

# SUMMARY OF THE TRIPARTITE MEETING

DATE OF THE TRIPARTITE MEETING : 06-04-1998

## POINTS DISCUSSED IN THE MEETING

1. **Repeal of IMDT Act, 1983** : AASU & Govt. of Assam demanded its repeal.  
(proposal will be put up to new Govt. for decision)
2. **Issue relating to Children of illegal immigrants form in India between 25-03-1971 and 01-01-1987 getting Indian Citizenship under the Citizenship Act** : AASU stated that Amendments to the Citizenship Act was not in the spirits of the Assam Accord. Govt. of Assam felt that it should apply only to the children of the foreigners who have entered India legally & not to the illegal migrants.  
(AASU & the state govt. to provide legal arguments in support of their contention. The Govt. of India would then re-examined the issue & seek legal opinion other matter)

### **Need for Citizenship Card and measures to prevent illegal infiltration:**

Proposal to issue Citizenship Cards. There is a need for list of citizens of Assam as on 25-03-1971 to be prepared based on 1971 electoral rolls. Assistance to be taken of previous electoral rolls & 1951 National Register of Citizens. Names and details of persons residing in Assam as per 1991 census to be made public. This is to be taken up with the Registrar General of India. Urgent steps to be taken by the State Govt. to ensure compliance of the Births and Deaths Registration Act. State Govt. to examine feasibility of introducing an amendment to the Gaon Burah Act.

3. **Border Management** : Redeployment of BSF for internal security duties has depleted their available strength for effective border patrol.

State Govt. will review the functioning of Prevention of Infiltration fees for which 3154 post have been sanctioned by GOI.

A Committee of Border management to be set up at State level with representatives of State Govt., State Police of BSF.

**Time wise schedule for Assam Accord** : Time wise schedules could be drawn up for implementation of various clauses of the Assam Accord.