

Tuki trying to woo MLAs



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Hours after assuming charge [as Arunachal Pradesh](#) on Wednesday, [Nabam](#) Tuki and his camp have stepped up efforts to rope in the sitting [Congress](#) legislators to survive. Apart privately talking to the [Congress](#) MLAs [over](#) telephone from [New Delhi](#), Tuki has issued a statement with an appeal to them to come back to his camp.

Tuki has sent a joining letter to [Arunachal Pradesh](#) T [Roy](#) who is expected to talk to him regarding the upcoming floor test. [Congress](#) president Sonia [Gandhi](#) has asked Tuki to the party MLAs in confidence before proceeding to [start](#) the historic inning. Tuki's aides have been personally approaching a number of legislators or former loyalists who are believed to have agreed to come to take Tuki's side.

Kalikhho Pul is also not sitting idle. The controversial [chief](#) minister who has outside support from BJP is equally trying to wooes the legislators. "Numbers matter in democracy. I am confident of my strength," said Pul who was attending a huge political [summit](#) in Guwahati on Wednesday.

According to political experts, Tuki is likely to face a tough time to prove the numbers to survive even after the Supreme Court took his side.

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