

Tocklai Tea Research Institute releases kit to determine fine leaf percentage in green tea leaves

Synopsis

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Tocklai Tea Research Institute has come out with an audio visual kit explaining ballometric method and process of determining the fine leaf percentage in green tea leaves.

Assam Minister for Industries & Commerce, **Chandra Mohan Patowary** launched an educational **video** on **Tocklai Ballometric** method to determine the fine leaf percentage in green tea leaves.

Patowary has lauded the initiative taken by 110 years old Tocklai Tea Research Institute of **TRA** in making an educational video which will be of help for tea growers and tea manufacturers. He said that the Tocklai ballometric video released today should be made available to all districts and DICs so that the small growers and BLF sectors can be trained and called Tocklai to take the quality drive forward.

Dr A K Barooah Director Tocklai said “the Video on ballometric method of determining fine count should remove any doubts of determining fine leaf percentage. He also stressed the need to adherence of quality to safeguard Assam tea and thanked Government of Assam for the special initiative recently as a result of which the leaf quality has started picking up in the state”.

“As per Tocklai, Fine leaf means 1 leaf + Bud, 2 leaf + Bud, Single soft banjhi. A factory can produce better quality tea if the fine percentage of green tea leaf is more”, said Bidyananda Barkakoty, Council Member of TRA.

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