## **GOVERNOR'S SECRETARIAT**

## MEGHALAYA, SHILLONG

## Press Communiqué

**Shillong, March 26, 2025: Josel F. Ignacio**, Ambassador of the Republic of the Philippines to India, along with **Mr. Roger Silva** and **Smti. Melasa**, representatives from the Philippines, paid a courtesy visit to **Raj Bhavan, Meghalaya**, today.

The delegation was warmly received by **Dr. B.D.R.Tiwari(IAS)**, **Commissioner and Secretary to the Hon'ble Governor of Meghalaya**. During the interaction, discussions were held on strengthening bilateral relations between country's North-east region, especially Meghalaya and the Philippines, with a particular focus on fostering trade, tourism, education, and cultural exchanges. The visit underscored the growing diplomatic engagement between India and the Philippines and reaffirmed Meghalaya's commitment to fostering international partnerships.