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**Governor reviews development under tourism sector**

**Itanagar, Dec. 14:** Arunachal Pradesh Governor General (Retd.) JJ Singh reviewed the development in tourism section of the State with Principal Secretary (Tourism) G.N. Sinha and Director (Tourism) A.K. Singh at Raj Bhavan, Itanagar on 14<sup>th</sup> December last. Secretary to Governor Ankur Garg was present in the meeting, **reports PRO to Governor.**

In the meeting, in addition to many projects in the State, the Governor reviewed the progress of works of the Institute of Hotel Management, Applied Nutrition and Catering Technology at Banderdewa and Adventure Tourism Camping destination site at Jote Poma River and Tourist Information Counter at Guwahati Airport.

The Governor said that tourism is one of the strong points of development in the State and it must be harness to the optimum.

Advocating for inclusion of more places, like Walong and places of tourist interest in Tirap and Changlang districts in the tourism circuits, the Governor said that these places have huge tourism potential but due to non-inclusion, the socio-economic development of these areas are suffering.

The Governor, who has been meeting ministers and senior officials in the Center to improve the road communication of the State to give thrust to tourism development in the State called for involvement of local youth and also use of indigenous produce in the tourist related projects.

To give further impetus the development of tourism in the State, the Governor suggested for regional tourist circuit involving Assam and other neighboring States. He also called for tented tourism concept till the upcoming resorts are fully developed.

Principal Secretary (Tourism) Sinha and Director (Tourism) Singh brief the Governor on the projects, **adds the report.**

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