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Title: Issue regarding alleged suicide committed by eight girl students because of the NEET examination.

SHRI T. R. BAALU (SRIPERUMBUDUR): ...(Interruptions) This is unbearable....(Interruptions) not only for me but also for my leader, Shri Stalin....(Interruptions) eight girl students have committed suicide because of the NEET examination. The NEET examination is being conducted on Central Board syllabus....(Interruptions). But students of Tamil Nadu are the people who have passed the State Board examinations. ...(Interruptions).

माननीय अध्यक्ष: माननीय सदस्य बोल रहे हैं, उन्हें बोलने दीजिए। ...(व्यवधान)

SHRI T. R. BAALU: Sir, their aspiration is to get the seats in medical courses. ...(*Interruptions*). They have failed in getting the seats in medical examination. ...(*Interruptions*). Sir, eight girl students have committed suicide ...(*Interruptions*).

Sir, the Tamil Nadu Legislature passed two bills in 2017 ... (Interruptions). They have been sent to the Governor on 1.2.2017. ... (Interruptions) The Governor has sent them to the Government of India on 18.2.2017...(Interruptions). For the past 27 months, the Government of India has kept them in cold storage. ...(Interruptions) Day before yesterday, it was told to the court that they have been rejected. ...(Interruptions). Sir, how can it be so? ...(Interruptions) Are we in a state of democracy? ...(Interruptions) Are we ruled by the Central Government? ...(Interruptions). The State Government is there.

The State Government has unanimously passed the two Bills. They have been sent to the Central Government. We do not know why the Central Government has kept them in cold storage for the last 27 months. ...(Interruptions) How can they reject it? ...(Interruptions) I want to have a reply from the Government whether they are going to consider positively or not....(Interruptions)

माननीय अध्यक्ष : Please sit down. माननीय सदस्य, आपने अपनी बात रख दी है।

सुदीप जी, आप बोलिए।

...(व्यवधान)

SHRI T. R. BAALU: There should be a reply from the Government. If the Government is not replying, we are walking out.