

## President urged to redress demands

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The All Arunachal Pradesh Students' Union (AAPSU) has drawn the attention of President of India towards several long-pending demands concerning overall development of the state.

In a memorandum addressed to the President, the AAPSU demanded for renaming of Rajiv Gandhi University as Arunachal Rajiv Gandhi University to honour the sentiment of the Arunachalees and urged her to look into the matter.

The union also demanded

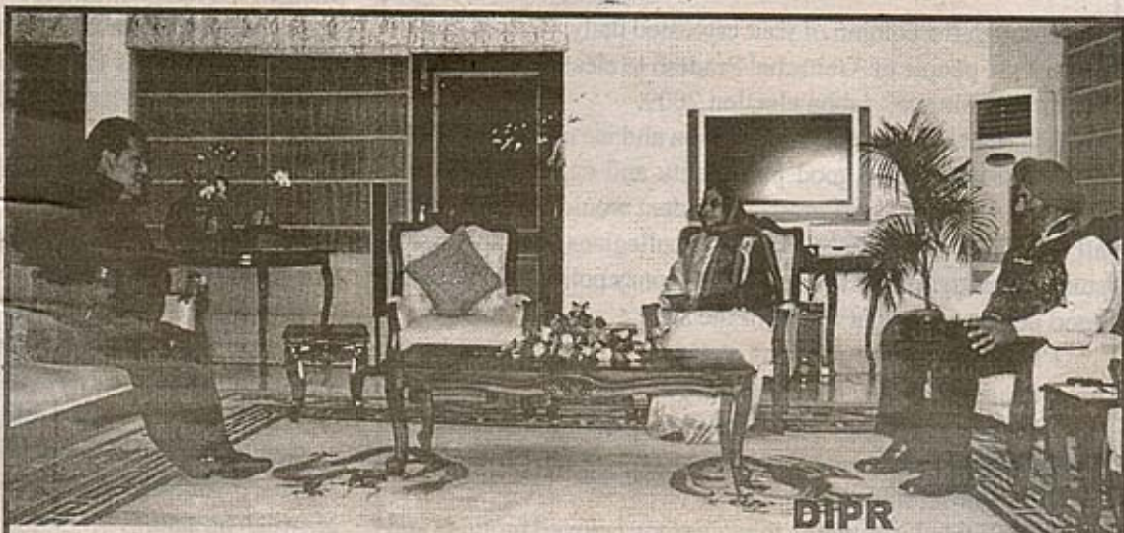
50% reservation for Arunachalee students in the NERIST citing as host state, Arunachal deserves to get more benefit.

To improve the bilateral relations between Arunachal Pradesh and Assam, the AAPSU sought permanent and acceptable solution to the border disputes afflicting the two neighbouring states. In this regard, it demanded for deployment of CRPF along Assam-Arunachal boundary.

On the ever-growing threats of NSCN (IM) and

NSCN (K) in twin districts of Tirap and Changlang, the AAPSU demanded an immediate and stern action from the central government to combat the insurgency in the districts alleging the outfits are very active in the areas.

Demanding for creation of Arunachal Regiment on the lines of Naga Regiment, Sikh Regiment and Gorkha Regiment, the union said, this would not only solve the unemployment problems but also the spirit of patriotism and nationalism among the youths of the state.



The Governor and Chief Minister of Arunachal Pradesh with the President Pratibha Patil at Raj Bhavan.