Press Release

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Assam Christian Forum Welcomes Referral of FCRA Amendment Bill 2026 to Joint Parliamentary Committee

The Assam Christian Forum expresses its deep gratitude to the Government of India for its prudent decision to refer the Foreign Contribution (Regulation) Amendment Bill, 2026 to a Joint Parliamentary Committee (JPC) for detailed examination. We also offer heartfelt thanks to God for His gracious intervention in guiding this process towards greater consultation and dialogue.

This democratic and consultative step demonstrates the Government’s willingness to listen to the concerns of the NGO's, Minority communities and other civil society stakeholders. The Assam Christian Forum warmly welcomes the opportunity for wider deliberation and looks forward to constructive engagement with the Ministry of Home Affairs and the Joint Parliamentary Committee during the scrutiny of the proposed legislation.

As a body committed to serving the people of Assam and the nation through education, healthcare, social development and various charitable initiatives, the Forum remains dedicated to contributing positively to India’s progress. We reaffirm our readiness to work in a spirit of dialogue and cooperation to help shape a balanced statutory framework—one that upholds natural justice while enabling genuine civil society organisations to continue their service to the nation and its cotizens without hindrance.

The Assam Christian Forum reiterates its unwavering commitment to transparency, accountability and responsible engagement with the Government and all stakeholders, always keeping the larger interest of the country and its people at the centre.

We pray that the deliberations of the Joint Parliamentary Committee will be guided by wisdom, fairness and the common good.

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