First lady rewards NGO

ITANAGAR, Nov 07: In appreciation of the efforts of Ziro-based Achukuru Welfare Society (AWS) in uplifting the downtrodden and destitute since 2005, state’s first lady Anupama Singh handed over a bank draft of Rs. 1 lakhs to AWS chairperson Tailyang Shanti (in pic) at Raj Bhavan here today.

The amount was given in recognition of the good work being carried out by the society in addressing the need of poor, orphans, helpless and old aged persons in and around Ziro, reports PRO to the governor.

Exhorting the AWS members to continue their endeavours, she assured all possible help. As one of the members of ‘Muskan,’ a renowned welfare organization, she also advised them to take up other social welfare activities.

Governor Gen (Retd) JJ Singh, who was also present, also assured to take up their grievances with union ministry of social justice.

Praying for the state’s recognition to AWS-run Mother’s Home at Suluya with 14 inmates as rehabilitation center, Shanti apprised the governor couple of the NGO’s activities. She was accompanied by Hage Remay, another member.

The governor during Contd. P.3