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Title: Request to install a life size statue of Veer Surendra Sai at Jharsuguda Airport during the year 2020-21.

SHRI NITESH GANGA DEB (SAMBALPUR): Thank you, Sir, for allowing me to speak in this august House during 'Zero Hour'.

Firstly, the people of Odisha, especially the Western Odisha, and myself are thankful and grateful to our beloved Prime Minister, Shri Narendra Modi, for inaugurating an airport at Jharsuguda and naming it after the great freedom fighter Veer Surendra Sai.

Sir, the first commercial flight was started under the UDAN Scheme on the 31st March, 2019. It was my honour to go to this great leader's village Khinda, under Sambalpur District, during his birth anniversary on 23rd January, 2020 and interact with this great man's family.

As Bhubaneswar Airport is named after late Biju Patnaik's name, and his statue has also been installed there, I would request the Ministry of Civil Aviation, Government of India, through you, to install a life size statue of Veer Surendra Sai at Jharsuguda Airport during the year 2020-21.

माननीय अध्यक्ष : श्री कुलदीप राय शर्मा को श्री नितेश गंगा देब द्वारा उठाए गए विषय के साथ संबद्ध करने की अनुमति प्रदान की जाती है ।