

Arunachal BJP hits back at Cong



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Amid [Congress](#)-BJP blamegame [over](#) the refugee issue BJP has accused the ruling party of resorting to partisan politics. In a statement, BJP said they the [Congress](#) leadership should apprise the [state Congress](#) men of the historical truths behind the issue.

According to BJP, the blunder was made by Nehru by accepting the Buddhist majority Chittagong Hill Tracks to be part of [Bangladesh](#) which was created for [Muslims](#). “The religious persecution by Muslim fundamentalists forced the Chakmas and Hajongs to migrate to [India](#). Then they were allowed to settle in NEFA

(now [Arunachal](#) Pradesh). In 1972 Indira [Gandhi](#) entered into an agreement with Sheikh Mujibur Rehman the then Prime Minister of [Bangladesh](#) and decided to [grant citizenship](#) under Sec. 5(i)a of citizenship act,” said the party. BJP observed that the [Congress](#) has again got wrong facts [as](#) there was [Congress](#) government at Centre when on 9th January, 1996 a major judgement was delivered by Supreme Court directing that the application for [citizenship](#) for Chakmas and Hajongs should be looked into and provide full protection to Chakmas and Hajongs by State and Centre.

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