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The Mon District Administration and Mithun Rural Development Foundation (MRDF) successfully inaugurated the second of the three Solar Mini Grids at Chenwetnyu Village on 3rd March 2022. The 30 kW Solar Mini Grid was inaugurated by Shri. C L John, Hon'ble MLA 45 Tehok A/C in the presence of Shri. Thavaseelan K IAS, Deputy Commissioner Mon, Shri. Relise Sangtam, SDO(Civil) Chen, Shri. Shalendra Katariya, COO, The Hans Foundation, Shri. Shyamal Bera, Senior Manager, MRDF among others.

Speaking on the occasion, the Hon'ble MLA Shri. C L John lauded the efforts of the Deputy Commissioner Mon and the MRDF team in delivering last mile access to clean energy in one of the remotest corners of the State. Speaking at the event, Deputy Commissioner, Mon, Thavaseelan K informed the gathering that the primary objective of installation of mini grids besides providing 24/7 electricity for domestic consumption is to create livelihood opportunities for the end users. He further stated that the availability of reliable and quality power supply would result in growth of economic and livelihood activities thereby creating a sustainable entrepreneurial ecosystem.

The initiative aims to provide reliable access to clean energy for the last mile and promoting the adoption of green/ clean energy sources, covering all 132 villages of Mon District over the next four years.

The third of the three Solar Mini Grids at Longkei Village is expected to be inaugurated by the end of March 2022.



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