

## **PRESS RELEASE**

### **NAGALAND GOVERNOR INITIATES FACULTY EXCHANGE PROGRAMME**

People-to-People Programme for National Integration and Faculty Exchange Programme, an initiative of Nagaland Governor, P B Acharya has began in Nagaland with a team of 13 teachers having arrived from Mumbai. An exchange of teaching and learning, the team of teachers is led by Principal of Gopal Sharma International School, Powai (Mumbai), Gool Ghariali while the members include Rekha Palnitkar; Sangitavishwarao; Upsana Roy from Maneckji Cooper Education Trust. Principal Kashmiri; Jesicadaruwalla; Najma; Jyshree from Vidyanidhi School. Savita Thakur; Shailesh; Nitin from INFC. Dilip Parajpe and Pooja Kammat. The group of experienced and highly qualified teachers from Mumbai is visiting the state under fellowship exchange programme from May 9-20, 2015.

After visiting Peren and Dimapur districts, the team arrived at the State Capital on 15<sup>th</sup> May 2015 where Nagaland Governor, P B Acharya accorded a warm welcome and felicitated the team at Raj Bhavan. The team would be meeting teachers and students at different Government Schools in Kohima district on 18<sup>th</sup> & 19<sup>th</sup> May 2015.

Earlier, the Governor had initiated a fellowship exchange programme where a highly specialised group of doctors from Mumbai visited the State from 7<sup>th</sup> – 13<sup>th</sup> May 2015. The team was headed by gynaecologist Dr. H.S. Palep and supported by physician Dr. Lalitha Palep, robotic, obesity and laparoscopic surgeon Dr. Jaydeep Palep, general and breast cancer surgeon Dr. Reshma Palep, cardiologist and physician Dr. Satya Agarwala, laparoscopist and cancer surgeon Dr. Anjali Patil, ortho surgeon Dr. Karmaraj Singh and eye specialist Dr. Asonia. The doctors successfully held free medical camps at Peren and Jalukie on 8<sup>th</sup> & 9<sup>th</sup> May 2015 and at the Naga Hospital Authority, Kohima from 11<sup>th</sup> – 13<sup>th</sup> May 2015. The team, along with the Governor also visited Viswema Village on 10<sup>th</sup> May 2015.

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