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DEPARTMENT
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No. IND/CHD/FA-18/Pt-II/2024-25/

Dated Kokrajhar the 28 October, 2026

NOTICE (INVITING APPLICATIONS)

Applications are invited from artisans, entrepreneurs and unemployed youth of the Bodoland Territorial Council (BTC) for financial assistance under the scheme below during the financial year 2026–27.

NAME OF SCHEME: FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE SCHEME (FAS)

Assistance is available for setting up new micro enterprises or strengthening existing ones, both production-based and service-based. Trained and skilled persons are encouraged to apply. **Preference shall be given to existing industrial units.**

Eligible activities: Any viable manufacturing, processing or service-based micro enterprise may apply, **except** the activities listed in the Negative List below. Pure trading activities without manufacturing, processing or value addition are not eligible.

NEGATIVE LIST (INELIGIBLE ACTIVITIES)

The following activities shall **not** be considered for assistance under FAS:

1. **Liquor and intoxicants** – distilleries, breweries, country liquor, rice beer or toddy for sale, bars, and any hotel, dhaba or outlet serving liquor.
2. **Tobacco products** – beedi, cigarette, cigar, gutkha, pan masala, zarda and other tobacco-based items.
3. **Brick kilns** and clay/fly-ash brick units operated with kilns.
4. **Highly polluting (Red Category) industries** as classified by the Central / Pollution Control Board, Assam – e.g. tanneries, slaughter houses, dyes and dye intermediates, electroplating, pesticides, paints and varnishes, pulp and paper, sugar, lead-acid battery manufacturing or recycling, and asbestos products.
5. **Hazardous and explosive industries** – fireworks, firecrackers, explosives, arms and ammunition, and units handling or storing hazardous chemicals or hazardous waste.
6. **Stone crushers, mining and quarrying**, including sand, gravel and boulder extraction.
7. **Saw mills, veneer and plywood units** and other wood-based units requiring Forest Department licence or clearance.
8. **Banned items** – single-use plastic and plastic carry bags below the permitted thickness, and any item banned by the Government of India or Government of Assam.
9. **Plantation and crop cultivation** – tea, coffee, rubber and other crops grown without processing.
10. **Pure trading** – grocery, stationery, general stores and other sales outlets with no manufacturing, processing or value addition.
11. **Transport activities** – passenger and goods vehicles, taxis and other transport services.
12. **Financial and speculative activities** – money lending, chit funds, real estate, lottery and gambling.
13. Any other activity not permitted under the law or under the rules and guidelines of the Industries & Commerce Department, BTC.

In case of doubt, the recommendation of the concerned GM, DI&CC / ADIC shall be final.

Application forms may be downloaded from the departmental website www.industriesbtc.in with effect from **29th October 2026**. Duly filled applications with all supporting documents shall be submitted to the offices below.

The last date for receipt of applications is **12th November 2026, up to 4:00 PM**. If the last date falls on a government holiday, the last date for submission shall be the next working day, up to 4:00 PM.

Applications shall be submitted to:

1. Office of the General Manager, District Industries & Commerce Centre (DI&CC), Kokrajhar / Chirang / Baksa / Tamulpur / Udalguri.
2. Office of the Assistant Director of Industries & Commerce (ADIC), Parbatjhora / Gossaigaon / Bijni / Tamulpur / Salbari / Bhergaon.

Incomplete applications, applications without the requisite supporting documents, and applications for activities in the Negative List shall be summarily rejected.

I/c Addl. Director & CHD
Industries & Commerce Dept.,
BTC, Kokrajhar.

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Copy to:

1. The Secretary, Industries & Commerce Department, BTC, Kokrajhar, for kind information.
- ✓ 2. All General Managers, DI&CCs, and Assistant Directors of Industries & Commerce (ADICs), BTC, for information and necessary action. They are requested to display this Notice on their office notice boards, receive applications and after screening the applications prepare statements of applicants with their findings and recommendations in the enclosed Excel format, and submit the statements in hard and soft copy, along with the application forms, to the undersigned by **20th November 2026**.
3. The PS/PA to the HEM, Industries & Commerce Department, BTC, for kind information of the HEM.
4. The Computer Programmer, BTC Secretariat, Bodofa Nwgwr, Kokrajhar, for necessary action. He/She is requested to upload the Notice on www.bodoland.in on or before 29th October 2026.
5. Sri Dhunuraj Narzary, EO, for necessary action. He is requested to upload the Notice on www.industriesbtc.in on or before 29th October 2026.
6. Office Notice Board.
7. Office Copy.

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