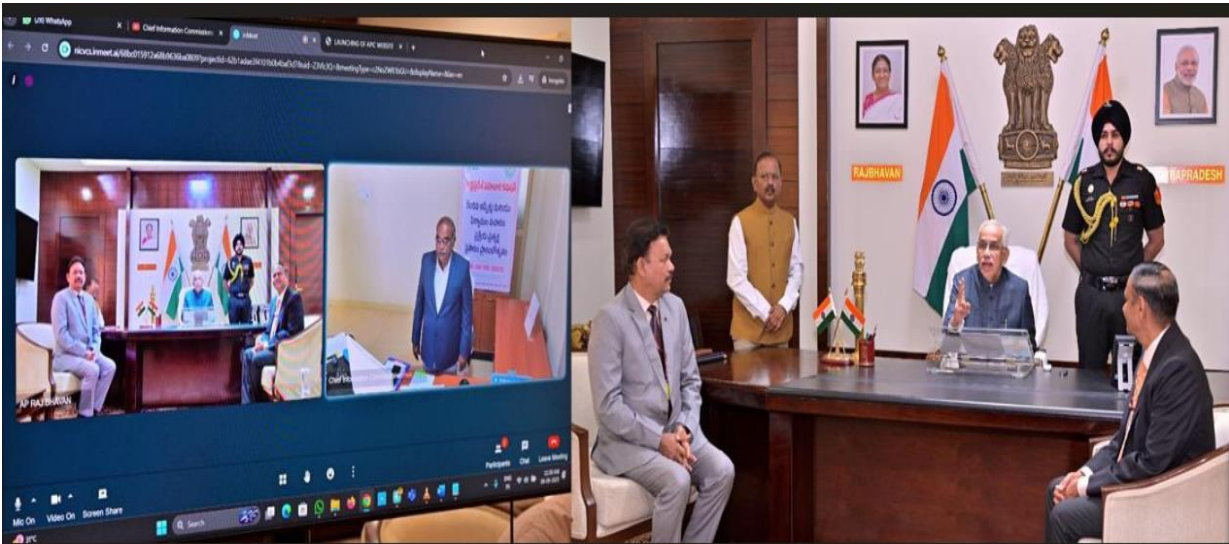


Visit of Dr. R.K. Pathak, Deputy Director General & State Coordinator – NIC Andhra Pradesh

Dr. R.K. Pathak, Deputy Director General & State Coordinator, NIC Andhra Pradesh, visited the State Centre on 08th September 2025.

In the **morning session**, he attended the inaugural function of the Andhra Pradesh Information Commission at Raj Bhavan, where the Hon'ble Governor of Andhra Pradesh launched two major e-Governance initiatives developed by NIC Andhra Pradesh:



1. **Live Streaming of Commission Hearings** – to enhance transparency and citizen trust.
2. **APIC Official Website (<https://sic.ap.gov.in>)** – to strengthen proactive disclosure and improve public access to Commission services.



In the **afternoon session**, **Dr. Pathak** reviewed the progress of NIC Andhra Pradesh at Vijayawada. The meeting was attended by **Shri S.V. Ch. Subbarao**, State Informatics Officer, **Shri S. Madhusudhana Rao**, Scientist-F & ASIO (State) all **HoDs**, **State-level officers and district-level officers**.

The review began with interactions with District Units, where Dr. Pathak patiently heard the issues raised by DIOs and ADIOs, offered his guidance, and appreciated their contributions. He commended the dedicated efforts of NIC officers in developing **product-based applications** that can be scaled across districts and other states, thereby avoiding duplication of ICT applications.

He emphasized the importance of **Cyber Security training** at the district level to ensure awareness reaches end users effectively.

The **State Informatics Officer** also apprised him of new projects being implemented in the state, which Dr. Pathak lauded for their successful rollout.

Later, the **Chief Information Commissioner** visited the NIC Andhra Pradesh State Centre to **congratulate Dr. Pathak, the SIO, and the NIC team** for successfully **developing** the new APIC website and enabling live streaming of hearings. He also **appreciated** their efforts in ensuring the smooth conduct of the inaugural function by the Hon'ble Governor.

The meeting, which lasted nearly three hours, concluded with a motivational address by **Dr. Pathak**. He urged NIC officers to continue striving to make life easier for both users and officials, and extended his gratitude to all participants for their commitment and contributions.

Glimpses of the event



State Coordinator Reviewing the activities of District NIC Centres



State Coordinator and SIO interacting with District officers through Video Conferencing



State Coordinator Interacting with Districts



State Coordinator Interacting with State HoDs



Group Photo of NIC Andhra Pradesh Officers along with State Coordinator

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