citizens of the State, persons from print and electronic media have been invited to grace the occasion.

The function will be followed by a cultural programme where officers, staff and their children, including invited artists, will perform.

Secretary
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