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BENEFICIARIES SELECTED FOR GOVERNOR RAINWATER HARVESTING INITIATIVE

Selection of 20 beneficiaries for distribution of 3000 litre water tanks to promote water harvesting, an initiative of the Governor of Nagaland, Shri PB Acharya was held at Raj Bhavan Kohima on 6th July 2018.

Earlier, Governor Acharya had announced that 50% subsidy for water storage tank within Kohima town to twenty applicants will be given so as to encourage citizens to take up water harvesting. The Governor's Secretariat received 46 applications in total.

A lucky draw was held to pick out the names of the beneficiaries. Lady wife of the Governor, Smti Kavita Acharya picked up the first name while the officers and staff members picked up the remaining beneficiaries. Five additional names were also picked up and kept on wait list.

Governor Acharya stated that rainwater harvesting was the need of the hour and making the switch to an eco friendly rainwater harvesting system was neither complicated nor time consuming which will result in a wide range of benefits for home or business.

The Governor opined that since most parts of the State see rainfall for six months or more, rain water harvesting will be beneficial for the people. He encouraged citizens to set up water tanks and harvest the rain water to address the water scarcity problem in the State. Water is life, save water for sustenance of the future, Acharya stated.

Raj Bhavan Kohima has arranged water storage tanks of 3000 ltrs capacity. The Governor's Secretariat will contact the selected beneficiaries. The last date for collecting the water storage tanks will be 25th July 2018. If any beneficiary fails to claim within the stipulated period, the benefit will automatically shift to the next beneficiary in the wait list.

The following have been selected for distribution of the water storage tanks.

Sl.No.	Name	Address
1.	Tezenlo Magh	Perizie Colony, High School
2.	Yangpila Anar	Chandmari Colony
3	Vitsonei	Agri Farm Colony
4.	Kevi Angami	Phezou, Jotsoma
5.	A. Meren Jamir	Lower Forest Colony
6.	Denise Keppen	Kuoliezou Colony
7.	T. Boulie Angami	Naga Hospital Colony
8.	Longra Chongdok	Sepfüzou Colony
9.	Khaimang Thangeo	New Minister's Hill Colony
10.	Mhalezouuo	Middle PWD Colony
11.	Nokevi Sakhrie	Zienuo Badze Colony
12.	Kevimedo	Zoudo Colony
13.	Lhingjahoi	New Minister's Hill Colony
14.	Ashuy	Lerie Colony
15.	Hetoli Tep	Kezieke Colony
16.	Asino Kechu	Lower P R Hill
17.	Sazole Kikhi	Upper Daklane
18.	Kevimedo Zumvü	Nachama Village
19.	Kikrusaü	High School Colony
20.	Medophrenuo	C/O Mewi Abode Hostel, IG Road
Wait list		
1.	Anthony Ajabou Solo	Zienuobadze Colony Near IG Stadium
2.	Chubayula	New Minister's Hill, Colony
3.	Lanusangla Lemtur	New Minister's Hill Colony
4.	Imliwati Jamir	Lerie Colony
5.	Mr. Tiawapang Ao	Upper PWD Colony

Construction of a 1.5 lakhs litre water harvesting reservoir in Raj Bhavan has also been completed with an aim to manage the Raj Bhavan garden. Water tanks have also been put in various locations of the Raj Bhavan compound to harvest rain water.

(PRO to Governor)