

**GOVERNOR'S SECRETARIAT  
ARUNACHAL PRADESH  
ITANAGAR**

**Press Communiqué**

**56 Inf Div GOC calls on the Governor**

**Governor compliments Army General for his educational initiative**

The General Officer Commanding (GOC), HQ 56 Infantry Division, Major General VK Purohit, Yudh Sena Medal (YSM), Sena Medal (SM) called on the Governor of Arunachal Pradesh Brig. (Dr.) B.D. Mishra (Retd.) on 21<sup>st</sup> November 2022. They discussed about Line of Actual Control security, Arunachal border area development and civic welfare initiatives of the Army Division in Arunachal Pradesh.

The Governor appreciated the GOC for taking initiative in preparing students in his area of responsibility for admission in Sainik School, Niglok, Pasighat and National Defence Academies. He said that it will open a great opportunity for our tribal students from all districts of the State.

The Governor advised that students from Army schools being run under the aegis of Army be prepared for admission in our lone Sainik School at Pasighat and National Defence Academies. The GOC assured that he will make all efforts and ensure that maximum students are coached to join our Sainik School or the National Defence Academy.

The Governor also commended the efforts of the Army and the GOC in helping the Sainik School, Niglok in all possible manner.

The Governor emphasized on ensuring security in the border areas and also to instill a sense of security amongst the people living in the area. This, he said, will arrest migration of people from border areas to the urban areas.

The Governor advised the GOC to initiate civic action programmes for the welfare of the people and also to cultivate goodwill among them towards the armed forces. He asked the Army authorities to provide all assistance to the civil administrations during natural calamities and in emergency.

The GOC assured all cooperation to the civil administration by every Unit of his Division.

PRO to Governor  
Arunachal Pradesh  
ITANAGAR, November 21, 2022