

## Ex-AASU leaders unlikely to join BJP



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The Centre's move on non Muslim Bangladeshi and Pakistani refugees have made it difficult for two top former AASU [leaders](#) to join BJP.

Sources told Assam Times Tapan Kumar Gogoi and [Sankar](#) Prasad [Roy](#) who are slated to join the saffron party on Wednesday are contemplating to step back.

"How they will join BJP after the party wants to keep the non Muslim Bangladeshi immigrants [as](#) refugees where only Assam will have to bear the brunt?" said an AASU [leader](#) who are all out [against](#) the move.

"Gogoi and Ray are disappointed with the Centre's decision. They are in touch with the [state](#) leadership. But nothing has come out," said the AASU [leader](#) to refused to be named.

Another AASU [leader](#) told Assam Times that the former AASU [leaders](#) are sure of their damaging poll prospect forcing to step back. "What they would do now? They cannot oppose the NDA government's move. They can't buy the idea of allowing any Hindu, Buddhist, Christian Bangladeshis to stay in Assam [as](#) refugees."

The decision to join BJP was cleared hardly a week before the Centre decided to allow the non Muslim Bangladeshi and Pakistanis to stay in the country [as](#) refugees without any valid documents which will encourage the [influx](#) from across the border.

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