



LOK SABHA DEBATES

(Part I -- Proceedings with Questions and Answers)

The House met at Eleven of the Clock.

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(a1/1100/ind-san)

1100 बजे

(अध्यक्ष महोदया पीठासीन हुईं)

अध्यक्ष महोदया : प्रश्न संख्या 461 - श्री के. सुगुमार।

... (व्यवधान)

श्री शैलेन्द्र कुमार (कौशाम्बी): अध्यक्ष महोदया, हमने प्रश्नकाल स्थगन का नोटिस दिया है।... (व्यवधान)

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... (व्यवधान)

श्री शैलेन्द्र कुमार (कौशाम्बी): महोदया, उत्तर प्रदेश में भ्रष्टाचार व्याप्त है।... (व्यवधान)

अध्यक्ष महोदया : आप लोग बैठ जाएं।

... (व्यवधान)

MADAM SPEAKER: Nothing will go on record.

(Interruptions) ... (Not recorded)

1102 बजे

(इस समय श्री सी.आर. पाटिल और कुछ अन्य माननीय सदस्य आकर
पटल के निकट फर्श पर खड़े हो गए।)

... (व्यवधान)

श्री शैलेन्द्र कुमार (कौशाम्बी): उत्तर प्रदेश में ... (व्यवधान)

अध्यक्ष महोदया : प्रश्नकाल के अलावा कुछ भी रिकार्ड में नहीं जाएगा।

... (व्यवधान) (कार्यवाही-वृत्तान्त में सम्मिलित नहीं किया गया।)

1102 बजे

(इस समय श्री शैलेन्द्र कुमार और कुछ अन्य माननीय सदस्य आकर
पटल के निकट फर्श पर खड़े हो गए।)

... (Interruptions)

अध्यक्ष महोदया : प्रश्न संख्या 461 - श्री के. सुगुमार।

(Q. 461)

SHRI K. SUGUMAR (POLLACHI): Hon. Madam Speaker, I am very sorry to say that the hon. Minister has demolished my good intention about cooperative farming, I myself being a farmer, by saying that 'cooperation' is a State Subject. ... (*Interruptions*) I do agree that it is a State Subject and we should not curtail the jurisdiction of the States provided under the federal set up. ... (*Interruptions*) The hon. Minister is aware how we made a revolution in the dairy sector. ... (*Interruptions*) Although, as the hon. Minister has stated, it was also a State Subject, but the then Government ensured a dairy revolution through NDDDB. ... (*Interruptions*) However, I find no such initiative being taken or proposed to be taken in the reply given by the hon. Minister. ... (*Interruptions*)

Therefore, I would like to know from the hon. Minister whether he would like to go in the similar fashion and involve NDDDB in making cooperative farming a success in the country. ... (*Interruptions*)

(b1/1105/ak-sk)

MADAM SPEAKER: Nothing will go on record.

(*Interruptions*) ... (*Not recorded*)

SHRI SHARAD PAWAR : Madam, co-operation is a State subject, but there are schemes in the Agriculture Ministry for institutions that are in the area of marketing, processing and export from where we can support the State Government's proposals. ... (*Interruptions*) If any specific proposal is sent from the State to the Government of India, then I will be happy to support it. ... (*Interruptions*)

SHRI K. SUGUMAR (POLLACHI): Madam, all the countries in the world -- including the developed countries -- had adopted co-operative farming in their countries, and they were able to export surplus food grains and vegetable oils. ... (*Interruptions*)

It is understood from the reply given by the hon. Minister that most of the benefits provided to the farmers were related to post-harvesting. ... (*Interruptions*) I would like to bring to the notice of the Government that the State Government of Tamil Nadu, under the dynamic leadership of our hon. Chief Minister Amma, had launched many schemes in the past as well as is doing presently for the benefit of farmers right from the beginning to post-harvest. ... (*Interruptions*)

You would be glad to know that our hon. Chief Minister has taken a massive programme to eradicate Parthenium plant, which is spoiling the farming sector. Therefore, I would like to know this from the hon. Minister. ... (*Interruptions*) Is the Government planning to extend possible help to the State Government of Tamil Nadu to undertake this massive programme across the State? ... (*Interruptions*)

Comment: Fld., by c1

(c1/1110/sh-bks)

MADAM SPEAKER: Nothing will go on record.

(Interruptions) ... (Not recorded)

SHRI SHARAD PAWAR: Madam Speaker, the programme which the hon. Chief Minister intended to take up in Tamil Nadu is a very useful programme. If I get a specific proposal from the Tamil Nadu Government, I am ready to apply my mind and try to resolve the issue. I will be very happy to support the State Government in this regard.... (*Interruptions*)



MADAM SPEAKER: The House stands adjourned to meet again at 1200 hours.

1111 hours

The Lok Sabha then adjourned till Twelve of the Clock.

Comment: Fd by d1



(d1/1200/gg-smn)

1200 hours

The Lok Sabha re-assembled at Twelve of the Clock.

(Madam Speaker in the Chair)

PAPERS LAID ON THE TABLE

MADAM SPEAKER: Papers to be laid on the Table.

THE MINISTER OF FINANCE (SHRI PRANAB MUKHERJEE): Madam, I beg to lay on the Table:-

A copy each of the following papers (Hindi and English versions) under sub-section (1) of Section 7 of the Fiscal Responsibility and Budget Management Act, 2003:-

- (1) Statement on Quarterly Review of the trends in receipts and expenditure in relation to the budget at the end of the Financial Year 2010-2011.
- (2) Statement on Quarterly Review of the trends in receipts and expenditure in relation to the budget at the end of the first Quarter of the Financial Year 2011-2012.

THE MINISTER OF HOUSING AND URBAN POVERTY ALLEVIATION AND MINISTER OF CULTURE (KUMARI SELJA): Madam, I beg to lay on the Table:-

- (1) (i) A copy of the Annual Report (Hindi and English versions) of the South Central Zone Cultural Centre, Nagpur, for the year 2009-2010, alongwith Audited Accounts.
(ii) A copy of the Review (Hindi and English versions) by the Government of the working of the South Central Zone Cultural Centre, Nagpur, for the year 2009-2010.
- (2) Statement (Hindi and English versions) showing reasons for delay in laying the papers mentioned at (1) above.

- (3) (i) A copy of the Annual Report (Hindi and English versions) of the National Museum Institute of History of Art, Conservation and Museology, New Delhi, for the year 2009-2010, alongwith Audited Accounts.
(ii) A copy of the Review (Hindi and English versions) by the Government of the working of the National Museum Institute of History of Art, Conservation and Museology, New Delhi, for the year 2009-2010.
- (4) Statement (Hindi and English versions) showing reasons for delay in laying the papers mentioned at (3) above.
- (5) (i) A copy of the Annual Report (Hindi and English versions) of the Allahabad Museum, Allahabad, for the year 2009-2010, alongwith Audited Accounts.
(ii) A copy of the Review (Hindi and English versions) by the Government of the working of the Allahabad Museum, Allahabad, for the year 2009-2010.
- (6) Statement (Hindi and English versions) showing reasons for delay in laying the papers mentioned at (5) above.

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI MULLAPPALLY RAMACHANDRAN): Madam, I beg to lay on the Table:-

- (1) A copy of the Notification No S.O. 2689(E) (Hindi and English versions) published in Gazette of India dated the 1st November, 2010, appointing the 2nd day of November, 2010, as the dated on which the provisions of the Code of Criminal Procedure (Amendment) Act, 2010 shall come into force issued under sub-section (2) of Section a of the said Act.
- (2) A copy of the 41st Annual Assessment Report (Hindi and English versions) regarding the programme for accelerating the spread and development of Hindi and its progressive use for the various official purposes of the Union and its implementation, for the year 2009-2010.

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI S.S. PALANIMANICKAM): Madam, on behalf of Shri Namu Narain Meena, I beg to lay on the Table:-

A copy each of the following papers (Hindi and English versions) under Article 151(1) of the Constitution:-

- (1) Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India-Union Government (Civil) (No. 13 of 2011-12)-Performance Audit of the National Institutes of Technology (NITs)-Department of Higher Education, Ministry of Human Resource Development for the year ended March, 2010.
- (2) Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India-Union Government (Civil) (No. 16 of 2011-12)-Compliance Audit Observations for the year ended March, 2010.
- (3) Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India-Union Government (Civil) (No. 17 of 2011-12)-Autonomous Bodies (Performance Audit) for the year ended March, 2010.

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE, MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES AND MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI HARISH RAWAT): Madam, I beg to lay on the Table:-

- (1) A copy each of the following papers (Hindi and English versions) under Section 619A of the Companies Act, 1956:-
 - (i) Review by the Government of the working of the Himachal Pradesh Agro Industries Corporation Limited, Shimla, for the year 2009-2010.
 - (ii) Annual Report of the Himachal Pradesh Agro Industries Corporation Limited, Shimla, for the year 2009-2010, alongwith Audited Accounts and comments of the Comptroller and Auditor General thereon.

- (2) Statement (Hindi and English versions) showing reasons for delay in laying the papers mentioned at (1) above.
- (3) A copy each of the following Notifications (Hindi and English versions) under sub-section (6) of Section 3 of the Essential Commodities Act, 1955:-
 - (i) S.O.1732(E) in Gazette of India dated the 26th July, 2011, notifying the specifications valid a period of three years in respect of the customized fertilizers to be manufactured by the manufacturers of such fertilizers, mentioned therein.
 - (ii) S.O. 1733(E) in Gazette of India dated the 26th July, 2011, making certain amendments in the Notification No. S.O. 977(E) dated 9th November, 1987.
 - (iii) S.O. 1893(E) published in Gazette of India dated the 12th August, 2011, fixing the specifications in respect of three new fertilizers imported in India for a period of two years from the date of publication of this order in the Official Gazette for the purpose of sale of the same in India for the use of agriculture.

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI CHOUDHURY MOHAN JATUA): Madam, I beg to lay on the Table:-

- (1)
 - (i) A copy of the Annual Report (Hindi and English versions) of the Indian Institute of Mass Communication, New Delhi, for the year 2009-2010, alongwith Audited Accounts.
 - (ii) A copy of the Review (Hindi and English versions) by the Government of the working of the Indian Institute of Mass Communication, New Delhi, for the year 2009-2010.
- (2) Statement (Hindi and English versions) showing reasons for delay in laying the papers mentioned at (1) above.

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS
(SHRI JITENDRA SINGH): Madam, I beg to lay on the Table:-

- (1) A copy each of the following Notifications (Hindi and English versions) under sub-section (3) of Section 18 of the Central Reserve Police Force Act, 1949:-
 - (i) The Central Reserve Police Force Group Sub-Inspector (Stenographer), Inspector (Stenographer) and Subedar Major (Stenographer) Amendment Rules, 2011 published in Notification No. G.S.R. 478(E) in Gazette of India dated the 24th June, 2011.
 - (ii) The Central Reserve Police Force Inspector (Hindi Translator), and Subedar Major (Hindi Translator) Amendment Recruitment Rules, 2011 published in Notification No. G.S.R. 479(E) in Gazette of India dated the 24th June, 2011.
 - (iii) The Central Reserve Police Force Sub-Inspector (Ministerial), Inspector (Ministerial) and Subedar Major (Ministerial) Amendment Recruitment Rules, 2011 published in Notification No. G.S.R. 480(E) in Gazette of India dated the 24th June, 2011.
- (2) A copy each of the following Notifications (Hindi and English versions) under sub-section (3) of Section 141 of the Border Security Force Act, 1968:-
 - (i) The Border Security Force, Headquarters Head Constable (Draftsman), Group 'C' Post, Recruitment Rules, 2011 published in Notification No. G.S.R. 175 in Gazette of India dated the 11th June, 2011.
 - (ii) The Border Security Force, Constable (Tradesman), Group 'C' Posts, Recruitment (Amendment) Rules, 2011 published in Notification No. G.S.R. 169 in Gazette of India dated the 4th June, 2011.

- (3) A copy of the Official Languages (Use for Official purposes of the Union) Amendment Rules, 2011 (Hindi and English versions) published in the Notification No. G.S.R. 145 in Gazette of India dated the 14th May, 2011 under sub-section (3) of Section 4 of the Official Languages Act, 1963.

**COMMITTEE ON WELFARE OF SCHEDULED CASTES
AND SCHEDULED TRIBES
Twelfth and Thirteenth Reports**

SHRI BIREN SINGH ENGTI (AUTONOMOUS DISTT. ASSAM): I beg to present the following Reports ¹ (Hindi and English versions) of the Committee on the Welfare of scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes (2010-11 and 2011-12):-

- (1) Twelfth Report on Examination of Programmes for the Development of Particularly Vulnerable Tribal Groups (PTGs).
- (2) Thirteenth Report on Termination of 10 SC ex-teachers appointed by Navyug School Educational Society of New Delhi Municipal Council on contract basis during Special Recruitment Drives 2005 and 2007.

**COMMITTEE ON SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION
Nineteenth and Twentieth Reports**

SHRI MADHU GOUD YASKHI (NIZAMABAD): I beg to present the Nineteenth and Twentieth Reports (Hindi and English versions) of the Committee on Subordinate Legislation.

¹ Twelfth Report of the Committee was presented to Hon'ble Speaker on 30th April, 2011 and Thirteenth Report of the Committee was presented to Hon'ble Speaker on 1st June, 2011 under Direction 71A when the House was not in Session.

**COMMITTEE ON ABSENCE OF MEMBERS FROM THE
SITTINGS OF THE HOUSE
Fourth Report**

SHRI PRALHAD JOSHI (DHARWAD): I beg to present the Fourth Report (Hindi and English versions) of the Committee on Absence of Members from the Sittings of the House.

**STATEMENT RE: STATUS OF IMPLEMENTATION OF
RECOMMENDATIONS IN 7TH REPORT OF STANDING
COMMITTEE ON INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY - LAID**

संचार और सूचना प्रौद्योगिकी मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (श्री सचिन पायलट): अध्यक्ष महोदया, दिनांक 1 सितम्बर, 2004 के लोक सभा बुलेटिन भाग-11 के जरिए किए गए माननीय अध्यक्ष, लोक सभा के निदेश 73क के अनुसरण में, सूचना प्रौद्योगिकी विभाग, संचार और सूचना प्रौद्योगिकी मंत्रालय की सूचना प्रौद्योगिकी संबंधी स्थायी समिति (2009-10) की 7वीं रिपोर्ट (15वीं लोक सभा) में की गई सिफारिशों के कार्यान्वयन की स्थिति पर यह वक्तव्य सभा-पटल पर रख रहा हूँ।

1. सूचना प्रौद्योगिकी संबंधी स्थायी समिति ने सूचना प्रौद्योगिकी विभाग की वर्ष 2010-11 की अनुदानों की मांग की जांच की तथा रिपोर्ट 21 अप्रैल, 2010 को लोक सभा में प्रस्तुत की। रिपोर्ट में 32 सिफारिशें और टिप्पणी की गई हैं।
2. सूचना प्रौद्योगिकी विभाग ने अनवर्ती कार्रवाई रिपोर्ट (अनुबंध-1) के अनुसार सूचना प्रौद्योगिकी संबंधी स्थायी संसदीय समिति की सभी 32 सिफारिशों/टिप्पणियों के कार्यान्वयन के लिए सभी संभावित कदम उठाए हैं।
3. मैं सदन का मूल्यवान समय नष्ट नहीं करते हुए विस्तृत अनुवर्ती कार्रवाई रिपोर्ट सदन के पटल पर रखना चाहता हूँ।

**STATEMENT RE: STATUS OF IMPLEMENTATION OF
RECOMMENDATIONS IN 62ND REPORT OF STANDING
COMMITTEE ON INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY - LAID**

संचार और सूचना प्रौद्योगिकी मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (श्री सचिन पायलट): अध्यक्ष महोदया, मैं डाक विभाग, संचार और सूचना प्रौद्योगिकी मंत्रालय से संबंधित बैंककारी और बीमा कार्यकलापों के माध्यम से डाक विभाग द्वारा निधियों का प्रबंधन के बारे में सूचना प्रौद्योगिकी संबंधी स्थायी समिति के 62वें प्रतिवेदन में अन्तर्विष्ट सिफारिशों के कार्यान्वयन की स्थिति सभा पटल पर रखता हूँ।

**STATEMENT RE: STATUS OF IMPLEMENTATION OF
RECOMMENDATIONS IN 5TH REPORT OF STANDING
COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE - LAID**

कृषि मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री तथा खाद्य प्रसंस्करण उद्योग मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (डॉ. चरण दास महंत):
अध्यक्ष महोदया, मैं माननीय अध्यक्ष, लोक सभा के निदेश के अनुसरण में स्थायी कृषि समिति की 5वीं रिपोर्ट में दी गई सिफारिशों के कार्यान्वयन की अद्यतन स्थिति के संबंध में यह वक्तव्य सभा-पटल पर रख रहा हूँ।

स्थायी कृषि समिति (15वीं लोक सभा) की 5वीं रिपोर्ट दिनांक 03.03.2010 को लोक सभा में प्रस्तुत की गई थी। यह रिपोर्ट वर्ष 2009-10 खाद्य प्रसंस्करण उद्योग मंत्रालय की अनुदान-मांगों की जांच से संबंधित है।

उक्त 5वीं रिपोर्ट में समिति द्वारा 21 सिफारिशें/प्रेक्षण किए गए थे जिन पर सरकार द्वारा कार्रवाई की जानी अपेक्षित है। ये सिफारिशें खाद्य प्रसंस्करण उद्योग क्षेत्र के माध्यम से खाद्य प्रसंस्करण उद्योग के प्रोत्साहन, बजटीय आयोजना, बजट आबंटन, विकास दर - एफपीआई सेक्टर, चौथी तिमाही और मार्च के व्यय का अधिक्य, वार्षिक योजना 2009-10, मध्यावधि मूल्यांकन, खाद्य पार्कों के लिए अवसंरचना विकास स्कीम, बूचड़खानों का आधुनिकीकरण, शीत श्रृंखला मूल्यवृद्धि और परिरक्षण अवसंरचना, खाद्य प्रसंस्करण उद्योग प्रौद्योगिकी उन्नयन, राष्ट्रीय खाद्य प्रौद्योगिकी उद्यमशीलता एवं प्रबंधन संस्थान (निफ्टेम), खाद्य प्रसंस्करण नीति, संगठनात्मक ढांचे का सुदृढीकरण, विजन-2015, खाद्य प्रसंस्करण उद्योग क्षेत्र की जनशक्ति सघन प्रकृति और उपयोगिता प्रमाणपत्रों से संबंधित हैं।

समिति द्वारा की गई विभिन्न सिफारिशों के कार्यान्वयन की वर्तमान स्थिति तथा समिति को दी गई सूचना मेरे वक्तव्य के अनुलग्नक में दी गई है और उसे सभा-पटल पर रख दिया गया है। मैं अनुलग्नक में दी गई सारी सामग्री पढ़ कर सदन का मूल्यवान समय नष्ट नहीं करना चाहूंगा। कृपया इसे पढ़ा गया समझा जाए।

**STATEMENT RE: STATUS OF IMPLEMENTATION OF
RECOMMENDATIONS IN 9TH REPORT OF STANDING
COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE - LAID**

कृषि मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री तथा खाद्य प्रसंस्करण उद्योग मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (डॉ. चरण दास महंत):
मैं माननीय सभापति, लोक सभा के निदेश के अनुसरण में स्थायी कृषि समिति (15वीं लोक सभा) की 9वीं रिपोर्ट में दी गई सिफारिशों के कार्यान्वयन की अद्यतन स्थिति के संबंध में यह वक्तव्य दे रहा हूँ।

स्थायी कृषि समिति की 9वीं रिपोर्ट दिनांक 03.03.2010 को राज्य सभा में प्रस्तुत की गई थी। यह रिपोर्ट वर्ष 2010 -11 के लिए खाद्य प्रसंस्करण उद्योग मंत्रालय की अनुदान-मांगों की जांच से संबंधित है।

उक्त 9वीं रिपोर्ट में समिति द्वारा 13 सिफारिशें/प्रेक्षण किए गए थे जिन पर सरकार द्वारा कारवाई की जानी अपेक्षित है। ये सिफारिशें खाद्य प्रसंस्करण उद्योग क्षेत्र द्वारा खाद्य प्रसंस्करण नीति के प्रोत्साहन, मांग का सिंहावलोकन, योजना परिव्यय और वार्षिक योजना आबंटन, पूर्वोत्तर क्षेत्र को आबंटन, मध्यावधि मूल्यांकन, आंतरिक मूल्यांकन और भावी आयोजना, मेगा खाद्य पार्क, खाद्य प्रसंस्करण उद्योग प्रौद्योगिकी उन्नयन/स्थापना और आधुनिकीकरण स्कीम, राष्ट्रीय खाद्य प्रौद्योगिकी उद्यमशीलता एवं प्रबंधन संस्थान (निफ्टेम), खाद्य प्रसंस्करण प्रशिक्षण केंद्रों, खाद्य परीखण प्रयोगशालाओं, परिणामी बजट और लम्बित उपयोगिता प्रमाणपत्र जारी करने से संबंधित हैं।

समिति द्वारा की गई विभिन्न सिफारिशों के कार्यान्वयन की वर्तमान स्थिति तथा समिति को दी गई सूचना मेरे वक्तव्य के अनुलग्नक में दी गई है और उसे सभा-पटल पर रख दिया गया है। मैं अनुलग्नक में दी गई सारी सामग्री पढ़ कर सदन का मूल्यवान समय नष्ट नहीं करना चाहूंगा। कृपया इसे पढ़ा गया समझा जाए।

Comment: Fld. by e1



(e1/1205/sr-cs)

**STATEMENT CORRECTING ANSWER GIVEN TO UNSTARRED
QUESTION NO. 1606 DATED 09.08.2011
RE: (i) 'STORAGE OF FOODGRAINS' AND
(ii) GIVING REASONS FOR DELAY IN CORRECTING
THE ANSWER--LAID**

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION (PROF. K.V. THOMAS): I beg to correct the reply of Part (a) and (b) to the Lok Sabha Unstarred Question No. 1606 answered on 09.08.2011 regarding "Storage of Foodgrains" as follows:

Part of the Question answered	For	Read
(a) and (b)	No Madam, a large quantum of foodgrains has not been damaged due to poor management and shortage of storage space. Total stocks of foodgrains in Central Pool held by FCI as on 1.04.2011 was 234.02 lakh tons and with State agencies 238.55 lakh tons as on 1.4.2011. During last one year (2010-11), 0.63 lakh tons of foodgrains with FCI and 0.82 tons with State agencies accrued as damaged/non-issuable.	No Madam, a large quantum of foodgrains has not been damaged due to poor management and shortage of storage space. Total stocks of foodgrains in Central Pool held by FCI as on 1.04.2011 was 234.02 lakh tons and with State agencies 238.55 lakh tons as on 1.4.2011. During last one year (2010-11), 0.063 lakh tons of foodgrains were accrued as damaged/non-issuable with FCI. A quantity of 0.82 lakh tons damaged/non-issuable foodgrains were lying with the State agencies as on 1.4.2011.

The reason for delay:

The corrected reply could not be laid on the Table of the House within the prescribed period due to delay in coming of the mistake to the notice of the Department.

The inconvenience caused is regretted.

**MOTION RE: JOINT COMMITTEE RELATING TO ALLOCATION AND
PRICING OF TELECOM LICENCES AND SPECTRUM
– EXTENSION OF TIME**

1206 hours

SHRI P.C. CHACKO (THRISSUR): I beg to move:

“That this House do extend upto the last day of the Budget Session 2012, the time for presentation of the report of the Joint Committee to examine matters relating to allocation and pricing of telecom licences and spectrum.”

MADAM SPEAKER: The question is:

“That this House do extend upto the last day of the Budget Session 2012, the time for presentation of the report of the Joint Committee to examine matters relating to allocation and pricing of telecom licences and spectrum.”

The motion was adopted.

MATTERS UNDER RULE 377 – LAID

1207 hours

MADAM SPEAKER: Hon. Members, the Matters under Rule 377 shall be laid on the Table of the House. Members who have been permitted to raise Matters under Rule 377 today and are desirous of laying them may personally hand over slips at the Table of the House within 20 minutes. Only those Matters shall be treated as laid for which slips have been received at the Table within the stipulated time. The rest will be treated as lapsed.

Re: Need to increase green cover in cities in the country

SHRI CHARLES DIAS (NOMINATED): Cities in our country are becoming polluted day by day and they lack even the primary need of Oxygen. Studies in many cities in our country show that atmospheric pollution is increasing and it is becoming unworthy for human life. Diseases are spreading because of atmospheric pollution and reckless construction of buildings is making human life difficult.

The only way to give more oxygen to our cities is to grow more trees. But, the footpaths are covered with concrete and as such is not grown in cities. The avenues have become a rare view in Indian cities now. Trees which were planted in our cities have been perished by shop-owners and no action can be taken against them in the present set-up as they damage the trees with chemicals. In the above circumstances, to give lungs to our cities, city forests are the only way. Henceforth, cities have to be planned with enough space to form city forests and there should be a ratio of land to be earmarked in proportion with other areas for housing public buildings and commercial areas. This will not only provide Oxygen to our cities, but give a green shelter to birds and space to spend leisurely hours to the inhabitants.

(ends)

**Re:Need to open a Sports Training Centre in Rohtak, Haryana under Special
Promotion Scheme of Sports Authority of India**

श्री दीपेन्द्र सिंह हुड्डा (रोहतक):

Re:Need to provide funds for construction of level crossings to facilitate movement of people on roads constructed under Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana in Barmer Parliamentary Constituency, Rajasthan

श्री हरीश चौधरी (बाड़मेर):

Re:Need to undertake repair work of Sharda Sahayak Canal and release sufficient quantity of water in the canal during sowing period of crops in Sultanpur Parliamentary Constituency, Uttar Pradesh

डॉ. संजय सिंह (सुल्तानपुर):

Re:Need to provide houses under Sukhi Griha Scheme of Railways to people living in Jhuggis along railway lines in Mumbai South Central Parliamentary Constituency, Maharashtra

श्री एकनाथ महादेव गायकवाड (मुम्बई दक्षिण-मध्य):

Re: Need to set up a model degree college in Srikakulam district, Andhra Pradesh

DR. KRUPARANI KILLI (SRIKAKULAM): The Government of India approved a proposal to set up one model degree college each in 374 educationally backward districts where gross enrolment ratio (GER) for higher education is less than the national GER. The Ministry of Human Resource Development has recognized 13 districts of Andhra Pradesh as educationally backward districts and Srikakulam district is one of them. Srikakulam district is one of the most backward districts of Andhra Pradesh as well as in the country. Most of the population of this district is tribal and economically and socially backward communities. The people are mainly farmers and fishermen. Educationally this district is very backward with insufficient schools and colleges and also due to the poor living standards, the GER is very low when compared to the national average in primary and higher education levels. Opening of a Model Degree College in the Srikakulam District will help to improve the educational standards and the enrolment ratio in the higher education in the district.

Hence, I request the Hon'ble Minister for Human Resource Development to consider the proposal for setting up a model degree college in Srikakulam district, Andhra Pradesh at the earliest.

(ends)

**Re:Need to construct roads in Pohari in Gwalior Parliamentary Constituency,
Madhya Pradesh under Central Road Funds**

श्रीमती यशोधरा राजे सिंधिया (ग्वालियर):

Re:Need to reschedule the timing of Indore-Nizamuddin (Delhi) Train Nos. 12415/12416 and improve the passenger facilities in the trains besides running a Durgam passenger train between Indore and Delhi

श्रीमती सुमित्रा महाजन (इन्दौर):

Re:Need to expedite construction of Lalitpur-Singrauli Railway line project

श्री गणेश सिंह (सतना):

**Re:Need to take urgent measures to correct sex ratio imbalance
in the country**

श्रीमती उा वरुा (हरदोई):

**Re:Need to take steps to control the annual flood in eastern Uttar Pradesh
and undertake adequate relief and rehabilitation measures for people
affected due to floods**

श्री भीम शंकर उर्फ कुशल तिवारी (संत कबीर नगर):

Re: Need to undertake gauge conversion of railway line from Saharsa to Forbisganj in Bihar

श्री विश्व मोहन कुमार (सुपौल):

**Re: Need to take effective steps to regulate the functioning of toll plazas
in the country particularly on NH-7 & NH-47 in
Krishnagiri district, Tamil Nadu**

SHRI E.G. SUGAVANAM (KRISHNAGIRI): Madam, people in the country are facing lot of difficulties at toll plazas on various National Highways. At many places, toll plazas are located near the cities and due to urbanization, people quite often have to cross the toll plazas and forced to pay the toll tax. The toll plazas run by private parties are mismanaged. They often over-charge of the prescribed rate causing much inconvenience to the public like the situation prevailing at NH-7 & NH-47 in my Krishnagiri District. Apart from steep hike in toll charges, they have also reduced number of trips on monthly passes. There is large queue at many toll plazas and one has to wait for longer time for passing out of the toll gates. Moreover, the toll charges are not uniform in the country.

The mismanagement of toll plazas has resulted in huge revenue loss to the Government. In order to provide relief to the people from harassment of private contractors at toll plazas and to curb the revenue loss, NHAI should take over the management of toll plazas in its hands. Apart from that, Electronic Toll Collection (ETC) System should be introduced country-wide. Further, Government may consider introduction of pre-paid system of toll collection likewise the pre-paid telephone cards which will greatly help the commuters.

I shall, therefore, urge upon the Union Government to take effective steps to streamline the functioning of toll plazas particularly at NH-7 & NH-47 and to relieve the people from harassment at the hands of private toll contractors in the country.

**Re: Need to provide stoppage to Kerala Express (New Delhi – Trivandrum)
and Chennai–Trivandrum Express at Ottapalam
Railway Station, Palakkad, Kerala**

SHRI M.B. RAJESH (PALAKKAD): I would like to draw the attention of this House and Government to the long pending demand of stoppage of two important trains at Ottapalam railway Station. The New Delhi-Trivandrum Kerala Express and Chennai-Trivandrum Mail are not having stoppage at Ottapalam. Both these trains, after leaving Palakkad have stoppage only at Thrissur. In the entire Palakkad district there is no other stoppage except the one at Palakkad junction. This has been causing difficulties to thousands of passengers who belong to the Western part of Palakkad district. These Passengers will have to get down either at Palakkad or at Thrissur and have to travel all the way by road. If a stoppage is allowed at Ottapalam to these trains, it will be of great help to thousands of passengers. This demand is being made for a long time, but Railway authorities are turning a blind eye to this genuine demand. Ottapalam is destination having a great historical importance and deserves a better consideration. Unfortunately railway authorities failed to acknowledge the importance of Ottapalam station.

Hence, I urge upon the Government to allow stoppage to the Kerala Express (New Delhi- Trivandrum) and Chennai-Trivandrum Mail at Ottapalam. I further demand that more funds should allotted to the development of Ottapalam Railway Station.

(ends)

Re:Need to convert Kalimati-Kankadahad route (via Baspal-Bamebari-Telboi) in Keonjhar Parliamentary Constituency, Orissa into a National Highway

श्री यशवंत लागुरी (कस्येडर):

Re:Need to review the Information Technology Rules, 2011

SHRI JAYANT CHAUDHARY (MATHURA):Google's transparency report for July-Dec 2010 reports an increase of 123% in demands for content removal by Indian Government and law enforcement. Google removed internet content on 22% of the requests as opposed to 87%- USA, 100%- Turkey.

The 2011 Information Technology Rules also discriminate against the medium of dispersion of information, the intermediary guidelines Rules prohibit sharing of blasphemous libelous and disparaging information. These conditions are subjective and differ from the press Councils norms of journalistic conduct. A newspaper article considered blasphemous is legal, but the same cannot be reproduced online. The Reasonable Security Practices Rules allow Government agencies access to personal information from service providers through written complaints whereas where crimes requires warrants signed by magistrates.

The rules curb freedom of speech and violate the IT Act which removed intermediary liability for content. Such expansive changes should come through the Act rather than subordinate legislation.

(ends)

Re:Need to expedite the construction of Road Over Bridge at Puri Gate near IIT at Kharagpur, West Bengal

SHRI PRABODH PANDA (MIDNAPORE): The South-Eastern Railway has undertaken the construction of a Road Over Bridge at Puri Gate near IIT at Kharagpur long back to facilitate the smooth traffic flow on the road being used not only by the local residents but also by the interstate traffic.

The construction work was started with right earnest but in the midway the whole construction work came to standstill. It has been learnt that the contractor who was awarded the project left the work for the reasons best known to him. But this is causing tremendous hardship to the road users as the debris and materials are scattered on the road making this stretch of the road very hard to negotiate.

I, therefore, urge upon the Hon'ble Railway Minister to look into this matter and take positive step so that the construction of Road Over Bridge at Puri gate is completed without further delay. I also urge that if the need arise, the Railway either should change the contractor or complete the work by its own organization and internal resources.

(ends)

Re:Need to extend financial facilities to new cooperative sugar factories at par with old sugar factories in Maharashtra

SHRI SADASHIVRAO DADOBA MANDLIK (KOLHAPUR): There are 582 installed Sugar Factories in the country including 317 factories in cooperative sector. The cooperative sugar sector enables the small and marginal farmers to set up an industry for production of an essential item of mass consumption. The share of cooperatives in National Sugar production works out to be more than 46%. In this connection, it may be pointed out that sugar factories established and functioning before 1999, were able to avail financial facilities given as per the Sampat Committee and the Mahajan Committee Reports. However, the sugar factories established after 1999, could not avail these facilities. As a result, the new sugar factories are under severe financial burden and some of them could not start even crushing. This is more true in case of cooperative Sugar Factories in Maharashtra where 139 cooperative sugar factories, out of total 204 sugar factories, are functioning.

The new sugar factories in the State are working under severe handicap and it has become difficult to compete with old established sugar factories. In this connection, it would not be out of place to mention that the government instead of helping ailing sugar factories issued income tax notices w.e.f. 1988, on the main assumption that the rate paid to the farmers above the statutory Minimum Price is the income of the factories. Keeping in view the fact that the member farmers are the real owners of these factories and it did not constitute their income, I would request to consider the plight of new factories and compensate them to make them competitive with the old well established sugar factories.

In this connection, I strongly suggest that a new committee be constituted by the Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution on the lines of earlier Committees which may be empowered to suggest tax and excise concessions for new sugar factories established after 1999 in particular. Further, the Ministry of Finance may consider to amend the present Income Tax Rules and the sugar factories in cooperative sector may be excluded from the present ambit of Income Tax.

(ends)

ORISSA (ALTERATION OF NAME) BILL

Amendments made by Rajya Sabha

1208 hours

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS

(SHRI JITENDRA SINGH): On behalf of Shri P. Chidambaram, I beg to move:

“That the following amendments made by Rajya Sabha in the Bill to alter the name of State of Orissa, as passed by Lok Sabha, be taken into consideration.

ENACTING FORMULA

1. That at page 1, line 1, --
for “Sixty-first”,
substitute “Sixty-second”

CLAUSE 1

2. That at page 1, line 3, --
for “2010”,
substitute “2011”. ”

MADAM SPEAKER: The question is:

“That the following amendments made by Rajya Sabha in the Bill to alter the name of State of Orissa, as passed by Lok Sabha, be taken into consideration.

ENACTING FORMULA

1. That at page 1, line 1, --
for “Sixty-first”,
substitute “Sixty-second”

CLAUSE 1

2. That at page 1, line 3, --
for “2010”,
substitute “2011”. ”

The motion was adopted.

MADAM SPEAKER: We shall now take up the amendments made by Rajya Sabha.

The question is:

ENACTING FORMULA

1. That at page 1, line 1, --
for "Sixty-first",
substitute "Sixty-second"

The motion was adopted.

MADAM SPEAKER: The question is:

CLAUSE 1

2. That at page 1, line 3, --
for "2010",
substitute "2011"

The motion was adopted.

SHRI JITENDRA SINGH: I beg to move:

"That the amendments made by Rajya Sabha in the Bill be agreed to."

MADAM SPEAKER: The question is:

"That the amendments made by Rajya Sabha in the Bill be agreed to."

The motion was adopted.

**CONSTITUTION (ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTEENTH
AMENDMENT) BILL**

1209 hours

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS

(SHRI JITENDRA SINGH): On behalf of Shri P. Chidambaram, I beg to move:

“That the following amendments made by Rajya Sabha in the Bill further to amend the Constitution, as passed by Lok Sabha, be taken into consideration.

ENACTING FORMULA

1. That at page 1, line 1, --
for “Sixty-first”,
substitute “Sixty-second”

CLAUSE 1

2. That at page 1, line 3, --
for “2010”,
substitute “2011”. ”

MADAM SPEAKER: Before I put the motion that the amendments made by Rajya Sabha in the Bill further to amend the Constitution of India, as passed by Lok Sabha, be taken into consideration, I may inform the House that this being a Constitution Amendment Bill, voting has to be by Division.

Let the Lobbies be cleared--

(f1/1210/kmr/mm)

MADAM SPEAKER: The Lobbies have been cleared.

Now, Secretary-General to inform the hon. Members about the voting procedure for division.

Comment: Fd. By fl



SECRETARY-GENERAL: Kind attention of the hon. Members is invited to the following points in the operation of the Automatic Vote Recording System:

1. Before a division starts, every hon. Member should occupy his or her own seat and operate the system from that seat only.
2. As may kindly be seen, the “red bulbs above display boards” on either side of hon. Speaker’s chair are already glowing. This means the voting system has been activated.
3. For voting please press the following two buttons simultaneously immediately after sounding of first gong. viz.,

One “red” button in front of the hon. Member on the headphone plate and

also

any one of the following buttons fixed on the top of desk of seats:

Ayes	-	Green Colour
Noes	-	Red colour
Abstain	-	Yellow colour

4. It is essential to keep both the buttons pressed till the second gong sound is heard and the red bulbs are “Off”.

Important: The hon. Members may please note that the vote will not be registered if both buttons are not kept pressed simultaneously till the sounding of the second gong.

5. Please do not press the amber button (P) during division.
6. Hon. Members can actually “see” their vote on display boards and on their desk unit.
7. In case vote is not registered, they may call for voting through slips.

Comment: Fd by g1



(g/1215/vp/rv)

MADAM SPEAKER: The question is:

“That the following amendments made by Rajya Sabha in the Bill further to amend the Constitution, as passed by Lok Sabha, be taken into consideration:

ENACTING FORMULA

1. That at page 1, line 1, -
for “Sixty-first”,
substitute “Sixty-second”

CLAUSE 1

2. That at page 1, line 3, -
for “2010”,
substitute “2011”. ”

The Lok Sabha divided:

MADAM SPEAKER: Subject to correction, the result of the Division is:

Ayes: 302

Noes: Nil

The motion is carried by a majority of the total membership of the House and by a majority of not less than two-thirds of the members present and voting.

The motion was adopted.

MADAM SPEAKER: We shall now take up the amendments made by the Rajya Sabha in the Bill, as passed by Lok Sabha.

The Lobbies are already clear. If the House agrees, I shall put amendment Nos. 1 and 2 made by Rajya Sabha in the Bill, as passed by Lok Sabha, together to the vote of the House, in which case the result of the division shall be taken as applicable to each amendment, separately.

The question is:

ENACTING FORMULA

1. That at page 1, line 1, -

for "Sixty-first",
substitute "Sixty-second"

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2. That at page 1, line 3, -
for "2010",
substitute "2011".

The Lok Sabha divided.

MADAM SPEAKER: Subject to correction, the result* of the Division is:

Ayes: 294

Noes: 1

The motion is carried by a majority of the total membership of the House and by a majority of not less than two-thirds of the members present and voting.

The motion was adopted.

MADAM SPEAKER: The Minister may now move that the Bill, as amended by the amendments agreed to, be passed.

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS
(SHRI JITENDRA SINGH): I beg to move:

"That the Bill, as amended by the amendments agreed to, be passed."

MADAM SPEAKER: The lobbies are already clear.

The question is:

"That the Bill, as amended by the amendments agreed to, be passed."

The Lok Sabha divided:

MADAM SPEAKER: Subject to correction, the result of the Division is:

Ayes: 301

Noes: Nil

The motion is carried by a majority of the total membership of the House and by a majority of not less than two-thirds of the members present and voting.

* The result of this Division applies to each of the amendments separately.

The Bill, as amended by the amendments agreed to, was passed by the requisite majority in accordance with the provisions of article 368 of the Constitution.

Comment: Fld H

The motion was adopted.

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MADAM SPEAKER: The lobbies may be opened.

The House stands adjourned to meet tomorrow, the 7th September, 2011 at 11 a.m.

1221 hours

The Lok Sabha then adjourned till Eleven of the Clock on Wednesday, September 07, 2011 / Bhadra 16, 1933 (Saka).

