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Title: Regarding fencing on Indo-Bangladesh border -laid.

**SHRI KHAGEN MURMU (MALDAHIA UTTAR):** Nearly about 100 km area of my constituency is close to international border. The Government is doing fencing work at the border to deal with smuggling etc. But fencing is being done much further from the border due to which lands of the farmers and villages are located across the fencing. They are forced to cross the fencing in order to come to India and the farmers are forced to cross this fencing just to cultivate their lands. But due to security reason there, farmers are told to come back before 6 P.M. Due to which they have to face a lot of problems. I urge the Government to do the fencing work very close to Border (i.e. Zero Point of Border) so that the lands of the farmers fall in the Indian Territory, i.e. this side of the fencing so that the farmers are benefitted. There has been a stretch of Indo-Bangladesh Border which is yet to be fenced. This is a major cause of worry with respect to drugs and human trafficking across the border. I urge the Hon'ble Minister of Home Affairs and Hon'ble Minister of Defence to fence the Indo-Bangladesh border from Tilashan to Pannapur and beef up the security.