

Seventeenth Loksabha

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14.00 hrs.*The Lok Sabha re-assembled at Fourteen of the Clock.**(Dr. (Prof.) Kirit Premjibhai Solanki in the Chair)***14.02 hrs.****MATTERS UNDER RULE 377****माननीय सभापति :** माननीय सदस्यों, आइटम नंबर – 23, नियम 377 के तहत मामले ।

श्री जुगल किशोर शर्मा – उपस्थित नहीं ।

श्री राजीव प्रताप रूडी – उपस्थित नहीं ।

श्री नितेश गंगा देब जी ।

Title: Regarding flight operations from Jharsuguda Airport in Odisha**SHRI NITESH GANGA DEB (SAMBALPUR):** Sir, Veer Surendra Sai Airport at Jharsuguda in Odisha was inaugurated by the hon. Prime Minister of India on 22nd September, 2018 under the Regional Connectivity Scheme (UDAN). **14.02½ hrs.***At this stage, Shri Ravneet Singh, Shri Kodikunnil Suresh, and some other hon. Members came and stood on the floor near the Table.*

I am very thankful to the former Minister of Civil Aviation for commissioning All Weather Instrument Landing System (ILS) which provides technology of both vertical and horizontal guidance to pilots during landing. The flights from this airport have been cancelled frequently in recent months as a result of which air passengers are facing lots of difficulties. There is no direct Air India flight to Delhi from this airport till today.

My Parliamentary Constituency Sambalpur is the industrial, mining, and commercial hub of western Odisha. The air passengers of western Odisha as well as neighbouring States depend on this airport for travelling. I urge the hon. Minister of Civil Aviation to look into the matter urgently and ensure regular flights not only to Delhi but also to other metro cities like Bengaluru, Mumbai, and Kolkata at the earliest.

माननीय सभापति : माननीय सदस्यों, कृपया अपना-अपना स्थान ग्रहण कीजिए ।

कल हाऊस समाप्त हो रहा है । जो सदस्य अपने मुद्दे उठा रहे हैं, उनको बोलने दीजिए । आप अपनी सीट पर बैठ जाइए ।

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