

On 16th March 2017 hundreds of erstwhile enclave dwellers from all 51 Bangladeshi enclaves and 3 temporary shelters for Indian enclave dwellers assembled at heart of Cooch Behar town, Madanmohan temple. From that point one rally started with chanting slogans towards office of the District Magistrate of Cooch Behar. Though informed earlier, it was informed that DM and ADM are busy and no time to receive memorandum. After getting received of the memorandum there was a meeting in front of the entrance of the office of DM Cooch Behar. Memorandum demanded 1. Immediate issue of ID proof with self picture until citizenship provided to each of the enclave dwellers; 2. Title of own land to be recognised by the government to all Bangladeshi enclave dwellers; 3. Immediate steps to be taken on roads, drinking water, electricity, toilet after discussion with respective enclave dwellers(Chitmahalbasi);4. All social security schemes to be conducted in all erstwhile enclaves and every enclave dwellers to be beneficiary of those schemes and lastly compensation and rehabilitation to be done to all enclave dwellers, mainly people residing in Indian enclaves.

After this thousands of leaflet were distributed among the passers-by and citizens of Coochbihar.

