## GOVERNOR'S SECRETARIAT ARUNACHAL PRADESH ITANAGAR

## PRESS RELEASE

## **Governor visits East Siang District**

The Governor of Arunachal Pradesh Brig. (Dr.) B.D. Mishra (Retd.) visited Pasighat, East Siang District on 13<sup>th</sup> March 2018. Continuing his district tour, the Governor along with the First Lady of the State Smt Neelam Misra arrived at Pasighat from Hawai. They were accorded traditional reception by various communities of the district led by the Deputy Commissioner Shri Tamiyo Tatak and SP Shri Prashant Gautam.

Immediately reaching Pasighat, the Governor addressed a public meeting, attended by Goan Burahs, Pachayatii Raj Institute members, public leaders and general public of the district.

In his address, the Governor said that present Central Government led by Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi is giving special focus to Arunachal Pradesh through Act East policy. Unlike earlier situation where every fortnight State ministers and officials had go to Delhi, now Union Ministers and senior officials of Ministries are coming to the State. Required schemes and adequate fund are provided.

Cautioning the people against misuse of fund provided, the Governor exhorted the public to ensure that there is transparency and accountability in the implementation.

Stating that the future generation are the one who should be taken care the most, the Governor called upon the people to send the children to school.

While interacting with the government officers, the Governor termed that rampant encroachment in government lands is a social evil and to combat the issue, the people must be educated and made aware properly.

In the meeting, the Governor also showed keen interest in promoting e-Text Books. Reviewing the progress and achievements of all Central and State Governments sponsored flagship programs, he also enquired about implementation of Smart Class Rooms in the district.

The Governor called upon the officers to be flag bearers in their respective of developmental activities in the district. We must work proactively and think out of the box for the benefit of the people, he stressed.

PRO to Governor Arunachal Pradesh PASIGHAT, March 13, 2018