

## Congress to field candidates



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The [Congress](#) said that it will put own candidates and majority winning is cent percent clear in the ensuing BTC council election scheduled to be held by April next.

Apurba Kumar Bhattacharya, spokesman of APCC addressing the reporters today at [Congress](#) office in Kokrajhar said that his party is contesting in all 40 seats of the council and still have no alliance with parties. He said that party has been geraing up its party position in the region. He said that peoples of the region will vote for [Congress](#) to meeting change of society and its development.

He told that his party will provide equal development and distribution maong all sections of society. He said that peoples of the region could not get proper development and unity in the region in the last decade ruled by BPF party as peoples wanted more sustan of development.

He has urged the peoples of the region vote for [Congress](#) and make sustaining of development and progress in all respects of spirits. He said that [Congress](#) is organising a grand rally at Kokrajhar on March 18 where Chief Minister Traun Gogoi, APCC President Anjan Dutta will garce the rally.

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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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