

ASSAM LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY
STARRED QUESTION NO: 160
DATE OF REPLY- 15/07/2026

Subject : Baghbar Cattle Market etc.
MLA : Shri Sherman Ali Ahmed :

Will the Minister of Panchayat and Rural Development Deptt. be pleased to state :

- (a) What amount of fund under 14th FC has remained unutilized in Barpeta district? Please furnish GP-wise and scheme-wise details.
- (b) Why the fund is not utilized yet?
- (c) In view of letter no ECF: 731941/17 dated 16-12-2025 and ECF: 731941/19 dated 02-02-2026 issued by the Secretary of P&RD Department to all CEOs to close down the private markets, why Baghbar Cattle Market which is a private cattle market and does not have prior approval from the Government, is allowed to run?
- (d) What amount of revenue Government has lost ab-initio due to such illegally run private cattle market? Please furnish details.
- (e) Is it true that the said Baghbar Cattle Market does not have any registration certificate as per Cattle Preservation Act and hence illegal?
- (f) Will the Government be pleased to fix responsibility on the officers for whom the Government has to suffer such colossal loss of revenue and take punitive measures against them?

REPLY

Shri Atul Bora, Hon'ble Minister, Panchayat & Rural Development will reply:

- a) In Barpeta District, fund of Rs. 3,03,62,305.52/- has remained unutilized under 14th Finance Commission. The GP wise and scheme wise details are enclosed in **Annexure A**.
- b) As per the report received from the Chief Executive Officer, Barpeta Zilla Parishad, the unutilized balance under the 14th Finance Commission (FC) Grant could not be utilized during the 14th FC period due to pending cases before the Hon'ble High Court, land issues and planning related issues (Gaon Panchayat wise issues are enclosed herewith in **Annexure-A**). Subsequently, the Ministry of Panchayati Raj (MoPR) discontinued the provision for uploading 14th FC plans in the eGramSwaraj portal.
In this regard, the matter has been taken up with the Ministry of Panchayati Raj (MoPR) requesting restoration of the provision for uploading Supplementary Plans under the 14th FC in the e Gram Swaraj portal. A copy of the communication is enclosed as **Annexure-B**.
The remaining unutilized funds will be utilized after the Ministry of Panchayati Raj (MoPR) enables the provision for uploading Supplementary Plans in the eGramSwaraj portal.
- c) Vide Govt. letter no ECF: 731941/17 dated 16-12-2025 and ECF: 731941/19 dated 02-02-2026; the Chief Executive Officers of all the Zilla Parishads have been instructed to ensure that all private markets obtain prior approval of the competent authorities in compliance of the Section 107 of the Assam Panchayat (Amendment) Act, 2023.
In this context, it may be stated that the Baghbor Bazar Managing Committee applied before the District Commissioner, Barpeta for registration and issuance of license as per the provisions of the Assam Cattle Preservation Act, 2021 vide representation dated 11.08.2023(**Annexure-C**). The Baghbor Bazar Managing Committee also applied for

Government approval as per Section 107 of the Assam Panchayat (Amendment) Act, 2023 vide their petition dated 11.03.2024(**Annexure-D**).

The petition received from the Baghbar Bazar Managing Committee for prior approval from the Government is under process.

- d) As the Baghbor Bazar Managing Committee has applied for Government approval, the revenue generated from the market would be realized after levying taxes as admissible on the market if the Government considers according such approval.
- e) As on date, the Baghbor Cattle Market does not have a registration certificate as per Assam Cattle Preservation Act, 2021. However, the petition submitted to the Panchayat & Rural Development Department seeking Government approval as per Section 107 of the Assam Panchayat (Amendment) Act, 2023 is under consideration of the Government.
- f) The disputed market is a private market. If the Baghbor Cattle Market is accorded Government approval as per Section 107 of the Assam Panchayat Act, 1994, Government would levy taxes as admissible. However, if any delinquencies are observed on the part of any Government officials thereafter resulting in loss of Government taxes, action will be taken against such erring officials.

(Enclosures have been uploaded in the www.cms.neva.gov.in portal)

Annexure-A

ANNEXURE-A

Sl No	Name of GP	Name of AP	Unutilized fund of Barpeta District under 14th FC			Schemes taken up with Estimated amount	Remarks
			Schematic Balance	Interest Fund	Total		
1	1 No. Suliakata-Kumuria	Chakchaka	-	-	-	NA	
2	2 No. Kamargaon	Chakchaka	-	-	-	NA	
3	3 No. Fehurakhowa	Chakchaka	-	-	-	NA	
4	4 No. Niz Chakabaushi	Chakchaka	-	-	-	NA	
5	5 No. Puthimari	Chakchaka	-	-	-	NA	
6	6 No. Madulijhar	Chakchaka	-	-	-	NA	
7	7 No. Nichuka	Chakchaka	-	-	-	NA	
8	Mahchara GP	Chenga	5,319.00	7,32,018.00	7,37,337.00	Const of Boundary wall Dangipara Primary school at Kashimpur	The proposal for utilization of the interest amount is proposed to be placed before the District Planning Committee (DPC) shortly for approval
	Mahchara GP	Chenga				Const of Boundary wall 349 No Shikkaripara Primary School at Mahchara Nc	The proposal for utilization of the interest amount is proposed to be placed before the District Planning Committee (DPC) shortly for approval
	Mahchara GP	Chenga				Const. Boundary Wall Mahchara Uttar Suba LPS at Mahchara	The proposal for utilization of the interest amount is proposed to be placed before the District Planning Committee (DPC) shortly for approval
	Bhatnapaity GP	Chenga				Const. Of 2 Nos. Addl. Classroom at 1404 No Mahishkhoti . LPS W/6 (Each room Size: 25x18 Ft alongwith 6Ft Verandah	
	Bhatnapaity GP	Chenga				Const. Of 1 Model Library alongwith Books and furniture at Bhatnapaity Model High School complex W/S	

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9	Bhatnapaity GP	Chenga	1,01,00,746.00	33,94,928.00	1,34,95,674.00	Const. Of Vill. Road with sand gravel st. From Rustam Munshi house to Azizul Hoque house W/8	The plans were initially proposed during the 14th Finance Commission (FC) period and placed before the DLAMC (District Level Advisory Cum Monitoring Committee Meeting). However, as the proposals were found to be inconsistent with the prescribed guidelines, they were revised for fresh approval. Before the revised plans could be prepared and uploaded, the Ministry of Panchayati Raj (MoPR) discontinued the provision for uploading 14th FC plans in the eGramSwaraj portal.
	Bhatnapaity GP	Chenga				Pro-siltation measures at Uttar pub Sukhowarjhar W/4	
	Bhatnapaity GP	Chenga				Const. Of Boundary Wall at Sukhowarjhar Eidgah near Hatem Ali house W/1	
	Bhatnapaity GP	Chenga				Const. Of Zubeen Garg Ranga Mancha at Sukhowarjhar MES complex W/3	
	Bhatnapaity GP	Chenga				Const. Of Boundary Wall at Paschim Bhatnapaity Eidgah near Bannat Ali house W/9	
	Bhatnapaity GP	Chenga				Const. Of 1 Model Library cum conference Hall along with books and furniture near Bhatnapaity Purana Basti LPS W/7	
	Bhatnapaity GP	Chenga				Const. Of Community Toilet with running water facility at Madhya Bhatnapaity near Abdul Karim hosue W/7	
	Bhatnapaity GP	Chenga				Const. Of Community Toilet at Bhatnapaity Madhya Char near Hanif Ali house W/7	
	Bhatnapaity GP	Chenga				Const. Of Community cum conference at Bhatnapaity Tinkonia Bazar W/10	
	Bhatnapaity GP	Chenga				Const. Of Building at 78 No. Sukhowarjhar NC 1 AWC W/2	
	Bhatnapaity GP	Chenga				Administrative Expenditure 5%	
	Bhatnapaity GP	Chenga				Installation of Solar Street Light at 84 No. Bhatnapaity GP area	
	Bhatnapaity GP	Chenga					
10	Baghmara Char GP	Chenga	-	1,96,242.00	1,96,242.00	Construction of water supply and furniture for girls common room of Baghmara char SS School	The proposal for utilization of the interest amount is proposed to be placed before the District Planning Committee (DPC) shortly for approval

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11	Kachumara GP	Chenga	-	3,41,790.00	3,41,790.00	Construction of Boundary wall 1808 Nayapara LPS	The proposal for utilization of the interest amount is proposed to be placed before the District Planning Committee (DPC) shortly for approval
12	Kadamtala GP	Chenga	-	1,526.00	1,526.00		
13	Ramapara Dharmapur	Chenga	-	2,215.00	2,215.00		
14	Uzirarchar	Chenga	-	16,312.00	16,312.00		
15	Kholabandha	Chenga	-	15,026.00	15,026.00		
16	Alopati Majarchar	Chenga	-	4,574.00	4,574.00		
17	Haldia Tengagaon	Ghilajhari-Rupsi	3,62,908.00	62,092.00	4,25,000.00	Infrastructure Development of Haldhia Tengagaon Office E/A-425000	Public Complain and issue with the land and president's term was over.
18	Ghilajhari	Ghilajhari-Rupsi	-	-	-		
19	Kumullipara-Khandakarpura	Ghilajhari-Rupsi	-	-	-		
20	Majgaon	Ghilajhari-Rupsi	-	2,500.00	2,500.00		
21	Guileza	Ghilajhari-Rupsi	-	300.00	300.00		
22	Dabaliapara	Ghilajhari-Rupsi		9,00,000.00	33,195.00	Construction of Boundary Wall with Ga'e at Jogirpam Nabajyoti High School at village Jogirpam	The proposal for utilization of the interest amount is proposed to be placed before the District Planning Committee (DPC) shortly for approval
		Ghilajhari-Rupsi		1,50,000.00		Construction of Boundary Wall at 1970 No. Dattakuchi Balika Vidyalaya at village Dattakuchi	The proposal for utilization of the interest amount is proposed to be placed before the District Planning Committee (DPC) shortly for approval
		Ghilajhari-Rupsi		3,00,000.00		Infrastructure Development and Renovation of Dabaliapara G. P. Office.	The proposal for utilization of the interest amount is proposed to be placed before the District Planning Committee (DPC) shortly for approval

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		Ghilajhari-Rupsi		2,24,829.00		Construction of Boundary Wall at Jogirpam Kabarstan at village Jogirpam	The proposal for utilization of the interest amount is proposed to be placed before the District Planning Committee (DPC) shortly for approval
		Ghilajhari-Rupsi	1,50,000.00		17,58,024.00	Const of wating shed at Howly Barpeta PWD road near Ali hussain house at villi kadmaguri. Essttd Amount= 1,50,000.00	land issue. Modified later.
23	Mairamara	Ghilajhari-Rupsi	-	3,77,007.00	3,77,007.00	Const. of Drain start from Amar Pathak house to Barpeta Howly PWD road at vill Mairamara. Essttd Amount= 3,58,157.00	The proposal for utilization of the interest amount is proposed to be placed before the District Planning Committee (DPC) shortly for approval
24	Hazipara	Ghilajhari-Rupsi	-	-	-		
25	Sukmanah	Ghilajhari-Rupsi	-	44,326.00	44,326.00		
26	Lachanga	Ghilajhari-Rupsi	-	5,64,250.00	5,64,250.00		
27	Uttar Howly	Ghilajhari-Rupsi	-	46,840.00	46,840.00		
28	BAGARIGURI PATHAR	Gobardhana	-	-	-		
29	BALABHITA	Gobardhana	-	-	-		
30	GOBARDHANA	Gobardhana	-	22,874.00	22,874.00		
31	KHAIRABARI	Gobardhana	-	18,930.28	18,930.28		
32	KALAHBHANGA	Gobardhana	-	-	-		
33	PACHIM HOWLY	Gobardhana	-	3,50,000.00	3,50,000.00		
						1.Improvement of GP Office Building with Furniture E/A Rs 250000.00	The proposal for utilization of the interest amount is proposed to be placed before the District Planning Committee (DPC) shortly for approval

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34	DAKHIN GODHANI	Gomaphulbari	-	6,90,549.00	6,90,549.00	2.Improvement of Community Hall with Electrification E/A Rs 200000.00	The proposal for utilization of the interest amount is proposed to be placed before the District Planning Committee (DPC) shortly for approval
						3.Construction of Boundary Wall at GP Office Campus E/A Rs 206021.00	The proposal for utilization of the interest amount is proposed to be placed before the District Planning Committee (DPC) shortly for approval
35	BARMARA	Gomaphulbari	-	3,272.12	3,272.12	N/A	
36	BHATKUCHI	Gomaphulbari	-	4,650.00	4,650.00	N/A	
37	DIGHIRPAM MANIKPUR	Gomaphulbari	-	1,22,393.00	1,22,393.00	Repairing of 1662 no. Kahibari Garala Pam LPS	The proposal for utilization of the interest amount is proposed to be placed before the District Planning Committee (DPC) shortly for approval
38	BAMUNDANGRA	Gomaphulbari	-	73,036.00	73,036.00	N/A	Schemes against these amounts will be discussed in the DPC for approval
39	DONGRA	Gomaphulbari	-	38,595.00	38,595.00	N/A	
40	MAZDIA	Gomaphulbari	-	20,870.00	20,870.00	N/A	
41	ROUMARI PATHAR	Gomaphulbari	-	2,102.00	2,102.00	N/A	
42	PALHAJI	Gomaphulbari	-	-	-	N/A	
43	GOMA	Gomaphulbari	-	-	-	N/A	
						1.Repair and renovation at GP office and toilet set with Furniture. 6.00 L	The proposal for utilization of the interest amount is proposed to be placed before the District Planning Committee (DPC) shortly for approval

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44	CHENGA M PARA	Gomaphulbari	-	15,47,292.00	15,47,292.00	2. Construction of Boundary wall at khongra ldd Gah. 3.47292 L	The proposal for utilization of the interest amount is proposed to be placed before the District Planning Committee (DPC) shortly for approval
						3. Repair and Renovation at khongra bazar running water facility. 3.00 L	The proposal for utilization of the interest amount is proposed to be placed before the District Planning Committee (DPC) shortly for approval
						Construction of Boundary wall at padmopara Jame masjid 3.00 L	The proposal for utilization of the interest amount is proposed to be placed before the District Planning Committee (DPC) shortly for approval
45	AGMANDIA JADAVPUR	Gomaphulbari	-	26,811.45	26,811.45		Schemes against these amounts will be discussed in the DPC for approval.
46	HARIPUR	Gomaphulbari	-	46,499.00	46,499.00		
47	KALGACHIA	Kalgachia	-	21,147.33	21,147.33		
48	BALAIPTHER	Kalgachia	-	12,691.81	12,691.81		
49	TAPESWARA	Kalgachia	-	8,473.00	8,473.00		
50	SHOWPUR	Kalgachia	-	7,650.61	7,650.61		
51	JANATA	Kalgachia	-	4,400.00	4,400.00		
52	SHONAPUR RUBHI	Kalgachia	-	4,211.11	4,211.11		
53	TITAPANI	Kalgachia	-	7,316.00	7,316.00		
54	BONGHUGI	Kalgachia	-	7,465.00	7,465.00		
55	CHIKNI	Kalgachia	-	4,674.00	4,674.00		
56	BARBHITHA	Kalgachia	-	4,138.51	4,138.51		
57	TARAKANDI	Kalgachia	-	-	-		
58	MOINBARI	Kalgachia	-	271.00	271.00		
59	CHATALA	Kalgachia	-	363.13	363.13		

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60	JAYPUR SIKARTARY	Kalgachia	-	2,87,911.00	2,87,911.00	Pro- siltation measures for protection of Fulora Char MV School. E/Amount-275000/-	The proposal for utilization of the interest amount is proposed to be placed before the District Planning Committee (DPC) shortly for approval
61	JANIA GP	Mandia	-	-			
62	Chasra	Mandia	-	-			
63	Balikuri	Mandia	-	-			
64	Mandia GP	Mandia	1,25,000.00	85,112.00	2,10,112.00	Const. Of Community Hall at Dreamland Academy, Mandia	Work Completed but payment not done due to public complaint.
65	Kadong GP	Mandia	32,64,154.00	8,10,408.00	4,10,408.00	Imp. of Road with Sand Gravel st from Jania Kadong PWD road to Nazmul Hussain House at vill. Mohammadpur (Interest Fund)	Due to High Court Case at that time payments were stopped. Now plan is ready for execution.
						Const. of Library at 57 No. Kadong GP Office	
						Const. of School Building at Kalampur char LP. School	
						Const. of CC Paver Block road st. from Ismail Hussain house to near Jamal Uddin house at vill. Mahammadpur	
						Earth Filling at Sonpura Id-Gah	
						Imp. of road with Sand Gravel from 279 No. Snopura LP School to Samir Ali house	
						Earth filling at Sonpura Hazipara Masjid	
66	MEDHIRTARY	Mandia	-	-		Imp. of road with Sand Gravel from Abul Hussain house to Mostafa Ali house via Mongla Miya House	

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67	BANIARAPARA	Mandia	-	13,00,388.00	13,00,388.00	Construction of GSB Road st. from Jahidul Islam House (Bniarapara) to Garemari Kabarasthan via Apser House at village Garemari. E/A-508478 Construction of GSB Road from Abdul Hai house to Sahanur Islam house at village Baniarapara E/A-150000 Construction of GSB Road st. from Lal Mamud House to Based Ali (Mekar) house at village Baniarapara E/A-100000 Construction of GSB Road From Banglipara Baniarapara uttar Chapra Kabarasthan Majid Road to Darbesh Ali Bhuyan House via Abdur Rahim Badsha House at Village Banglipara. E/A-100000 Construction of GSB Road st. from Babur Ali Mullah ME School to Lt. Lalu Master house at village Garemari. E/A-150000 Repairing of Gaon Panchayat Office E/A-200000 Construction of Boundary wall 1787 No Kasukati Charpara LPS E/A- 100000	All inetrest schems apporved later.
68	GOBINDAPUR	Mandia	-	-	-		
69	Baghbar	Mandia	-	-	-		
70	SATRAKANARA	Mandia	-	5,35,000.00	5,35,000.00	Plantattion and land Development at Milijuli MPHC	
71	BAHMURA	Mandia	-	7,812.00	7,812.00		
72	Sitoli GP	Mandia	-	-	-	No Scheme	

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73	Bhella	Pakabetbari	8,47,641.00	23,641.00	8,71,282.00	1. Const. of starting from Hannan Ali to sent grevillas road Ahmmad Ali hours at Fatigrah 2. Const. of starting from Jiyad Ali house to sent grevillas road akul ali house at Banbunia	Work Started later and payment not done on time.
74	Pakabetbaripam Bherarbhitha	Pakabetbari	6,61,669.00	-	6,61,669.00	1. Const. of boundary wall at Pakabetbari Chariali Sutradhar Para Kalimandir field, Estt. Amnt. 3,09,250.00 2. Const. of Gate 1630 No Keotpara LP School, Estt. Amount: 1,50,000.00 3. Const. of all weather road st from JJM water tank to Binod Ray house at Pakabetbari, Estt. Amnt: 2,20,000.00	Work Started later and payment not done on time.
75	Pub Betbari	Pakabetbari	-	34,401.96	34,401.96		
76	Madhya Betbari	Pakabetbari	8,35,000.00	-	8,35,000.00	1. Const. of boundary wall at Pub Kamalpur Maszid, Estt. Amnt. 3,00L (yet to be payment 3rd Inst. amounting to Rs. 1,00,000/-) 2. Repairing of road with Sand Grevalling st from BK PWD road No Banabahar village road near Niramoy Medicos, Estt. Amnt: 1,40,000/- (yet to be payment 3rd Inst. amounting to Rs. 35,000/-) 3. Const. of boundary wall at Maralartary Maszid, Estt. Amnt. 3,67,000/- 4. Const. and improvement with land development towards urinal latrine at Madhya Betbari GP, Estt. Amnt: 1,98,000/- 5. Pyrches of furniture at GP Office, Estt. Amnt: 1,35,000.00	Work started later due to public complaint and land issues were there.
77	Golibandha Karagari	Pakabetbari	-	5,198.00	5,198.00		
78	Radhakuchi	Pakabetbari	4,84,139.51	-	4,84,139.51	Repairing of GP Office of Radhakuchi GP	
79	Datirbori Ata	Pakabetbari	-	2,197.50	2,197.50		
80	Paschim paka	Pakabetbari	1,84,490.00	39,625.00	2,24,115.00	1. Repairing of Bridge approach road with making connection with Panimaricha Pather and Gumirpather Esstt. 1,84,490.00	

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81	Uttar Paka GP	Pakabetbari	-	14,978.71	14,978.71		
82	Dakhin Paschim Betbari	Pakabetbari	-	1,03,374.00	1,03,374.00		
83	Paschim Betbari	Pakabetbari	-	2,51,195.00	2,51,195.00		
84	Uttar Betbari	Pakabetbari	-	2,87,739.00	2,87,739.00		
85	DAKHIN PAKA	Pakabetbari	8,81,079.00	-	8,81,079.00	1. Repairing of 901 No Madhya Naligaon AWC, Esstt. Amnt: 1,50,000.00 2. Repairing of 102 No Karagari 10 No Block (A) Paschim Supa AWC, Esstt. Amnt: 1,50,000.00 3. Const. of boundary wall 11 No Kawaimari Anchalik Kabarsthan at 11 No. Kawaimari, Esstt. Amnt: 3,50,000.00 4. Electricity with purches of electrical goods for Dakhin Paka GP office, Esstt. Amnt: 1,87,026.00	Work Started later and payment not done on time.
86	Bagodi Rangia	Pakabetbari	-	-	-		
87	18 No. Bhairaguripam Kahikuchi GP	Pakabetbari	-	2,792.51	2,792.51		
88	78 No Barbila	Sarukhetri	-	1,002.25	1,002.25		
89	75 No PashimSarukhetri	Sarukhetri	-	7,490.21	7,490.21		
90	79 NO NIZ CHENGA	Sarukhetri	-	1,367.00	1,367.00		
91	80 NO BAHARI	Sarukhetri	-	12,906.00	12,906.00		
92	Patbaushi	Sarukhetri	-	3,001.00	3,001.00		
93	71 NO KEOTKUCHI	Sarukhetri	-	65,080.31	65,080.31	Infrastructure Development of Keotkuchi Gram Panchayat Office E/A - 65000	The proposal for utilization of the interest amount is proposed to be placed before the District Planning Committee (DPC) shortly for approval
94	69 NO SUNDARIDIA	Sarukhetri	-	1,85,494.20	1,85,494.20	Repairing of 6 No Sundaridia AWC E/A - 185000	The proposal for utilization of the interest amount is proposed to be placed before the District Planning Committee (DPC) shortly for approval

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95	NAGAON	Sarukhetri	-	3,10,085.00	3,10,085.00	CC Block Pasting in front of GP Office E/A- 310000	The proposal for utilization of the interest amount is proposed to be placed before the District Planning Committee (DPC) shortly for approval
96	72 No. Uttar Pub Sarukhetri	Sarukhetri	-	4,875.00	4,875.00		
97	Uttar Pub Paka GP	Sarukhetri	-	48,000.00	48,000.00		
98	MADHYA SARUKHETRI	Sarukhetri	-	1,36,508.31	1,36,508.31	Repairing of Barkapla LP School at Barkapla E/A- 136000	The proposal for utilization of the interest amount is proposed to be placed before the District Planning Committee (DPC) shortly for approval
99	DAKHIN PASCHIM SARUKHETRI	Sarukhetri	-	1,856.68	1,856.68		
100	77 No Batgaon GP	Sarukhetri	-	8,36,000.00	8,36,000.00	Pavar block Road start from Batgaon Kadam Tala Road To Kadamtala Cremation Ground E/E- 835000	The proposal for utilization of the interest amount is proposed to be placed before the District Planning Committee (DPC) shortly for approval
101	PUB PAKA	Sarukhetri	2,00,000.00	19,085.00	2,19,085.00	Flag hosting at gp office Campus E/A- 200000	Work Started later and payment not done on time.
102	DAKHIN PUB PAKA	Sarukhetri	-	5,949.02	5,949.02		

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Annexure: B

**GOVERNMENT OF ASSAM
COMMISSIONERATE OF PANCHAYAT AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT
PANJABARI, GUWAHATI-37**

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No. e-438859/Draft NumberDFA/1830011

01-07-2026

To,

The Joint Secretary,
Ministry of Panchayati Raj,
Govt. of India, New Delhi

Sub: Requesting to open the provision to upload supplementary plan under 14th FC in the eGS portal.

Ref: Letter No. e-438859/DFA/1789529 dated 05/06/2026

Respected Madam,

With reference to the subject cited above, I have the honour to bring to your kind notice that, some GPs still have unspent balances under the 14th FC Grant. Such unspent balances are mainly attributable to pending court cases, land disputes, interest accrued in bank accounts, and other related issues.

In view of the above, the voucher booking provision for the 14th FC Grants has recently been made available in the eGramSwaraj portal. However, the provision for uploading supplementary plans and making manual receipt entries pertaining to the 14th FC period has not yet been enabled. As a result, the GPs are unable to book receipt vouchers, upload supplementary plans, and utilize the unspent balances.

In this regard, you are kindly requested to enable the provision for uploading supplementary plans and making manual receipt entries for the 14th FC period in the eGramSwaraj portal, so that the concerned PRIs may upload their plans and book expenditure against the unspent balances at the earliest.

This is for your kind information and necessary action.

Digitally signed by
Keerthi Jalli

Date: 01-07-2026

Commissioner,
Panchayat & Rural Development, Assam

Memo No. e-438859/Draft NumberDFA/1830011

01-07-2026

Copy to:

- 1) The Director, Finance (Economic Affairs), Department, Govt of Assam for information and necessary action.
- 2) P.S to the Addl. Chief Secretary, P&RD Department, Govt. of Assam for kind appraisal of the Addl. Chief Secretary.

e-Signed

Commissioner,
Panchayat & Rural Development, Assam

ANNEXURE - C

To,

The District Commissioner

Dated: 11/08/2023

Barpeta, Assam

Subject: Prayer for registration and issuance of Licence in favour of Baghbar Cattle Market as per the provision of the Assam Cattle Preservation Act 2021 and the rules frames thereunder for the greater interest of the people of the locality.

Sir,

With due respect we have the Honour to state that we are the Baghbar Bazar Managing Committee which is a registered committee registered under Societies Registration Act XXI of 1860, vide registration no. RS/BAR-1/237/Z/170 of 2021-2022.

1. That Sir, Baghbar Haat cum cattle market has been running on Patta land for the last 22 years at village Niz Baghbar, Baghbar Pather, Baghbar Gaon. The farmers and villagers of the area collect their essential commodities and also sell their products like farm products, vegetables, other agricultural products and the cattle for agricultural purpose. The said Bazar is a source of livelihood of the patta holders and other neighbouring villagers.
2. That the petitioner begs to state that the Bazar Committee used to provide financial assistance from time to time for establishing Health Centres, Schools, Colleges, cremation ground, Graveyard and provide relief during natural calamities and help the poor people and provide financial assistance to the poor students from time to time.

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3. That Sir the said market was established on the Patta land and in this regard the Honb'le Gauhati High Court vide its order dated 03/06/2011 in W.P (C) No. 3779/2010 and vide order dated 07/04/2015 in W.P(C)No.2999/2014 Confirmed the Baghbar Cattle Market as a private market situated over the Patta Land on the basis of report of the Circle Officer Mondia Revenue Circle on 16/7/2010 and also on the basis of the report dated 7/5/2011 submitted by the Deputy Commissioner, Barpeta.
4. That Sir, although the aforesaid market is running legally but the police personnel of Baghbar PS without any rhyme or reason prevented the running of the cattle market for few months without any official order. Hence being aggrieved by the illegal action of Police in running of the cattle market in the Baghbar Bazar which has affected the livelihood of many people and which amounts to violation of the Article 21 and 300 A of the Constitution of India and also violation of the Honb'le Gauhati High Court's orders, the applicant approached the Honb'le Gauhati High Court challenging the illegal action of the Police with a prayer for a direction to allow the Cattle Market to be operated by the said Committee. Whereupon the Honb'le Gauhati Court vide it's order dated 22/07/2022 in W.P (C) No.4440/2022 was pleased to dispose the writ petition directing the respondents not to interfere with the operation of the Baghbar Cattle Market running over the private patta land.
5. That Assam Cattle Preservation Act 2021 came into effect from 28th Jan 2022 but it does not specifically provide as to who is the competent authority for registration of Cattle Market. Since

you are the Head of the District Administration we are approaching you for the purpose of registration of our Cattle Market.

Therefore we pray that Your Honour would be pleased to register our market and issue necessary Licence for running the said Baghbar Cattle Market as per the provisions of the Assam Cattle Preservation Act 2021 and the rules framed there under for the greater interest of the public at large.

Yours faithfully

1. President:

32/05/2022

2. Secretary:

Amir Hamza

Baghbar Bazar, Managing Committee

Enclosures:

1. Copy of the order dated 22/7/2022 passed by the Honb'le High Court in W.P (C) No.4440/2022.

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ANNEXURE - D

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To,

The Principal Secretary to the Govt of Assam P & RD Department

Dispur, Guwahati-6

Dated:11/03/2024

Sub: Prayer for approval to run the Baghbar Haat cum Cattle market as per provisions of Section 107 of Assam Panchayat Act 1994 as amended on 19/10/2023.

Ref: Order dated 07/03/2024 passed by the Honb'le Gauhati High Court in W.P (C) No. 6634/2023

Sir,

I have the honour to state that I am the Secretary of Baghbar managing Committee which is a registered committee registered under Societies Act XXI of 1860, vide registration no. RS/BAR-1/237/Z/170 of 2021-2022.

That Sir, Baghbar Hat was established about 47 years ago by the people of the locality under Mandia Anchalik Panchayat in the District of Barpeta. However, the said plot of land where the said Haat which was running was eroded by the River of Brahmaputra about 23 years back. Thereafter in the year 2000 the local people of the area decided to run the said haat over their periodic Patta land and since then said haat has been running over the private

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Patta land. Here it may be mentioned that concerned authority wanted to interfere the operation of the said market over the Patta land. However, because of the interference of the Honb'le Gauhati High Court in terms of the order dated 3/06/2021 passed in WP (C) No.3779/ 2010 and order dated 4/07/2015 in WP(C) No. 2999/2014, and order dated 22/07/2022 in WP (C) No. 4440/2022, the Honb'le Gauhati High Court was pleased to direct the concerned authorities not to interfere with the running of the Baghbar Haat cum Baghbar Cattle Market running over the private Patta land of the applicant. In the meantime the Assam Cattle Preservation Act, 2021 came into effect from 28 th June, 2022. Accordingly I along with the President of the said market applied for registration and issuance of licence in favour of Baghbar Cattle Market as per the provisions of the Assam Cattle preservation Act 2021 before the Deputy Commissioner, Barpeta. On receipt of the application the DC, Barpeta has forwarded the same vide No. BD/VET/2023-24/BCM/1483 dated 23/08/2023 to the Secretary to the Govt of Assam, Home and Political Department seeking instructions on issuance of license/registration of the said market and the same is pending for consideration.

That Sir, the Section 107 of Assam Panchayat Act 1994 was amended and came into force on 19/10/2023 wherein it has been

provided that the running of Private haat/market requires approval of the concerned Gaon Panchayat and Government. Accordingly we approached the concerned Gaon Panchayat authority to provide a "No Objection Certificate " to run the said market. Accordingly the Secretary of the Baghbar Gaon Panchayat has issued a "no objection certificate" in favour of our market to run the same. It is to be mentioned that Shewarabhita Janapriya Anchalik Goru Bazar was settled with one Abdul Mannan. Accordingly he filed a writ petition before the Honb'le Gauhati High Court being WP (C) No. 6634/2023 contending that our market has been running in violation of the section 107 of Assam Panchayat act, 1994. This Honb'le Court after hearing the parties and after perusal of the records, was pleased to dispose of the writ petition vide order dated 7/03/2024 passed in WP(C) No.6634/2023 directing us to submit an application on or before 12/03/2024 before your Honour seeking approval from the Government of Assam for running of our private market under section 107 of the Assam Panchayat Act, 1994 as amended and Your Honour would take a decision with regard to the said application within a period of three weeks from the date of receipt of the application.

Hence I am submitting this application before your Honour and good office requesting your Honour to be pleased accord approval

for running of our private market in terms of the section 107 of the Assam Panchayat Act 1994 as amended, 2023.

And for this Act of kindness we shall be grateful to you.

Yours Faithfully *Amir Hamza*
Secretary
Baghbar Bazar Managing Committee
Date 11/03/2024

(Amir Hamza)

Secretary
Baghbar Bazar managing Committee
P.O: Baghbar, Dist: Barpeta, Assam

Enclosures:

Certified copy of the order dated 7/03/2024 passed in WP (C)
No.6634/2023