

**GOVERNOR'S SECRETARIAT  
ARUNACHAL PRADESH  
ITANAGAR**

**Press Communiqué**

**APPEIRC Chairman calls on the Governor**

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**Governor advises the State Private Educational Institutions Regulatory Commission to enforce robust quality control in accordance with the guidelines of the University Grants Commission and the State Government**

The Chairman, Arunachal Pradesh Private Educational Institutions Regulatory Commission (APPEIRC) Shri Tsering Naksang called on the Governor of Arunachal Pradesh, Lt Gen KT Parnaik, PVSM, UYSM, YSM (Retd.) at Lok Bhavan, Itanagar on 19<sup>th</sup> March 2026. The Chairman, who was accompanied by members, Dr. Limo Ete and Dr. Joram Aniya and Secretary Dr. AK Tripathy briefed the Governor on the activities and initiatives of the Commission.

The Governor, emphasizing the importance of strong academic regulation, advised the Commission to closely monitor admissions to ensure that they remain transparent and strictly merit-based. He also urged the Commission to maintain vigilant oversight of examinations and research standards so that the credibility and academic integrity of institutions are upheld. In addition, he stressed that private institutions must comply with the prescribed infrastructure norms and continuously maintain the required facilities to provide a conducive learning environment for students.

Expressing his concern for maintaining academic excellence, the Governor advised the Commission to enforce robust quality control in accordance with the guidelines of the University Grants Commission and the State Government. He emphasized that the Commission must regularly review the functioning of institutions, ensure compliance with regulatory norms, and hold them accountable for maintaining quality education.

The Governor said that the Commission should not hesitate to initiate corrective measures, including suspension of approvals or even closure of institutions that repeatedly fail to meet national benchmarks and academic standards. Such decisive oversight, he said, will play a crucial role in shaping the future of higher education in the State and ensuring that students receive education that is credible, competitive, and aligned with national expectations.

The members of APPEIRC apprised the Governor of several pending matters at the departmental level that require urgent attention. The Governor assured them that the issues raised would be taken up with the concerned authorities and that necessary discussions would be initiated to facilitate their timely resolution.

PRO to Governor  
Arunachal Pradesh  
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