

PDS kerosene floods open market



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At a time when poor people have been making long queue for a drop of [kerosene](#) in front of the shops, a section of black marketers has been making [money](#) in [Nazira](#).

The shops, mostly, refuse to sell [kerosene](#) citing scarcity. But the [kerosene](#) meant for PDS have been flooding the open market.

Local residents in [Nazira](#) told [Assam](#) Times that aided and abetted by a section of food and civil supply department officials, the black marketers have been making [money](#) by selling PDS [kerosene](#) in the open market.

Despite repeated complaints, [police](#) and civil supply department have been failing to deal with the black marketers who have been remaining for quite a couple of years.

Open selling of PDS [kerosene](#) are a regular feature in [Nazira College](#) Tini Ali, ,Bortal, Mackeypore and Kopohuwa Gaon.

A section of dishonest businessmen often sell [kerosene](#) blending cheap diesel and chemicals.

The admiration recently [seized](#) a huge quantity of un authorised [kerosene](#) from a black marketer at Bortal. But the others have been running this [illegal](#) trade without any hindrance.

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