

# 4 Assam Left Parties To Support No-Trust Motion P2

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Three left political parties—CPM, CPI, RSP and also Janata (S) in Assam are understood to have arrived at a consensus today that "the Barboru Ministry as its stands cannot be supported if the question of expressing confidence on it comes on the floor of the House".

The representatives of the parties who met here today for the third round of discussion on the current "Ministerial crisis" in the State are stated to have expressed their 'firm opinion' that 'under no circumstances they will extend support to any party or force which has got truck with either authoritarian or communal forces'.

The representative of the RCPI also took part in the discussion, but they would take a decision of their own after reviewing the position in its meeting to be held on September 2. Two other left political parties—SUCI and CPML did not take part in the discussion.

The parties were represented by Sri Promode Gogoi (CPI), Sri Nandeswar Talukdar (CMP), Sri Banerwar Saikia (RCPI), Sri Golam Osmani (Janata-S) and Sri Paresh Baruah (RSP). While the RSP has no representative in the State Assembly, the representation of the other four parties in the House is as follows—CPM—11, CPI—six, RCPI—four and Janata (S)—4.

Meanwhile, Sri Biswa Goswami, General Secretary of the Janata Party, Assam expressed the hope that left parties "in the State would continue to extend their cooperation and support to the Janata Government to fight the deep conspiracy of the vested interests and reactionary forces". Sri Goswami, in a statement issued here today said that "uptill now the Janata Government has been enjoying the cooperation and support of the left parties and nothing has happened to warrant any

revision of their attitude towards the Janata Government".

Sri Goswami further said that the "RSS is a non-issue in Assam and if it was raised new, then it should be understood that "it is only a plea to topple the Janata Government".

The statement said that the Janata Government in Assam took a number of bold decisions to safeguard the interests of Assam in respect of among others, deportation of foreign nationals, abolition of monopoly in liquor business and nationalisation of tea gardens and ply-wood industries to stop colonial exploitation of the State. "It is because of this that big business, vested interests and other enemies of the State have combined and have become up and doing to topple the Janata Government". The Congress which was severely mauled in the last election, has taken this opportunity to come to power from the back door" The defectors have become tools in their hands only, he said adding that the left parties in the State should consider all these aspects of the situation before deciding their course of action".

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