GOVERNOR'S SECRETARIAT ARUNACHAL PRADESH ITANAGAR

PRESS RELEASE

Governor reviews sporting activities, announced cash award for Lapung

The Governor of Arunachal Pradesh Shri JP Rajkhowa reviewed all the Sports activities in the State including State Level Sports events organised by the Department of Sports at Raj Bhavan, Itanagar on 9th February 2016. Shri Dani Salu Secretary Sports and Shri Tadar Appa, Director Sports were present in the meeting among others.

After discussions with Sport department, it was decided that State level Sports event has to be held to encourage sportspersons in T20, Archery and Martial Arts as well. Therefore, the State Government shall conduct Governor's Martial Arts Championship, Governor's trophy T20 Cricket and Governor's trophy in Archery. The winners will be given Trophy as well as cash awards.

The Governor will soon have one to one meeting with the State Level associations for Archery and Martial Arts to fine tune the events.

While expressing his happiness on the achievement of Shri Sambo Lapung by winning a Gold medal in weightlifting in ongoing South Asian Games 2016, the Governor announced an award of Rs 10 (Ten) lakhs to Shri Lapung and said that he will inspire generations of youth.

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