

**GOVERNOR'S SECRETARIAT  
ARUNACHAL PRADESH  
ITANAGAR**

**Press Communiqué**

**Governor conveys Diwali greetings**

The Governor of Arunachal Pradesh Brig. (Dr.) B.D. Mishra (Retd.) has conveyed his heartiest greetings to the people of the State on the auspicious occasion of Diwali. He prayed that the festivity ushers in peace, joy, and prosperity in the State.

In his message, the Governor said that Diwali, the festival of lights inspires all to move from darkness to light. It symbolizes triumph of good over evil, and knowledge over ignorance. Diwali also marks the birth of a new and rejuvenated soul, he said.

On this pious occasion, let us light the lamps of compassion, love and righteousness and promote amity and brotherhood in the society, the Governor urged upon the people.

While extending his greetings to all Arunachalis, the Governor also appealed to each and every citizen of the State for a pollution-free Deepavali celebration. We must shun use of loud crackers, as it creates noise pollution as well as emits poisonous gases. We have to protect our people and our environment from this health hazard. Following the guidance from our leader, Shri Narendra Modi Ji for 'Swachh Bharat' we must, this Diwali, ensure 'Shant Bharat' as well, the Governor said in his message.

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Arunachal Pradesh  
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