

**GOVERNOR'S SECRETARIAT  
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**PRESS RELEASE**

**Governor extends Buddha Purnima greetings**

The Governor of Arunachal Pradesh Brig. (Dr.) B.D. Mishra (Retd.) has extended his sincere greetings to the people of the State and Buddhist brethren in particular on the auspicious occasion of Buddha Purnima. He expressed his hope that the occasion will continue to spread Lord Buddha's message of love, peace and communal harmony amongst the people.

In his message, the Governor said that one of the greatest spiritual teachers of human history, Lord Buddha, **THE LIGHT OF ASIA**, through his divinity showed us the glorious path of right conduct, non-violence, tolerance and universal brotherhood. His teachings have given solace and spiritual strength to the mankind. The eight noble paths shown by Lord Buddha, viz., the Right View, Right Intention, Right Speech, Right Action, Right Livelihood, Right Effort, Right Mindfulness and Right Concentration encompass the entire Wheel of Dharma, with its central axis of ethical discipline.

I trust the auspicious occasion will strengthen the emotional integration, brotherhood and mutual understanding amongst our citizens and bring prosperity, happiness and tranquillity in the society, he said.

On this auspicious occasion, I pray for Lord Buddha's choicest blessings for each one of us, the Governor said in his message.

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