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**Analysis of Criminal Background, Financial, Education, Gender and other details of
Ministers in the Assam Assembly 2021**

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Summary and Highlights

Assam Election Watch and Association for Democratic Reforms have analysed the self-sworn affidavits of all **14 Ministers** including Chief Minister from Assam State Assembly 2021.

The information is based on the affidavits submitted by the candidates prior to 2021 Assam Assembly Elections.

List of Cabinet Ministers of Assam

S.No.	Ministers	Position	Party Name
1	Atul Bora	MLA	AGP
2	Keshab Mahanta	MLA	AGP
3	Himanta Biswa Sarma	MLA	BJP
4	Ashok Singhal	MLA	BJP
5	Pijush Hazarika	MLA	BJP
6	Ranjeet Kumar Dass	MLA	BJP
7	Chandra Mohan Patowary	MLA	BJP
8	Ajanta Neog	MLA	BJP
9	Bimal Borah	MLA	BJP
10	Parimal Sukla Baidya	MLA	BJP
11	Jogen Mohan	MLA	BJP
12	Ranoj Pegu	MLA	BJP
13	Sanjoy Kishan	MLA	BJP
14	Urkhao Gwra Brahma	MLA	United Peoples Party, Liberal

Table: Cabinet Ministers of Assam

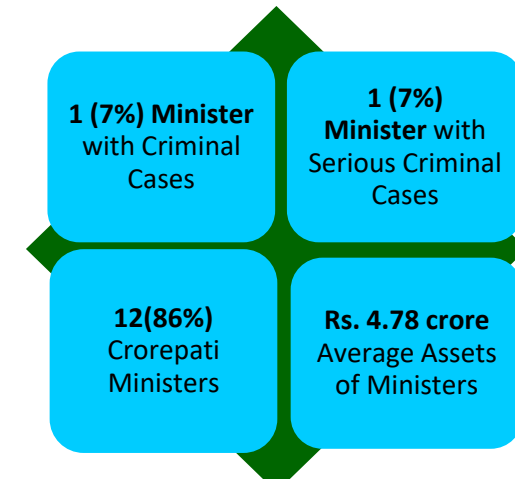
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Criminal Background

- **Ministers with Criminal Cases:** 1(7%) minister has declared criminal cases against himself.
- **Ministers with Serious Criminal Cases:** 1 (7%) minister has declared serious criminal cases against himself.

Party Name	Total number of Ministers analyzed	Ministers with declared Criminal Cases	% of Ministers with declared criminal cases	Ministers with declared serious criminal cases	% of Ministers with declared serious criminal cases
AGP	2	1	50%	1	50%
BJP	11	0	0%	0	0%
United Peoples Party, Liberal	1	0	0%	0	0%
Total	14	1	7%	1	7%



Details of Minister with declared criminal cases

S.No.	Minister Information	Brief Details of IPCs
1	<p>Name:Atul Bora District:BOKAKHAT Constituency:BOKAKHAT Party: AGP Total Cases:1 Serious IPC:1 Other IPC:0 Cases (Pending)</p> <p>1. IPC Sections - 409 , Other Details - , Case No. - , Court - , FIR No. - 263/2017 Dispur Police Station Dispur, Guwahati-6 (Assam), Charges Framed - No , Appeal Filed - No</p> <hr/> <p>Cases (Convicted)-----No Cases-----</p>	<p>1 charge related to Criminal breach of trust by public servant, or by banker, merchant or agent (IPC Section-409)</p>

Table: Ministers with declared criminal cases

Criteria for serious criminal cases

1. Offence for which maximum punishment is of 5 years or more.
2. If an offence is non-bailable
3. If it is an electoral offence (for eg. IPC 171E or bribery)
4. Offence related to loss to exchequer
5. Offences that are assault, murder, kidnap, rape related
6. Offences that are mentioned in Representation of the People Act (Section 8)
7. Offences under Prevention of Corruption Act
8. Crimes against women.

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Financial Background

- **Crorepati Ministers:** Out of the **14** ministers analysed, **12 (86%)** are crorepatis.

Party Name	Number of Ministers Analyzed	No of Crorepatis	Percentage of Crorepati Minister
AGP	2	2	100%
BJP	11	10	91%
United Peoples Party, Liberal	1	0	0%
Total	14	12	86%

- **Average Assets:** The average assets of **14** ministers analysed is **Rs 4.78 crores**.
- **Minister with Highest Assets:** The minister with the highest declared total assets is Himanta Biswa Sarma from Jalukbari constituency with assets worth Rs. 17.27 crores.
- **Minister with Lowest Assets:** The minister with the lowest declared total assets is Sanjoy Kishan from Tinsukia constituency with assets worth Rs. 55.35 lakhs.
- **Liabilities:** A total of 11 ministers have declared liabilities out of which the minister with the highest liabilities is Himanta Biswa Sarma of Jalukbari constituency with Rs. 3.51 crores of liabilities.

Other Background details (Education, Gender, Age)

- **Ministers' Education:** **2 (14%)** ministers have declared their educational qualification to be between **10th and 12th** standard while **12 (86%)** ministers have declared having an educational qualification of **graduate or above**.
- **Ministers' Age:** A total of **11(79%)** ministers have declared their age to be between **41-60 years** while **3(21%)** ministers have declared their age to be between **61- 70 years**.
- **Women Ministers:** Out of 14 ministers, **1** is a woman.

Full Background Details of Assam Ministers 2021

S.N o.	District	Constituency	Minister	Party	Age	Gender	Total Assets (Rs.)	Liabilities (Rs.)	Cases Total	Serious IPC Counts	Education	PAN Given	Self Income (Rs.)	Self profession
1	GUWAHATI (SADAR)	JALUKBARI	Himanta Biswa Sarma	BJP	52	M	17,27,65,162 17 Crore+	3,51,97,352 3 Crore+	0	0	Doctorate	Y	25,94,907 25 Lacs+	Minister & Govt. of Assam
2	TEZPUR	DHEKIAJULI	Ashok Singhal	BJP	53	M	17,06,34,526 17 Crore+	3,04,59,919 3 Crore+	0	0	Graduate	Y	12,87,230 12 Lacs+	Social Worker and Politician
3	MARIGAON	JAGIROAD (SC)	Pijush Hazarika	BJP	43	M	6,03,86,621 6 Crore+	46,02,208 46 Lacs+	0	0	Graduate	Y	63,15,448 63 Lacs+	Minister Government of Assam
4	BAJALI	PATACHARKUCHI	Ranjeet Kumar Dass	BJP	54	M	5,87,27,783 5 Crore+	1,12,04,985 1 Crore+	0	0	Post_Graduate	Y	12,57,490 12 Lacs+	Member of Legislative Assembly Assam & Business
5	NALBARI	DHARMAPUR	Chandra Mohan Patowary	BJP	65	M	3,69,93,434 3 Crore+	1,30,86,345 1 Crore+	0	0	Post_Graduate	Y	24,34,160 24 Lacs+	Social Worker And Politician
6	BOKAKHAT	BOKAKHAT	Atul Bora	AGP	60	M	3,68,88,889 3 Crore+	2,72,891 2 Lacs+	1	1	Post_Graduate	Y	36,22,495 36 Lacs+	Public Servant
7	KALIABOR	KALIABOR	Keshab Mahanta	AGP	61	M	3,45,34,524 3 Crore+	9,96,328 9 Lacs+	0	0	Post_Graduate	Y	25,22,901 25 Lacs+	Social Worker Politician (Presently Member of Legislative Assembly Assam)
8	GOLAGHAT	GOLAGHAT	Ajanta Neog	BJP	57	F	2,67,47,923 2 Crore+	0	0	0	Post_Graduate	Y	20,20,120 20 Lacs+	Political Activist
9	DIBRUGARH	TINGKHONG	Bimal Borah	BJP	47	M	1,82,10,855 1 Crore+	12,04,653 12 Lacs+	0	0	Graduate	Y	10,80,840 10 Lacs+	Member Assam Legislative Assembly
10	SILCHAR	DHOLAI (SC)	Parimal Sukla Baidya	BJP	63	M	1,66,92,620 1 Crore+	0	0	0	Graduate	Y	25,18,990 25 Lacs+	Fishery and Agriculture Product Business
11	CHARAIDEO (SONARI)	MAHMARA	Jogen Mohan	BJP	58	M	1,33,61,526 1 Crore+	16,00,000 16 Lacs+	0	0	12th	Y	8,78,950 8 Lacs+	Cultivator Business
12	DHEMAJI	DHEMAJI (ST)	Ranoj Pegu	BJP	59	M	1,08,42,163 1 Crore+	12,25,922 12 Lacs+	0	0	Graduate_Professional	Y	9,22,910 9 Lacs+	Social worker and Business

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13	BAKSA	CHAPAGURI (ST)	Urkha Gwra Brahma	United Peoples Party- Liberal	57	M	77,48,688 77 Lacs+	0	0	0	Graduate	Y	2,74,000 2 Lacs+	Politician & Social Worker
14	TINSUKIA	TINSUKIA	Sanjoy Kishan	BJP	51	M	55,35,958 55 Lacs+	7,35,600 7 Lacs+	0	0	10th	Y	7,08,540 7 Lacs+	Politician

Education Details of Ministers

S.No.	Name	Party Name	Constituency	Education	Education Details
1	Sanjoy Kishan	BJP	TINSUKIA	10th Pass	High School Leaving Certificate, Passed in 1988 From Senairam Higher Secondary and M.P. School, SEBA Road Assam
2	Jogen Mohan	BJP	MAHMARA	12th Pass	H.S.L.C from Hologuri Tribel High School In the year 1979 under SEBA and H.S.S.L.C from Gorgaon College in the year 1981 under Dibrugarh University.
3	Ashok Singhal	BJP	DHEKIAJULI	Graduate	Bachelor of Commerce from Guwahati University (1990)
4	Bimal Borah	BJP	TINGKHONG	Graduate	BA from J. B. College, Dibrugarh University in 1996
5	Parimal Sukla Baidya	BJP	DHOLAI (SC)	Graduate	B.A Examination in the year 1980 under Guwahati University
6	Pijush Hazarika	BJP	JAGIROAD (SC)	Graduate	Bachelor of Arts from Arya Vidyapeeth college in the year 1998
7	Urkha Gwra Brahma	United Peoples Party, Liberal	CHAPAGURI (ST)	Graduate	B.A From Guwahati University Assam in 1985
8	Ranoj Pegu	BJP	DHEMAJI (ST)	Graduate Professional	MBBS in 1987 from Guwahati Medical College, Guwahati University Assam, Pre University passed from North lakhimpur college Dibrugarh university in 1982
9	Atul Bora	AGP	BOKAKHAT	Post Graduate	M.A.(Master of Arts)in Political Science from Guwahati University, Guwahati in the year 1983 ,LL.B(Bachelor of Law) from Guwahati University, Guwahati in the year of 1993
10	Keshab Mahanta	AGP	KALIABOR	Post Graduate	Master of Arts(M.A) from Guwahati University in 1990
11	Ajanta Neog	BJP	GOLAGHAT	Post Graduate	2001- Master of Law From Guwahati University, Assam
12	Chandra Mohan Patowary	BJP	DHARMAPUR	Post Graduate	MA From Guwahati University in 1982, LLB From J.B Law College, Guwahati
13	Ranjeet Kumar Dass	BJP	PATACHARKUCHI	Post Graduate	M.Sc. from Guwahati University in 1990
14	Himanta Biswa Sarma	BJP	JALUKBARI	Doctorate	PHD From Guwahati University Guwahati in The Year 2006

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