

Assam bandh meets partial response



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Normal life in many parts of Assam remains completely paralyzed on Tuesday when an Ahom organization enforced a 12 hour [bandh](#) opposing the move to auction 12 oil fields. The [bandh](#) mainly disrupted [normal](#) life in the upper Assam districts where schools and colleges, shops and markets, banks and offices refused to open.

Roads in these parts wore a desert look [as](#) all vehicles stopped plying from [6](#) in the morning. Bandh supporters in some places tried to enforced the call by burning tyre on the [roads](#).

The [bandh](#) which is set to end towards the evening, however, had hardly an impact in the lower Assam district apart from the [Barak](#) valley districts. The Ahom organization gave the [bandh](#) call to oppose the move to auction 12 lucrative oil fields. They said that they would never allow it to happen.

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NAZIRA, September 27, 2026 — Tension continues to prevail in Nazira, particularly in the Santak-Bihubar area, following the killing of Biman Barua, president of the Rangajan Yuva Samaj and a youth social worker, on September 18 under Bihubar Police Station.

Following the killing, local residents have been demanding stringent punishment for the alleged masterminds, Ravindra Singh alias Vicky Singh and Rubul Khan, besides seeking demolition of Vicky Singh's residence.

Meanwhile, Sivasagar district police have taken Vicky Singh and Rubul Khan into custody and are questioning them at the district headquarters police station in connection with the murder case and allegations of drug-related activities.

According to police sources, the two allegedly told investigators during questioning that drugs were brought from Dimapur and Nagaland and stored at the residence of Vicky Singh's sister in Nazira town. The drugs were allegedly supplied from the house to users in different parts of Nazira and Sivasagar.

Based on the information allegedly obtained during the questioning, a joint team of Bihubar Police and Nazira Model Police Station conducted a raid at the residence of Vicky Singh's sister, Rinki Singh Bora, in Ward No. 6 of Nazira town on Saturday morning.

Police detained Rinki Singh Bora and are reportedly questioning her in connection with the alleged storage and distribution of drugs.

The investigation into the murder of Biman Barua and the alleged drug network is continuing.

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