

**GOVERNOR'S SECRETARIAT
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Press Communiqué

Governor congratulates Ms January Tali, Ms Kampo Matey and Ms Nyarian Matey

The Governor of Arunachal Pradesh, Lt Gen KT Parnaik, PVSM, UYSM, YSM (Retd.), has extended his heartiest congratulations to mountaineer Ms January Tali on her remarkable achievement of becoming the first Indian woman to successfully summit both Mount Kun (7,077 metres) and Mount Nun (7,135 metres) in the same climbing season from 27th July to 8th September 2026. He also congratulated Ms Kampo Matey and Ms Nyarian Matey, from Tirap District in participating in the Mount Shinkun West Expedition, and successfully summiting the 6,127-metre peak in Himachal Pradesh.

Describing the achievements as a moment of immense pride for Arunachal Pradesh and the nation, the Governor said that Ms January Tali, Ms Kampo Matey and Ms Nyarian Matey have demonstrated exceptional courage, endurance, technical skill and unwavering determination. It is a milestone for Indian mountaineering and a shining example of the indomitable spirit of Arunachal Pradesh's youth. Their achievements reinforce the growing presence of Arunachali mountaineers on the national and international adventure sports arena.

As he served in these areas during his service tenure, the Governor said that Mt Kun and Mt Nun, located in the rugged Zaskar region of Ladakh, are renowned for their steep snow and ice slopes, treacherous glaciers, extreme weather conditions and thin mountain air, demanding the highest levels of physical fitness, mental resilience and mountaineering expertise.

The Governor wished Ms Tali, Ms Kampo Matey and Ms Nyarian Matey continued success in their future expeditions and expressed hope that they would continue to scale greater heights, bringing further laurels to Arunachal Pradesh and the nation.

PRO to Governor
Arunachal Pradesh
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