

Das leaves BJP red-faced!



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Senior BJP [leaders](#) are believed to have decided to initiate action [against](#) Dimbeswar [Das](#) for allowing a junior engineer to tender apology by touching hi feet in Raha on Thursday.

The BJP [leaders](#) who discussed the [controversy](#) at a meeting n Guwahati agreed that the party is not part of it and blamed it all on the Raha MLA saying that the legislators are on the service of the people.

State unit president Ranjit [Das](#) also gave hint of an action [against Das](#) charging him with belittling the party image.

[Das](#) drew huge flak from inside and outside the party and the government on Friday a day after the social media showed a junior engineer touching his feet tendering an apology for a verbal duel with the [driver over](#) a parking problem.

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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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