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Expert emphasizes better tie with Myanmar



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Journalist [\(/taxonomy/term/2160\)](#) and democracy expert Bidhayak Das [\(/taxonomy/term/1926\)](#), who is presently based in Yangon, the former capital of Myanmar [\(/taxonomy/term/2252\)](#), emphasized on better tie with the neighboring country. Delivering a talk on the changing political scenario of Myanmar [\(/taxonomy/term/2252\)](#) at Guwahati Press Club today, the media personality from Assam also expressed hope that the Union government in New Delhi [\(/taxonomy/term/1868\)](#) would play a pro-active role in framing policies to deal [\(/taxonomy/term/1922\)](#) with Indo-Burma issues.

Das (/taxonomy/term/1926) observed that Myanmar (/taxonomy/term/2252) has been adopting a kind of democracy which would be beneficial for the people of northeast India (/taxonomy/term/2367) to get involved with bilateral trade (/taxonomy/term/1790) with the southeast Asian country. He opined that the last general elections held in November 2015 had politically empowered National (/taxonomy/term/1874) League for Democracy chief (/taxonomy/term/2020) Daw Aung San Suu Kyi. Myanmar (/taxonomy/term/2252) was ruled by military generals for decades and Suu Kyi was also put under house arrest (/taxonomy/term/1733). But slowly the country has opened up for the world. Das (/taxonomy/term/1926) commented that Nobel laureate Suu Kyi is respected by almost all communities of Myanmar (/taxonomy/term/2252) and she can definitely help the country to reform for a perfect democracy in near future.



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