

## Operation of Freight Ferry

Name of Project	Operation of Freight Ferry
Project Location	Barpeta-Guwahati Guwahati-North Guwahati-Kurua Mukalmua-Guwahati Sualkuchi-Guwahati Chaygaon-Palasbari-Guwahati Majuli-Nimati Ghat Dhubri
Approx. Project cost	Subject to DPR preparation
Focus sector	River Transport and port townships
Employment	Subject to DPR
Status of approvals	New Project
Project contours	Concerned authority intends to develop cargo ferry services within the State on the river Brahmaputra and make the river an alternate and cost effective means of transport for transportation of cargo.
Investment Opportunities	Operation and Maintenance of cargo ferries (both smaller cargo boats carrying 1-2 tonne freight and cargo ferry carrying up to 10-15 tonnes) in PPP mode
Connectivity	All the port terminals are well connected with roads.
Proposed Infrastructure	Terminal facilities at River Bank at notified ferry services to be developed/refurbished by concerned authority.
Noda agency	Directorate of Inland Water Transport, Assam