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PRESS RELEASE

Indian National Fellowship Centre, an NGO from Mumbai to have MoU with six Government schools from Arunachal Pradesh

At the initiative of the Governor of Arunachal Pradesh, Shri P.B. Acharya, the Indian Fellowship Centre, an NGO from Mumbai has agreed to have Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) as 'Fellowship Link School' with six schools from Arunachal Pradesh. These six schools will be the 'Fellowship Link Schools' with Mumbai's three groups of private educational trusts / societies. The aim of this initiative is to promote emotional and national integration in addition to value based education.

The Deputy Commissioners of Tawang and West Kameng Districts will identify two schools from Tawang District and four schools from Dirang, Bomdila and Bhalukpong Administrative Circles from West Kameng District, which will be connected with Mumbai's educational societies.

Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) for exchange of students and teachers for short duration and cultural exchange will also be worked out.

The Governor, who is the President of Upanagar Shiksha Vidhyalaya, Mumbai (Sabarban Education Society) has 14 (Fourteen) schools and colleges, including prestigious Architect College, Science & Commerce Junior colleges, Computer Schools in Mumbai, has taken the initiative to strengthen emotional and national integration as well as academic education.

The Governor expressed his hope that such initiative will bring the youth from the Strategic Border Area States like Arunachal Pradesh to the people of Metropolitan Cities and rest of the country. It will facilitate better understanding of traditions, customs and practices and also help in cultural exchanges.

Dr. Hanmantharao Palep and Ms. Pooja Kamath, the office bearers of Indian National Fellowship Centre, Mumbai, who visited and participated in the 31st Statehood Day celebration at Itanagar as State Guests, will be coordinating the initiative.

PRO to Governor
Arunachal Pradesh
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