GOVERNOR'S SECRETARIAT ARUNACHAL PRADESH ITANAGAR

PRESS RELEASE

The Governor of Arunachal Pradesh Shri JP Rajkhowa, accompanied by First Lady of the State visited the Gekar Sinyi Lake, 10 km from Itanagar on 4th July 2015 in his continuing effort to review the tourism places in the State Capital.

The Governor said that Gekar Sinyi Lake is a unique and special tourism site. The Department of Tourism, Environment and Forests and Fishery must come together for inclusive development of the place and for increasing the tourist footfall of the place.

The Governor stressed on preserving the forest cover around the lake area and suggested for more provisions, including restaurant and conference hall so that meetings and other official activities can be conducted at the site along with tourism activities, which will promote the unique tourism site.

An angling enthusiast himself, the Governor advised for controlled angling as adventure sports. He called for fish culture for commercial purposes and planting of bamboos in the area. The Governor also advised for rescue motor boat in the lake.

The Governor said that the State has tremendous potential for clean and healthy tourism but roads have to be improved. He said that road connectivity will facilitate more flow of tourists to the tourism sites.

PRO to Governor Arunachal Pradesh ITANAGAR, July 4, 2015