

Treat all immigrants alike



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The Silapothar clash suggests, beyond [doubt](#), a sharp fall in the dominance of the [indigenous](#) people and if the disturbing [trend](#) is allowed to continue the [Assamese ad](#) a nation would be reduced to minority by 2040.

This was more or less of what Upamanyu [Hazarika](#) said when he reacted to the Monday's incident in Silapothar where some goons after holding a rally [against](#) the D voter tag vandalized a local AASU office in the evening.

Talking to reporters in Delhi on Tuesday, the Prabojon Vurodhi Manch convener said these incidents would take place at regular intervals.

[Hazarika](#) said granting [citizenship](#) to the immigrants is a gross injustice to the [indigenous](#) people which is not allowed anywhere in the country. [Hazarika](#), further, suspected a conspiracy behind the clash to keep the [state](#) on the [boil](#).

According to him, had the government taken steps to treat the Hindu and [Muslim](#) immigrants alike, the clash could have been averted.

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