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ICFAI felicitates Dipa, Bishweshwar

Agartala, September 8:

The ICFAI University Tripura today organized a moon market before its students, staff and faculty members to felicitate the daughter of soil who brought laurels for the Country from Rio Olympic last month.

One thousand odd students of the University extended a grand reception to Indian gymnastic sensation of this century after she arrived at the Campus this morning. The students formed a human chain by standing on either sides of road from main entrance to Academic building and applauded the presence of Dipa Karmakar and her Coach Bishweshwar Nandi. As the vehicle drove ahead, the students seemed crazy enough to chase it get a touch of Dipa Karmakar.

The craze reached to a new height as soon as Dipa stepped off the vehicle. There were desperate attempts to take selfie with 27-year-old Tripura moon. She obliged all the requests without any glimpse of distraction or annoyance. Not only the initial episode, Dipa took the felicitation amidst high impetus and applause and later on gave pose in a group photo with students, faculty members and officials of ICFAI University, Tripura.

Dipa however seemed really shy when the anchor called her for few words. She only said, "I am extremely happy for such wonderful felicitation. I wish all prosperity of ICFAI University." She was today termed as 'Gymnastic Wonder of India' by Professor N R Madhav Menon, the father figure of modern Indian Legal Education, who came all the way to Agartala to felicitate Dipa Karmakar and Bishweshwar Nandi.

Professor Menon said, Dipa by her outstanding performance in Rio Olympic has set India to a certain height of World gymnastic. The countries dominating World gymnastic would now start considering India as a strong contender. He extended all good wishes to Dipa for better performance in Tokyo Olympic. He also highly acclaimed the contribution of Bishweshwar Nandi behind the success of Dipa Karmakar.

Two other renowned legal education experts today shared the dais in felicitating Dipa Karmakar and her Coach. They are Professor R Venkat Rao and Professor Srikrishna Deva Roa, respectively the Vice Chancellors of National Law School of India University, Bangalore and National Law University, Bhubaneshwar. The felicitation ceremony was presided over by Professor Biplab Halder, the Pro-Vice Chancellor of ICFAI University, Tripura.