

3 more Rangiya rapists held



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The Kamrup(rural) police have arrested three more people on Saturday two days after the along with four others gangraped a woman in Rangiya on Thursday. The trio were arrested after the victim's niece identified them on Saturday. Yet another person is on the run.

The incident took place when the victim along with her husband from Tamulpur were on the way to their relatives' house in the evening. Three persons thrashed the husband and took away the woman to be repeatedly by a gang of seven youths. The couple have been undergoing treatment at the hospital. Police [caught](#) three of the gang hours after the incident while three others were held on Saturday.

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KOKRAJHAR, September 22, 2026 — The All Bodo Students' Union (ABSU) on Tuesday burnt copies of a book titled *Hamkoshar Parishista* during protests held at several locations across Assam, including Gauhati University, objecting to what it described as the use of the Assamese script to represent the Bodo language.

Hamkoshar Parishista is a multilingual appendix containing learning resources for indigenous languages of Assam, including Bodo, Rabha, Mising and Karbi.

During the protests, ABSU members alleged that Bodo has been represented in the publication using the Assamese script instead of Devanagari, the script used for Bodo.

The organisation asserted that Bodo is recognised under the Eighth Schedule of the Constitution of India and is an Associate Official Language of Assam. ABSU demanded that Bodo be represented in its recognised script in educational and learning resources.

ABSU president Khwrmmdao Wary said the use of the Assamese script to represent Bodo in the publication was disrespectful to the Bodo language and literature.

He said Bodo is an Associate Official Language of Assam and a language recognised under the Eighth Schedule of the Constitution.

Wary demanded the immediate withdrawal of the publication in its present form and called for the use of the Devanagari script for Bodo in the book.



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