

## **GOVERNOR'S SECRETARIAT**

### **MEGHALAYA, SHILLONG**

#### **Press Communiqué**

**Shillong, February 09, 2026** : The Hon'ble Governor of Meghalaya, Shri C.H. Vijayashankar, felicitated the NCC cadets of Meghalaya who proudly represented the State at the prestigious Republic Day Parade 2026 in New Delhi. The felicitation ceremony was held at Lok Bhavan, Shillong, in recognition of their outstanding performance, discipline, and dedication. Shri H.C.Chaudhary, Principal Secretary to the Hon'ble Governor were also present on the occasion along with Brig. Thongam Joten Singh - Group Commander, NCC Group HQ, Lt Col Samar Pal - Training Officer, NCC Group HQ, Shillong.

Congratulating the cadets for their remarkable achievement, the Hon'ble Governor stated that representing Meghalaya at the national level during the Republic Day celebrations is a matter of immense pride and honour for the entire State. He commended the cadets for their exemplary commitment, rigorous training, and unwavering spirit that enabled them to earn a place in one of the most prestigious national events of the country.

He lauded the NCC for its pivotal role in shaping the youth into responsible citizens and future leaders by inculcating values of unity, patriotism, integrity, and selfless service.

Encouraging the cadets to continue striving for excellence, the Hon'ble Governor emphasized that their journey is an inspiration to young aspirants across Meghalaya. He urged them to uphold the ideals of the NCC and contribute meaningfully to nation-building.

The Hon'ble Governor also appreciated the dedicated efforts of the NCC officers, instructors, and parents who supported and mentored the cadets in their preparation for the Republic Day Parade. He expressed confidence that Meghalaya's youth will continue to excel and bring laurels to the State in various national forums.

The cadets expressed their gratitude to the Hon'ble Governor for his encouragement and shared their experiences of participating in the Republic Day Parade, describing it as a transformative and unforgettable moment in their lives.

The felicitation ceremony concluded with a reaffirmation of commitment towards fostering discipline, leadership, and national integration among the youth of Meghalaya.





