GU English Department organises the 5th Homen Borgohain Memorial Lecture



The Assam Rising, Guwahati, October 29 : The Department of English, Gauhati University, organised the 5th Homen Borgohain Memorial Lecture on 29 October 2026. Prof. Abani Kumar Bhagabati delivered the keynote lecture, "The Brahmaputra Valley, Assam: Environment, Society and Culture", focusing on the Brahmaputra Valley's unique societal, environmental, and cultural significance. Prof. Nani Gopal Mahanta, Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, GU, inaugurated the memorial lecture as the chief guest, with Dr. Samudra Gupta Kashyap, the eminent journalist, author, and Chancellor of Nagaland University, as the Guest of Honour, who was conferred the 5th Homen Borgohain Memorial Award.Prof. Lalan Kishore Singh, Head of the Department of English, GU, gave the introductory speech on Homen Borgohain's life and contributions, followed by the ceremonial lighting of the lamp. Recalling his interactions with Borgohain, Professor Nani Gopal Mahanta noted that Borgohain had written to several people, including Prof. Mahanta himself, encouraging them to contribute articles to newspapers. He described Borgohain's aspiration to be a good teacher, journalist, and prose writer, and his commitment to preserving Assamese prose literature. Prof. Mahanta also discussed Borgohain's concerns about the declining quality of Assamese prose in contemporary literature.Dr. Samudra Gupta Kashyap, Chancellor of Nagaland University, stressed Homen Borgohain's commitment to honest journalism and his insistence on maintaining a clear distinction between facts and opinions. He expressed concern about declining journalism quality and the erosion of public trust in the media. Describing the media as society's watchdog, he stressed that journalism must accurately reflect society's realities.Prof. Abani Kumar Bhagabati's keynote lecture explored the Brahmaputra Valley's geography, ecology, and cultural significance. Reflecting on his background, Bhagabati spoke about his early struggles with English and his journey to express himself through a mix of regional Assamese and English. He remarked, "If there can be Indian English, there can be Kamrupiya English as well," underscoring the importance of linguistic identity and confidence.Referring to riverine landscapes such as the Charikoria River and Mohghuli Chapori, Prof. Bhagabati discussed the significance of the Brahmaputra and its surrounding landscapes in Borgohain's writings. He expressed concern over the decline of aquatic life, including Gangetic River dolphins and fish once abundant in the Brahmaputra. He also highlighted Gauhati University's ecological diversity, describing the campus as a miniature representation of the Brahmaputra Valley, home to diverse birdlife and other species.He also addressed the conflict between humans and nature, referring to the islands of Majuli and Hatiya, where inhabitants struggle against natural forces for survival. He discussed traditional housing models developed by indigenous communities in Assam, including the Bodo, Karbi, and Mising, to withstand natural calamities and adapt to their environments. Reflecting on recent floods in Assam, Prof. Bhagabati urged greater attention to the region's local riverine ecology. Although the lecture ended on a hopeful note, questions about recurring floods, riverbank erosion, elephant deaths, and the gradual depletion of biodiversity remained open, inviting further reflection on the future of the Brahmaputra Valley.The programme concluded with remarks made by Prof. Pradipta Borgohain, son of Homen Borgohain, who reflected on his parents' English education and his father's extensive reading habits. He also expressed concern over the declining culture of reading and emphasised the need to preserve the intellectual and literary traditions that risk falling into oblivion.

Lai-khuta laid for Chapar Dakshineswari Kali Puja? Preparation in full Swing

The Assam Rising, Chapar, October 29 : Today the Lai-khuta (auspicious pole) was laid for the Dakshineswari Kali Puja of Chapar in Dhubri district, which is scheduled to be held from 8th November with a three-day long programme. In the presence of numerous local devotees, Executive Officer of Chapar Municipality Asif Ali Khan formally laid this Lai-khuta amidst auspicious sounds of conch, bell, ululation etc. Before this, Chapar Municipality Chairperson Nirupama Das lit a lamp at the Maa Kali temple. Present on this auspicious occasion were Chapar Municipality Vice-Chairman Dhananjay Medhi, Bilasipara District Committee President of BJP Devajit Barkalita, social worker Hemen Das, Puja Committee President Jowala Prasad Mallah, social workers Abhijit Nag, Ujjwal Guha, former Ward Member Lalita Mallah, Ajay Mandal, Rajkumar Mallah Samir Ali and other distinguished persons. At this function, anchored by Dakshineswari Kali Puja Committee Secretary Tilak Chandra Prasad, distinguished persons were felicitated with Phulam Gamosa. It is noteworthy that from 8th November to 10th November, programmes like Puja-Archana, Pushpanjali offering, drawing competition, Naam-Kirtan, Ucharga, Aarti etc. will be held. Already, to conduct this historic Dakshineswari Kali Puja smoothly, a powerful Puja Management Committee has been



formed with retired teacher Jowala Prasad Mallah as President and journalist Tilak Chandra Prasad as Secretary.

Day-long Workshop held at Nagaon University

The Assam Rising, Nagaon, Oct 29 : A two-day special workshop on "Spanning Documentary Production, Cinematic Filmmaking and Performance Acting" organized by the Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) of Nagaon University concluded. The workshop, held at the Lakshminath Bezbaroa Auditorium of Nagaon University, was graced by eminent film director Jahnu Barua, recipient of both Padma Shri and Padma Bhushan honours, as the resource person. Inaugurating the programme, Vice-Chancellor of Nagaon University, Dr Hitesh Deka, delivered the welcome address and highlighted the significance of the workshop. He extended his best wishes to all the participants. During the two-day session, Jahnu Barua, one of the most distinguished personalities of Indian cinema, shared his long experience and knowledge related to filmmaking. He imparted both practical and theoretical knowledge on various aspects of documentary making, film direction and acting to the participants. He threw light on the artistic and technical aspects of cinema, including planning of documentary production, storytelling, shooting techniques, cinematic



language and the art of expression in acting, which made the workshop especially meaningful. In the present time, when the importance of cinema and audio-visual media is growing, such a workshop is expected to provide students, researchers and film enthusiasts an opportunity to develop their creative talent. It is also hoped that the workshop will provide a new perspective on meaningful expression of society, culture and human emotions through cinema.

108th Birth Anniversary of Pulin Das and Memorial Lecture on Nov.1

The Assam Rising, Guwahati, October 29 : 108th Birth Anniversary of sports personality, organiser and sports journalist Kriramohiruh Pulin Das will be observed along with the Pulin Das Memorial Lecture at India Club, Guwahati on November 1, 2026 at 4.00 PM. The event is being organised by the Pulin Das Memorial Committee. Former renowned international shuttler Mallika Barua Sarma will grace the occasion as the Chief Guest and she will deliver the Pulin Das Memorial Lecture on the topic "The Changing Face of Indian Sports" while eminent senior shuttler Pradip Chaliha will be present as Guest-of-Honour. On behalf of the Pulin Das Memorial Committee, its Secretary Kalyan Kumar Das appealed to sports and cultural enthusiastic to attend the function and make it a success.

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APPENDIX – IV
{Rule-8(1)}
POSSESSION NOTICE (For Immovable Property)

Whereas,
The undersigned being the Authorized Officer of the **Indian Bank, Tezpur Bazar Branch (under Guwahati Zonal Office)** under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 (54 of 2002) and in exercise of the powers conferred under Section 13 (12) read with [rule 3] of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a demand notice dated **10-08-2026** calling upon **(1) M/s. Apurba Enterprise** (Proprietor- Mrs. Tapashi Das), at: Masjid Road, Tezpur, Sonitpur, PIN- 784001, Assam, **(2) M/s. Das Electricals** (Proprietor- Late Sanjib Das), at: Masjid Road, Tezpur, Sonitpur, PIN- 784001, Assam, **(3) Mrs. Tapashi Das** (Proprietor of M/s. Apurba Enterprise & Guarantor of M/s. Das Electricals & Legal Heir of Late Sanjib Das), W/o Late Sanjib Das, at: Kumar Gaon, Tezpur, Near Guru Nanok Model School, Sonitpur, Tezpur, PIN- 784001, Assam, **(4) "To the estate of the deceased Late Sanjib Das,** S/o Late Prafulla Chandra Das- Proprietor & Mortgagor of Das Electricals, Guarantor & Mortgagor of M/s. Apurba Enterprise, represented by legal heir Sri Ayush Das, S/o Late Sanjib Das at Kumar Gaon, Tezpur, Near Guru Nanok Model School, Sonitpur, Tezpur, PIN- 784001, Assam, **(5) To the all known and unknown legal heirs of Late Sanjib Das,** S/o Late Prafulla Chandra Das- Proprietor & Mortgagor of Das Electricals, Guarantor & Mortgagor of M/s. Apurba Enterprise with our **Tezpur Bazar Branch** to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs. 45,19,990.00 (Rupees Forty Five Lakh Nineteen Thousand Nine Hundred and Ninety only)** as on **09-08-2026** and further interest within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him/her under Section 13 (4) of the said Act read with rule 8 and 9 of the said rules on this **28th day of October of the Year 2026.**

The Borrower in particular and the public in general is hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of the Indian Bank for an amount of **Rs. 45,19,990.00 (Rupees Forty Five Lakh Nineteen Thousand Nine Hundred and Ninety only)** as on **09-08-2026** and interest thereon.

The Borrower's attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY
All that part and parcel of land and building situated at Mouza- Mahabhairab, land measuring 5 Lechas covered by Dag No. 1235 of P.P. No. 270 of 2nd Part of Tezpur Town, Dist.- Sonitpur, Assam, vide Gift Deed No. 1908 dated 21.09.2005, registered before the Sub-Registry Office Tezpur, Sonitpur, property stands in the name of **Late Sanjib Das (S/o Late Prafulla Chandra Das). Boundary of the Property (As per Gift Deed):- North-** Sri Biren Das, **South-** Sri Gopal Das, **East-** Jhantu Das, **West-** Ishak Ali.

Date: 28-10-2026 **Authorised Officer**
Place: Tezpur **Indian Bank**

Cholamandalam investment and Finance Company Limited
"Chola Crest", C54-55 & Super B-4, Thiru-Vi-Ka Industrial Estate,Guindy, Chennai - 600032.
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E-auction Sale Notice for the Sale of Immovable Assets under Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002, r/w rule 8(6) of Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002. (Rule 8 & 9)

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrowers, Co borrowers and Guarantors that the below described immovable properties mortgaged to the secured creditor, the Symbolic possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of Cholamandalam Investment and Finance Company Limited, the same shall be referred herein after as Cholamandalam Investment and Finance Company Limited. The Secured Assets will be sold on "AS IS WHERE IS" "AS IS WHAT IS, and "WHATEVER THERE IS" basis through E-Auction. It is hereby informed to General public that we are going to conduct public E-Auction through website. The secured asset will be sold to one of the intending purchasers who offer the highest bid/purchase price, which shall not be less than the Reserve Price.

Sl. No.	[A] LOAN ACCOUNT NO. AND NAME OF BORROWER(S)/CO- BORROWER,(S) /MORTGAGOR(S)	[B] O/s. DUES TO BE RECOVERED (SECURED Debts)	[C] DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY/ SECURED ASSETS	[D] TYPE POSSESSION	[E] / [F] RESERVE PRICE (IN `) / EARNEST MONEY DEPOSIT (IN `)	[G] DATE OF AUCTION & TIME
1.	**Loan Account No. - TL01GUI0000063779.** **1. M/s. Maa Cloth Stores, (Borrower) Prop- Zaidul Islam.** Palhazi Bazar, PO- Palhazi, PS- Barpeta, Assam, Pin- 781309. **2.Mr. Zaidul Islam (Co Borrower)** C/o, Komar Uddin. Vill- Damaljar, PO- Palhazi, Barpeta, Damaljar, Assam, Pin- 781309. **3. Mrs. Helmina Sultana, (Co Borrower)** C/o, Saheb Ali, Damaljar, Barpeta, Assam, Pin- 781309.	**Rs. 79,18,041/- [Rupees Seventy-Nine Lakhs Eighteen Thousand Forty-One Only] as on 05.06.2026** together with further interest, charges and costs thereon till the date of payment.	ALL THAT Piece and Parcel of Land measuring measuring an area of 2 Kathas more or less in Mouza- Nagaon, Myadi Patta No- 267, Plot No- 608, Vill- Damaljar, Revenue Circle- Barpeta, PS- Barpeta, Dist- Barpeta, Assam. The property butted and bounded as follows: By North: Bachatan Nesa, By South: Govt Road, By East: Abdul Hossain, Gong, By West: Talebar, Gong.	Symbolic	**Rs. 1,05,00,000/-** **Rs. 10,50,000/-**	**05.12.2026- 11 AM to 12 PM (with unlimited extension of 3 mins each)**
2.	**Loan Account No. - TL01GUI0000064993.** **1. M/s. A V Corner, (Borrower)** Six Mile, Chanchal Road, Near IDBI Bank, Kamrup Metro, Guwahati, Assam, Pin- 781022. **2. Mr. Nurul Ali (Co Borrower) S/o, Mainul Haque.** 42, Tribeni Path, Chandan Nagar, Khanapara, Kamrup Metro, Assam, Pin- 781022. **3. Mrs. Zaida Begum, (Co Borrower) C/o, Babul Ali,** H. No- 42, VIP Road, Six Mile, Chandan Nagar, Khanapara, Kamrup Metro, Assam, Pin- 781022.	**Rs. 22,12,098/- [Rupees Twenty-Two Lakhs Twelve Thousand and Ninety-Eight Only] as on 16.06.2026** together with further interest, charges and costs thereon till the date of payment.	ALL THAT Piece and Parcel of Land measuring measuring an area of 1 Katha and 10 Lechas more or less in Mouza- Paschim Dalgaon, Vill- Dalgaon Khuti, Circle- Dalgaon, Sub-Division- Mangaldoi, Patta No- 308 (Old) and 401 (New), Plot No- 541, Dist- Darrang, PS- Dalgaon, Assam. The property butted and bounded as follows: By North: Rafikul Islam, By South: Hunufa Begum, By East: Firuza Begum, By West: Village Road.	Symbolic	**Rs. 22,30,000/-** **Rs. 2,23,000/-**	**05.12.2026- 11 AM to 12 PM (with unlimited extension of 3 mins each)**

1) INSPECTION DATE: - As per the appointment
2) MINIMUM BID INCREMENT AMOUNT :- Rs.1,00,000/-.
3) LAST DATE OF SUBMISSION OF BID / EMD / REQUEST LETTER FOR PARTICIPATION IS : 04.12.2026

1. All Interested participants / bidders are requested to visit the website https://bankauctions.in **www.foreclosureindia.com.** For details: help, procedure and online training on e-auction, prospective bidders may contact **Mr. Jayanta Kar- Ph: 9830005250 & Mr. Sunil Kumar Thakur - Ph: 9864563439**
2. For further details on terms and conditions please visit:- **https://bankauctions.in/ & https://cholamandalam.com/ news/auction-notices** to take part in e-auction or contact **Mr. Jayanta Kar- Ph: 9830005250 & Mr. Sunil Kumar Thakur - Ph: 9864563439**

THIS IS ALSO A STATUTORY 30 DAYS SALE NOTICE UNDER RULE 8(6) RULE 8 & 9 AND OF SECURITY INTEREST (ENFORCEMENT) RULES, 2002

Date: 30-10-2026 **Authorised Officer**
Place: Barpeta & Darrang, Guwahati. **Cholamandalam investment and Finance Company Limited.**

केनरा बैंक Canara Bank — सिंडिकेट Syndicate

SALE NOTICE

UDALGURI BRANCH
Golma Road, Udalguri, PIN- 784509, Assam
Email: cb7285@canarabank.com

Auction Sale Notice For Sale of movable Properties under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rules 8(6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower(s) and Guarantor(s) that the below described movable property charged to the Secured Creditor by way of hypothecation, the constructive/ Seizure and possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of the Canara Bank will be sold on "**As is where is**" and "**Whatever there is**" on **04-12-2026** for recovery of dues to the following Branch of Canara Bank from Borrower & Guarantor provided hereinafter.

The Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) shall be deposited on or before **03-12-2026 at 4.00 pm** as mode of payment by Demand Draft / RTGS/ NEFT.

The auction will be **"Offline Auctioning"** through manual mode to be held at **Canara Bank, Udalguri Branch, Golma Road, Udalguri, PIN- 784509, Assam, Contact No. 7099026231**

Date and time of Auction: 04-12-2026 between 11:00 AM to 01:00 PM

(With unlimited extension of 5 minutes duration each till the conclusion of the sale).

Details of branch, borrower/guarantor, liability, description of the property and EMD, reserve price:

Sr. No.	(A) Name & Address of the Secured Creditor (B) Name of the Borrower	Brief Description of the Vehicle 1. Make and year 2. Model 3. Regn. No. 4. Purchase Price	1. Total Liability 2. Total Book Liability 3. Reserve Price recommended by Branch 4. Section Recommendation 5. Earnest Money Deposit Required 6. Incremental Amount
1.	**(A) Canara Bank, Udalguri Branch (7285),** Golma Road, Udalguri, PIN- 784509, Assam, **Contact No. 7099026231** **(B) Borrower: NAHUM SOREN**	1. TATA, 2023 2. PUNCH ADV 1.2 P MT RT BS6 PH2 3. AS-27 F-9838 4. Rs. 9,11,622/-	**1. Rs. 5,68,339.92 2. Rs. 5,54,037.92 3. Rs. 4,50,000/- 4. Rs. 4,50,000/- 5. Rs. 45,000/- 6. Rs. 5,000/-**

For detailed terms and conditions of the sale please refer to above address or contact the Branch Manager of respective Branch, during office hours on any working day.

Date: 29-10.2026, Place: Tezpur **Authorised Officer, CANARA BANK**

केनरा बैंक Canara Bank — सिंडिकेट Syndicate

SALE NOTICE

SPLSD ASSET RECOVERY MANAGEMENT BRANCH
2nd Floor, Dee Bee Grande, 6 Mile, Panjabari Road, Guwahati- 781022, E-mail- cb7259@canarabank.com

E-auction Sale Notice For Sale of Immovable Properties under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 read with proviso to Rules 8(6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower(s) and Guarantor(s) that the below described Immovable properties mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the constructive/ physical possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of the Canara Bank, will be sold on "**As is where is**" and "**Whatever there is**" on **13.11.2026** for recovery of dues to the following Branch of Canara Bank from Borrowers & Guarantors provided hereinafter. The Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) shall be deposited on or before **13.11.2026 at 11.00 am.** The auction will be **"Online E-auctioning"** through website: **https://baanknet.com/. Date and time of Auction: 13.11.2026 between 11:00 AM to 01:00 PM** (With unlimited extension of 5 minutes duration each till the conclusion of the sale). Details of branch, borrowers/guarantors, liabilities, description of the properties and EMD, reserve price:

Sl. No.	(A) Name & Address of Secured Creditor/ Branch (B) Name of Borrower/Partner/ Guarantor	Brief Description of Immovable Property	(A) Total Liabilities (Rs.): (B) Reserve Price (Rs.): (C) EMD (Rs.): (D) Increment Amount (Rs.):
1.	**(A) Canara Bank, Specialised ARM Branch, Guwahati,** 2nd Floor, Dee Bee Grande, Panjabari Road, Six Mile, Guwahati- 781022 **(B) Borrower / Partner / Guarantor :** **1. M/s. Chowdhury Rice Mill (Borrower),** Prop.- Shabnam Ahmed, Vill.- Dhepajan, Morikolong, Near Dhepajan Jame Maszid, Dist.- Nagaon, Assam, PIN- 782003, Mob No.- 9954270664 **2. Shabnam Ahmed (Mortgagor),** W/o Md. Goush Uddin Ahmed, Vill.- Dhepajan, Morikolong, Near Dhepajan Jame Maszid, Dist.- Nagaon, Assam, PIN- 782003, Mob No.- 9954270664	All that plot of land and building measuring 0B- 02K- 08L Covered by Dag No. 1052 of P. P. No. 372 of Kissam-Hatipara, Mouza- Pakhimoria, Sadar Revenue Circle- Nagaon, in the District of Nagaon (Assam) and land is butted and bounded by as follows:- **North:** Gopiram Bora & Others, **South:** Suriya Lal Bora, **East:** Indra Mohan Bora & Others, **West:** PWD Road.	(A) 98.80 Lakh (B) 62.10 Lakh (C) 6.21 Lakh (D) 0.50 Lakh

For detailed terms and conditions of the sale please refer the link "E-Auction" provided in Canara Bank's website **(www.canarabank.com)** or may contact the Branch Head of Specialized ARM Branch, Guwahati, 2nd Floor, Dee Bee Grande, Panjabari Road, Six Mile, Guwahati, PIN- 781022, **Contact No. +91-7411004517** during office hours on any working day.

Date: 29.10.2026, Place: Guwahati **Authorised Officer, CANARA BANK**