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Dear Members,

After the grand success of the *Pratham Bohag* program, it is now time to look forward for the gala event of our Rongali Bihu celebration, the "**Shanta Uzir Nite**". As communicated earlier, we have finalized the date for the cultural evening on **Friday, the 13th of May 2011**. The venue for the program will be **Hotel Crowne Plaza**, Farwaniya and we will start the program from 6:45 PM onward followed by a grand dinner. The detailed program schedule will be circulated nearer the time.

Our cultural team is busy in preparation for the various items to be performed in the colorful evening. Hectic rehearsal schedule is underway so as to give a professional touch to the items. Our Guest artist from Assam, **Mrs Shanta Uzir**, the "*Lata of Northeast*" as she is popularly known, has prepared a comprehensive list of entertaining numbers to cater to the taste of all sections of the crowd.

There will also be an exhibition of traditional artifact representing the rich culture of Assam. The decoration team is giving final touches to present an imposing ambience to the venue. The souvenir team is already at an advanced stage, minutely looking at the finer points before letting it go for printing. The food & refreshment team has been in constant touch with Crown Plaza staff, so as to ensure that everyone can relish the delicacies to his heart's content. Our new look website is continuously improving with inclusion of new items every other day. Please visit the site regularly to get the latest update and also participate actively so that it becomes more lively and at the same time increase the number of Page hits. Our Publicity secretary has plans to offer attractive prizes for successful participants in the various interesting events like Trivia etcetera in the site.

Finally, our fund collection drive is on in full swing, but we have to rely heavily on the membership contribution plus the token amount to be collected for the function in order to meet the projected expenditure. For your information, we are enclosing a tentative budget for the year so that we all have a clear picture of the financial health of our organization. In a nutshell, we have a shortfall of about 1500/-KD to cover the expenditures of the current FY up to March 2012. Therefore, those who are yet to pay the membership fee for the current tenure are requested to pay the same at the earliest. In addition, like the previous years, we will be collecting a token amount per head for the cultural evening; the details will be circulated in a couple of days' time.

As there is hardly two weeks for the gala cultural extravaganza, so what are you waiting for? Get your best attires ready, participate in the preparatory works and be there on time to enjoy full range of '**entertainment unlimited**' which is in store or you.

"জই আই অসম"

Bijan Goswami

ASOM ASSOCIATION KUWAIT
ESTIMATED INCOME-EXPENDITURE PROJECTION FOR YEAR 2011-12

1. PROJECTED EXPENDITURE UP TO MARCH 2012	KD 2988 /-
2. PROJECTED INCOME FROM VARIOUS EVENTS UP TO MARCH 2012	KD 656/-
3. CASH IN HAND AS ON 20 TH MARCH 2011	KD 828/-
4. TOTAL INFLOW PROJECTED (2+3)	KD 1484/-
5. NET DEFICIT TO BE COVERED BY MEMBER'S CONTRIBUTION + SPONSORSHIP (4-1)	(-) KD 1504/-

NOTES:

- Sponsorship amount during the year 2009-10 & 2010-11 was KD700/- & KD600/- respectively
- Expenditure projections were arrived at taking 15% excess over the last year's figure
- Income from various events includes individual contributions from: Prathom Bohag, Rongali Bihu, Autumn Festival & Magh Bihu.
- Member's contribution is vital in making up the deficit.