

NRC UPDATION — SIMPLIFIED

he National Register of Citizens (NRC) is the register containing names of Indian CITIZENS. The NRC will be updated to include the names of those persons (or their descendants) who appear in the NRC, 1951, or in any of the Electoral Rolls up to the midnight of 24th March, 1971 or in any one of the other admissible documents of pre-1971 period which would prove their presence in Assam on or before 24th March, 1971. Thus, there will be two requirements for inclusion in updated NRC – 1.) existence of a person's name in the pre-1971 period & 2.) proving linkage with that person. For getting their names included in the updated NRC, citizens shall have to submit Applications Forms (family-wise). Application Forms received by Govt shall be verified and based on the results of verification of particulars submitted by the citizens in their Application Forms, the updated NRC shall be prepared.

In case the name of the person or those of the ancestors are not found in either the NRC, 1951 or in any of the Electoral Rolls up to the midnight of 24th March, 1971, eligibility for inclusion in the updated NRC can still be established through any of the following DOCUMENTS OF PRE-1971 PERIOD.

Land & Tenancy Records
 Citizenship Certificate
 Govt Service/Employment Certificate
 Permanent Residential Certificate (PRC)
 Bank/Post office Accounts
 Refugee Registration Certificate
 Birth Certificate
 Passport
 Board/ University Educational Certificate
 LIC
 Court Records/ Processes



In addition to the aforesaid 12 documents, the following would be used as supporting documents –

- 1. Circle Officer/ GP Secretary Certificate in respect of married women migrating after marriage.
- 2. Ration Card issued up to the midnight of 24th March, 1971.

OTHER CRUCIAL INFORMATION RELATED TO NRC UPDATION:

- Separate advertisements will be given in the media about submission of Application Forms including dates of submission.
- Even in cases where names, age etc are wrongly spelt in 1951 NRC or pre-1971 Electoral Rolls, there would be ample scope for citizens to prove their linkage with the correct person during Field Verification.
- Admissible document of any period upto midnight of 24th March, 1971 shall be enough to prove eligibility
 for inclusion in updated NRC. Rumours about requirement of documents only of pre-1966 period are
 baseless.
- All the names appearing in the NRC, 1951, or any of the Electoral Rolls up to the midnight of 24th March, 1971 together are called Legacy Data.