Seventeenth Loksabha

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Title: Regarding construction of sea walls along the coastal belt.

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SHRI BENNY BEHANAN (CHALAKUDY): I wish to bring to the notice of this august House the problems being faced by people in coastal areas.

The Coastal belt areas in my constituency has been facing the fury of the sea for the past few days during the heavy rain lashing the district. High tidal waves are causing havoc in these areas. More than 1000 houses have been flooded.

During this crisis, the Coastal people are being shifted to relief camps. Though arrangements were made at tsunami shelters, most of the affected preferred to shift to their relatives' houses.

So, for the safety of the families near the coastal belt, I urge the Government to make efforts for completing the construction of sea walls in these coastal areas.

HON. CHAIRPERSON: Shri Prataprao Ganpatrao Jadhav – not present.

15.09 hrs