

**GOVERNOR'S SECRETARIAT  
ARUNACHAL PRADESH  
ITANAGAR**

**Press Communiqué**

**Governor interacts with Panchayat leaders, CBOs, NGOs and SHGs**

**Governor expresses concern about the drug menace, growing incidents of tuberculosis, cleanliness and waste management within the villages and towns**

**Onus of monitoring the social and welfare issues rests with the community and panchayat leaders: Governor**

The Governor of Arunachal Pradesh Lt. General KT Parnaik, PVSM, UYSM, YSM (Retd.), on the second day of his two-day tour to Lower Subansiri District met the Panchayati Raj leaders, Community based organizations (CBOs), Non-government organizations (NGOs) and Self-help groups (SHGs) at District Secretariat, Ziro on 10<sup>th</sup> May 2023.

The Governor called for collective efforts of every member of the society for peace, progress and prosperity of the State. He said that social organizations have a vital role to play and they must perform their social duties in letter and spirit by ensuring social cohesion and upliftment of the population.

The Governor expressed his concern about the drug menace, growing incidents of tuberculosis, cleanliness and waste management within the villages and towns of the district. He said that the onus of monitoring the social and welfare issues rests with the community and panchayat leaders.

Local MLA and State Minister for Agriculture etc. Er. Tage Taki, Deputy Commissioner, Ziro Shri Bamin Nime and Superintendent of Police, Ziro, Dr. Sachin Singhal were present in the meeting.

PRO to Governor  
Arunachal Pradesh  
ITANAGAR, May 10, 2023