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GENERAL BEWOOR RETIRES

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General G.G. Bewoor inspected a farewell guard of honour at the South Block lawns here today before relinquishing the office of the Chief of the Army Staff. The honour guard of two junior commissioned officers and fifty other ranks was commanded by Major B.A. Patil.

On arrival, General Bewoor was received by Lt. Gen. N.C. Rawlley, Vice Chief of the Army Staff, who is today proceeding on leave preparatory to retirement, and Maj. Gen. E. D'Souza, General Officer Commanding Delhi Area. He was then conducted to the saluting dais from where he took general salute while the Rajputana Rifles Brass Band played the tune "our chief". General Bewoor inspected the guard while the band played "doosra troop".

The retiring Chief then met the Principal Staff Officers and Heads of various Services at the Army Headquarters. As General Bewoor left South Block, the band struck "Auld Lang Syne".

The officers of the Army Headquarters held a reception last night in honour of General G.G. Bewoor. Lt. Gen. Rawlley presented him a souvenir on behalf of the officers of the Army Headquarters.

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