

**GOVERNOR'S SECRETARIAT  
ARUNACHAL PRADESH  
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**PRESS RELEASE**

**APSCW members calls on the Governor**

**Governor emphasises on women education and health**

A delegation of Arunachal Pradesh State Commission for women (APSCW), led by its Chairperson, Smt Radhilu Chai Techu called on the Governor of Arunachal Pradesh Brig. (Dr.) B.D. Mishra (Retd.) at Raj Bhavan, Itanagar on 25<sup>th</sup> January 2019. They submitted a memorandum to the Governor for various issues pertaining to the Commission,

The Governor emphasised on women education and health, while underscoring that the society will develop and progress, if our girls are healthy and educated. He suggested them for extensive tour of the State to ensure every girl child of the age six years and above goes to school.

The Governor said that the future of Arunachali society lies on the constitutional bodies like the Women Commission. Therefore, onus is on the members of the Commission to rise to the need and aspirations of every girl child of the State. It also must be vigilant and proactive in addressing any atrocity to any girl or women in the State.

The Governor stressed that the Arunachali woman must be secure at home and outside. They should be fully empowered to access all their rights and dignity and be given opportunity to contribute in equal measures in all walks of life. He advised the APSCW to explore suitable measures and effective enforcement of laws to secure the safety and rights and entitlements of women in the society.

The Governor also suggested to the visiting officials to tour Idu Mishmi areas to attend to their social issues as appropriate.

Commissioner to Governor Dr. M. Surya Prakash, APSCW Vice Chairperson, Ms Heyomai Towsik, members, Ms Hoksum Ori, Ms. Likha Joya and Ms Techu Hunmai and Member Secretary Mrs. Yame Higio were also present in the meeting.

PRO to Governor  
Arunachal Pradesh  
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