Opinion leaders impressed by Raj Bhawan

ITANAGAR, Nov 20: Governor Gen (Retd) JJ Singh today informed the group of ‘opinion leaders’ from Andhra Pradesh that Arunachal Pradesh promotes optimum use of natural resources while discouraging the use of plastic, reports his PRO.

During a meeting with the visiting social workers, NGO activists, health workers, journalists and students at Raj Bhavan here, Singh dwelt on various projects being taken up by the state government to promote tourism and hydropower projects, besides organic, orchid and honeybee farming.

He also threw light on the Trans-Arunachal Highway and the airport and railway projects. The governor later showed the group the bamboo produces of the state and the honey cultivation at Raj Bhawan.

Members of the group expressed pleasant surprise at the practices in Raj Bhawan—its kitchen garden, poultry, water harvest fishery, etc — and said these should be replicated in other states.

The team had earlier visited the Forest Research Institute in Chimpu and the Van Vihar Kendra at Chessa, the report adds.