

Seventeenth Loksabha

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Title: Issue regarding grant of more funds to take measures to control floods in Chikkodi Parliamentary Constituency, Karnataka.

SHRI ANNASAHEB SHANKAR JOLLE (CHIKKODI): Hon. Speaker, Sir, I would like to bring to the kind notice of the Government, through you, that there is an issue of severe floods in five Talukas - Nipani, Chikkodi, Raybag, Athane and Kagwad – of my Parliamentary Constituency Chikkodi, Karnataka.

The statistics received from the district administration reveal that an urgent attention from the Ministry concerned is required for the reason that over 76 villages have been severely affected. There is a further threat to the lives of common man and cattle, apart from the huge loss of property and crops.

May I, through you, Sir, request the Government to take cognizance of the matter and depute additional central help to overcome the difficult situation like, military, paramilitary, CDRF and helicopters. Also, I urge upon the Government to make assessment of the loss and grant more funds for my constituency at the earliest.

Thank you, Sir.