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Title:	Over 100 Heron Birds found dead after Hailstorm in Nagaon district, Assam			
Action By CSU, IDSP –NCDC	Information communicated to DSU – Nagaon, SSU– Assam			

The heavy hailstorm and rains on Saturday afternoon, February 5, have done substantial damage to bird habitats in Assam.

As per local media reports, a large number of Heron birds were found dead due to the hailstorm and cold weather in Assam's Nagaon district.

Local residents from Barhampur lit up firewood to keep the birds warm so they could be saved from the harsh weather.

A forest Ranger K Malakar, informed reporters that over 100 birds have died after the hailstorm and birds are being sent to a rescue centre for treatment, reported ANI.

