

**GOVERNOR'S SECRETARIAT
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Press Communiqué

Governor extends greetings on the occasion of International Day of Persons with Disabilities

The Governor of Arunachal Pradesh, Lt. General K.T. Parnaik, PVSM, UYSM, YSM (Retd.), has extended warm greetings to the people of the State, especially to the differently abled brethren on the special occasion of the International Day of Persons with Disabilities. He wished that the day would deepen public understanding of disability-related challenges and inspire stronger collective support to empower Divyang to meet life's difficulties with hope, dignity, and confidence.

In his message, the Governor said that the greatest barrier for any individual is often not physical limitation but the emotional and mental constraints imposed by society and circumstance. Human progress is driven by two vital forces: self-confidence and optimism. With sensitivity, encouragement, and the right support, these strengths can help individuals transcend physical challenges. Families, communities, and society at large play a decisive role in ensuring equal participation of persons with disabilities in social and economic life. I am confident that, true to our cultural values, we will continue to stand by our Divyang brothers and sisters and make them equal partners in the progress of our society, he said while urging every section of society to commit themselves to creating meaningful livelihood opportunities and sustainable avenues of growth for persons with disabilities.

On this important day, let us recognize, respect, and celebrate the abilities and contributions of our Divyang brethren, the Governor appealed in his message.

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