

## **ONE-DAY REGIONAL WORKSHOP ON “SUSTAINABLE UTILIZATION OF MARINE FISHERY RESOURCES OF ANDAMAN & NICOBAR ISLANDS”**

The Port Blair Base of Fishery Survey of India organized a one-day workshop on “Sustainable utilization of marine fishery resources of Andaman & Nicobar Islands” on 10.05.2018 at Gram Panchayat Hall, Havelock, South Andaman. The workshop was organized for the benefit of local fisher folks of Havelock in order to disseminate the information on the fishery resources potential, resources availability, different eco-friendly fishing methods to exploit the abundance oceanic fishery resources as well as perch resources and marine engine and their maintenance.

The workshop was inaugurated by Shri Ajit Kumar Roy, *Pradhan*, Havelock and presided by Smt. Kakoli Devi, Principal, Senior Secondary School, Havelock.

Shri Vallbha Rao, *Up-Pradhan*, Havelock Panchayat, Shri Alok Mrindha, Panchayat Secretary, Shri Dileep, Fisheries Inspector, Havelock and Smt. Shikha Rani Mistry, *Pradhan*, Shyam Nagar were the Guest of Honors during the workshop.

Dr. Sijo P. Vaghese, Sr. Fisheries Scientist, Port Blair Base of Fishery Survey of India, delivered the keynote address and briefed about the objectives of the workshop, organizational setup of FSI and eco-friendly fishing methods.

More than 100 participants including fishermen, PRI members and other citizens from Havelock were attended the workshop.



