

Flood fury deteriorates further



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Assam flood scene deteriorates further on Wednesday where the water levels of the [Brahmaputra](#) and its tributaries have refused to recede. According to the government sources, the current flood wave have affected more than 13 lakh people in 19 district where most of the people have been rendered homeless. But the real figure is believed to have reached 20 lakh till Wednesday [as](#) more and more areas have come under the surging [waters](#).

The worst-hit districts include Lakhimpur, Dhemaji, Majuli, Jorhat, Sonitpur, Barpeta, Goalpara, Golaghat, Morogaon and Kamrup where army personnel have been carrying out relief and rescue operation. In [Morigaon](#) district alone, three people died whole at least 5 people have been remaining traceless. Two other deaths have been reported from Sivasagar and Lakhimpur.

[As](#) many [as](#) 80 relief [camps](#) have been operating in the affected districts where the government has been supplying potable water, rice, dal.

Medicines are also being supplied for the flood affected people who have been taking shelter for the last couple of days.

Chief Minister Sarbananda Sonowal who has been regularly reviewing the overall situation from Dispur has asked the district civil and police authorities to take stock of the situation and to ensure sufficient relief materials for the people.

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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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