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Analysis of Criminal Background, Financial, Education, Gender and other details of Ministers in the Tripura Assembly 2018

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Summary and Highlights

Tripura Election Watch and Association for Democratic Reforms have analysed the self-sworn affidavits of all **9 Ministers including Chief Minister** from Tripura State Assembly 2018.

Criminal Background

- **Ministers with Criminal Cases:** 3(33%) out of 9 ministers have declared criminal cases against themselves.
- **Ministers with Serious Criminal Cases:** 2(22%) ministers have declared serious criminal cases against themselves.

Financial Background

- **Crorepati Ministers:** Out of the 9 ministers, 6 (67%) are crorepatis.
- **Average Assets:** The average assets of 9 ministers is **Rs 2.83 crores**.
- **Ministers with Highest Assets:** The minister with the highest declared total assets is **Jishnu Devvarma** from Charilam constituency with assets worth **Rs.11.07 crores**. The top three ministers with highest declared assets are:

S.No.	Name	District	Constituency	Party Name	Movable Assets (Rs)	Immovable Assets (Rs)	Total Assets (Rs)	PAN Given
1	Jishnu Devvarma	SEPAHIJALA	CHARILAM	BJP	71,38,073	10,36,00,000	11,07,38,073 11 Crore+	Y
2	Pranajit Singha Roy	GOMATI	RADHAKISHORPUR	BJP	2,96,10,240	2,46,00,000	5,42,10,240 5 Crore+	Y
3	Shri Sudip Roy Barman	WEST TRIPURA	AGARTALA	BJP	1,08,45,484	2,57,00,000	3,65,45,484 3 Crore+	Y

Table: Top 3 Ministers with Highest Assets

Ministers with Low Assets: The minister with the lowest declared asset is **Santana Chakma** from Pencharthal Constituency with assets worth **1.39 lakh**. The details of top 3 ministers with low assets is given below:

S.No.	Name	District	Constituency	Party Name	Movable Assets (Rs)	Immovable Assets (Rs)	Total Assets (Rs)	PAN Given
1	Santana Chakma	NORTH TRIPURA	PENCHARTHAL	BJP	1,39,036	0	1,39,036 1 Lacs+	Y

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S.No.	Name	District	Constituency	Party Name	Movable Assets (Rs)	Immovable Assets (Rs)	Total Assets (Rs)	PAN Given
2	Mevar Kumar Jamatia	KHOWAI	ASHARAMBARI	IPFT	6,33,027	20,50,000	26,83,027 26 Lacs+	Y
3	Manoj Kanti Deb	DHALAI	KAMALPUR	BJP	26,61,187	15,12,000	41,73,187 41 Lacs+	Y

Table: Top 3 Ministers with Lowest Assets

- **Liabilities:** A total of 5 out of 9 ministers have declared liabilities. The details of these ministers are given below:

S.No.	Name	District	Constituency	Party Name	Total Assets(Rs)	Liabilities (Rs)	PAN Given
1	Jishnu Devvarma	SEPAHIJALA	CHARILAM	BJP	11,07,38,073 11 Crore+	31,85,539 31 Lacs+	Y
2	Mevar Kumar Jamatia	KHOWAI	ASHARAMBARI	IPFT	26,83,027 26 Lacs+	28,83,008 28 Lacs+	Y
3	Biplab Kumar Deb	WEST TRIPURA	BANAMALIPUR	BJP	2,13,93,539 2 Crore+	27,79,408 27 Lacs+	Y
4	Pranajit Singha Roy	GOMATI	RADHAKISHORPUR	BJP	5,42,10,240 5 Crore+	26,22,120 26 Lacs+	Y
5	Ratan Lal Nath	WEST TRIPURA	MOHANPUR	BJP	1,28,97,253 1 Crore+	10,05,192 10 Lacs+	Y

Table: Ministers with Declared Liabilities

Other Background details (Education, Gender, Age)

- **Ministers' Education:** A total of **7(78%)** ministers have declared their educational qualification to be graduates whereas **2(22%)** ministers are post graduates.
- **Ministers' Age:** A total of **4(44%)** ministers have declared their age to be between **31-50 years** while **5(56%)** ministers have declared their age to be between **51-80 years**.
- **Woman Minister:** Out of 9 Ministers, only **1** is a woman.

Analysis based on declared Criminal Cases

Ministers with declared criminal cases

S.No.	Minister's Information	Brief Details of IPCs
1	Name:Ratan Lal Nath District:WEST TRIPURA Constituency:MOHANPUR Party:BJP Total Cases:4 Serious IPC:4 Other IPC:14 Cases (Cognizance taken) 1. IPC Sections - 500 , Other Details - Court Taken Cognizance : Ld. Court C.J.M. Agartala West Tripura Case No. CR 11/12, Date of Cognizance : 24.01.2012 2. IPC Sections - 148, 149, 151, 188, 353, 333 , Other Details - FIR No. East Agt P.S. 164/11 Dated 10-07-2011, Court Taken Cognizance : Addl. C.J.M. Agartala, West Tripura, Case No. PRC 709/11, Date of Cognizance 16.02.2012 3. IPC Sections - 148, 149, 326, 333, 353, 307, 427 , Other Details - Addl CJM Agartala Court no.7 West Agt P.S. FIR No.231/2011 dated 11-07-2011 now ST (T2) 193/13 Case No. PRC 713/11, Date of Cognizance : 16.02.2012, Date of Charges : 26.07.2017, Sec. 5 of Exclusive Substance Act in the Court Addl. District & Session Judge West Tripura Agartala Court No. 2, 4. IPC Sections - 500, 501, 502, 34 , Other Details - Court taking Cognizance -J.M. 1st Class Agartala, Court No. 1, Case No CR 98/12, Date of Cognizance : 18.02.2012 Cases (Charges framed) -----No Cases-----Cases (Convicted)-----No Cases-----	2 charges related to Voluntarily causing grievous hurt to deter public servant from his duty (IPC Section-333) 1 charge related to Voluntarily causing grievous hurt by dangerous weapons or means (IPC Section-326) 1 charge related to Attempt to murder (IPC Section-307) 2 charges related to Punishment for Defamation (IPC Section-500) 2 charges related to Rioting, armed with deadly weapon (IPC Section-148) 2 charges related to Every member of unlawful assembly guilty of offence committed in prosecution of common object (IPC Section-149) 2 charges related to Assault or criminal force to deter public servant from discharge of his duty (IPC Section-353) 1 charge related to Knowingly joining or continuing in assembly of five or more persons after it has been commanded to disperse (IPC Section-151) 1 charge related to Disobedience to order duly promulgated by public servant (IPC Section-188) 1 charge related to Mischief causing damage to the amount of fifty rupees (IPC Section-427) 1 charge related to Printing or engraving matter known to be defamatory (IPC Section-501) 1 charge related to Sale of printed or engraved substance containing defamatory matter (IPC Section-502) 1 charge related to Acts done by several persons in furtherance of common intention (IPC Section-34)

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S.No.	Minister's Information	Brief Details of IPCs
2	Name:Shri Sudip Roy Barman District:WEST TRIPURA Constituency:AGARTALA Party:BJP Total Cases:1 Serious IPC:3 Other IPC:4 Cases (Cognizance taken) -----No Cases---- Cases (Charges framed) 1. IPC Sections - 148, 149, 326, 333, 353, 307, 427 , Other Details - Section 5 of Exclusive Substance Act, FIR No. 231/2011 Dated 11.07.2011, Police Station- West Agartala, Sub Division Sadar, Dist- West Tripura, State- Tripura, Court taking Cognizance- Ld. Additional District and Sessions Judge, West Tripura Agartala, Date of Cognizance- 16.02.2012, Court which framed the charge- Additional District and Session Judge, West Tripura Agartala, Court No. 2, Date of charge framed- 26.07.2017 Cases (Convicted)-----No Cases----	1 charge related to Voluntarily causing grievous hurt by dangerous weapons or means (IPC Section-326) 1 charge related to Voluntarily causing grievous hurt to deter public servant from his duty (IPC Section-333) 1 charge related to Attempt to murder (IPC Section-307) 1 charge related to Rioting, armed with deadly weapon (IPC Section-148) 1 charge related to Every member of unlawful assembly guilty of offence committed in prosecution of common object (IPC Section-149) 1 charge related to Assault or criminal force to deter public servant from discharge of his duty (IPC Section-353) 1 charge related to Mischief causing damage to the amount of fifty rupees (IPC Section-427)
3	Name:Manoj Kanti Deb District:DHALAI Constituency:KAMALPUR Party:BJP Total Cases:2 Serious IPC:0 Other IPC:0 Cases (Cognizance taken) 1. IPC Sections - , Other Details - Judicial Magistrate 1st Class, Kamalpur Unokoti Judicial District, Case No. CR(TP) 187/17 corresponding to Kamalpur PS P/R No. 1262/17 dated 05.11.2017 under section 82 of T.P. Act 2007 Cognizance taken on 28.11.2017 2. IPC Sections - , Other Details - Sub-Divisional Judicial Magistrate Kamalpur Unakoti Judicial District, Case No. CR(TP)-235/17 corresponding to Salema PS P/R No.	

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	1551/17 dated 24.11.2017 under section 82 of T.P. Act 2007 Cognizance taken on 05.12.2017 Cases (Charges framed) -----No Cases----- Cases (Convicted) -----No Cases-----	

Table: Ministers with declared criminal cases

Analysis based on assets

Full Asset Details of Ministers

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4	Biplab Kumar Deb	WEST TRIPURA	BANAMALIPUR	BJP	78,93,539	1,35,00,000	2,13,93,539 2 Crore+	Y
5	Ratan Lal Nath	WEST TRIPURA	MOHANPUR	BJP	75,25,253	53,72,000	1,28,97,253 1 Crore+	Y
6	Narendra Chandra Debbarma	SEPAHIJALA	TAKARJALA	IPFT	84,603	1,20,00,000	1,20,84,603 1 Crore+	Y
7	Manoj Kanti Deb	DHALAI	KAMALPUR	BJP	26,61,187	15,12,000	41,73,187 41 Lacs+	Y

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Analysis based on Educational Background of Ministers

Overall Education report

S.No.	Name	Party Name	Constituency	Education	Education Details
1	Biplab Kumar Deb	BJP	BANAMALIPUR	Graduate	B.A. Pass From Tripura University, Year-1999
2	Jishnu Devvarma	BJP	CHARILAM	Graduate	B.A. Hons, From Calcutta University Year 1979
3	Manoj Kanti Deb	BJP	KAMALPUR	Graduate	Bachelor of Science (Hons) in Zoology From G.C. College Silchar, Guwahati University in 1991
4	Pranajit Singha Roy	BJP	RADHAKISHORPUR	Graduate	BA from MBB College under Calcutta University in 1980
5	Narendra Chandra Debbarma	IPFT	TAKARJALA	Graduate	BA in 1962 from Calcutta University
6	Ratan Lal Nath	BJP	MOHANPUR	Graduate Professional	B.A. From MBB College Under Calcutta University 1972, LLB From Calcutta University in 1979
7	Shri Sudip Roy Barman	BJP	AGARTALA	Graduate Professional	LLB Degree from Tripura University in 1992, BE (Mech.) from Calcutta University in 1989
8	Santana Chakma	BJP	PENCHARTHAL	Post Graduate	Master Degree In Social Science From Indra Gandhi National Open University In 2016
9	Mevar Kumar Jamatia	IPFT	ASHARAMBARI	Post Graduate	M.A. in Sociology in 1994 from North Eastern Hill University

Table: Analysis of Ministers on the basis of education

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Analysis Based on Age of Ministers

Analysis based on age groups

Age Group (In Years)	Number of Ministers Analyzed
31-40	1
41-50	3
51-60	3
61-70	1
71-80	1
Total	9

Table: Overall Age Report-Ministers

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