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PRESS RELEASE

**Governor extends greetings to the people of the State on the occasion of
Shapawng Yawng Manau Poi**

The Governor of Arunachal Pradesh Shri JP Rajkhowa has extended warm greeting to the people of the State, particularly the Singpho community on the auspicious occasion of 'Shapawng Yawng Manau Poi'. He expressed hope that the festival would reinforce the spirit of 'Ninggu Shingnoi' - bond of brotherhood and friendship amongst the family, community and State.

In his message to the people of the State on the occasion, the Governor said that 'Shapawng Yawng Manau Poi' is celebrated amongst the Singpho Community of Arunachal Pradesh, Assam and also in parts of China, Myanmar and Thailand. It is fostering grand cultural linkage amongst the people of this part of the World. He wished that the people of the State strengthen this association with the concept of 'Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam' which means 'the world is one family', thereby promoting peace, communal harmony and socio-economic and cultural engagements.

On this sacred occasion, I pray to Almighty 'Shapawng Yawng' to bless each one of us with Peace, Progress, Prosperity and above all happiness, the Governor added in his message.

PRO to Governor
Arunachal Pradesh
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