

Journos condemn Sudip killing in Tripura



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The Margherita [Journalists](#) Association [President](#) Ram Prasad Ambedkar and General Secretary Rana Jyoti [Neog](#) have condemned the death Sudipta Dutta Bhowmick [Journalist](#) of [Tripura](#) by TSR jawan on Wednesday. Ram Prasad Ambedkar and Rana Jyoti [Neog](#) said that Manik Sarkar Chief Minister of [Tripura](#) have failed to control law and order situation which within two months two [Journalists](#) were brutally killed which we demand that the culprit must be arrested and strict punishment should be given to them. In the last one year at our country 10 [Journalists](#) were merciless killed by perpetrators they are Gauri Lankesh, Sudipta Dutta Bhowmick, Hari Prakash, Brajesh Kumar Singh, Shyam Sharma, Kamlesh Jain, Subinder Singh Rana, Santanu Bhowmick, JJ Singh and Rajesh Mishra where at Assam in the last one and half decades 32 [Journalists](#) were brutally killed but till nobody has been arrested which we demand a CBI enquiry should be conducted and those who are present working [Journalists](#) have also have [fear](#) of there life which we demand to the Central Government to constitute a strict law against the killing of [Journalists](#) at our country said Ram Prasad Ambedkar and Rana Jyoti [Neog](#).

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KOKRAJHAR, October 9, 2026 — The BTR Co-ordination Committee of Tribal Organizations staged a three-hour sit-in protest at the Kokrajhar Government HS and MP School playground on Thursday, demanding stronger protection of tribal land rights and enforcement of existing legal safeguards in the Bodoland Territorial Region (BTR).

Following the protest, the organisations submitted a memorandum to BTC Chief Hagrama Mohilary and Assam Chief Minister Himanta Biswa Sarma through the Kokrajhar district commissioner, outlining their demands.

Holding placards, the protesters demanded immediate protection of tribal land rights, enforcement of Chapter X of the Assam Land and Revenue Regulation, 1886, and eviction of encroachers from Tribal Belts and Blocks in the BTR.

They also called for implementation of the Forest Rights Act, 2006, waiver of land premiums for tribals in the BTR, and effective protection of notified Tribal Belts and Blocks in the region.

Representatives and members of several tribal organisations participated in the protest, including the BTR Coordination Committee of Tribal Sangha, Bodo Sahitya Sabha, All Bodo Students Union (ABSU), All Rabha Students' Union, All Hajong Students' Union, All Garo Students' Union and Rabha Sahitya Sabha.

A protester said the state must take decisive steps to protect Tribal Belts and Blocks, reiterating the demand for enforcement of existing land laws and eviction of encroachers from protected areas.

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