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The Governor of Arunachal Pradesh Lt. Gen (Retd) Nirbhay Sharma, who is on an official tour to the National Capital, met the Union Minister of State for Home Affairs, Shri Kiren Rijiju in New Delhi on 8th October 2014. During the meeting, they discussed on connectivity, border area development and police modernization in the State.

The Governor emphasized that various projects taken up by the Government of India in the State must be urgently implemented, particularly road connectivity for the welfare of the people. He stressed on ensuring proper shelter, food and habitat for the people living in border areas.

The Governor also emphasized on releasing funds for pending proposal of the State involving setting up of eleven new Police Stations and up-gradation of nine existing Police Stations in Tirap, Changlang and Longding districts.

Shri Rijiju said that many important road projects are in the pipeline for the State, including the 'Frontier Highway' that will be constructed along the Line of Actual Control (LoC). The road will be strategically very important and will be highly beneficial for the people, particularly those living in the border areas. The MoS (Home Affairs) informed that the project would be put to action very soon along with other projects, including those under Police Modernization.

Shri Shambhu Singh, Joint Secretary (North East) and Smt Veena Kumari Meena, Joint Secretary Police (Modernization) also attended the meeting.

PRO to Governor
Arunachal Pradesh
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