

Seventeenth Loksabha

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Title: Regarding the demand for renaming Veer Bal Diwas as Sahibzada Shahid Diwas

***SHRIMATI HARSIMRAT KAUR BADAL (BATHINDA):** Sir, there are several instances of bravery but the bravery shown by our Tenth Guru Shri Guru Gobind Singh ji is unparalleled. He inspired his father towards martyrdom to save the Hindu religion. He was only 9 years old at that time. Then, protesting against forced religious conversion, all 4 sons of the Guru ji attained martyrdom. I thank the Government that the martyrdom day of younger sons Baba Jujhar Singh ji and Baba Fateh Singh of Guru ji will be known as Veer Bal Diwas. They were walled alive at the tender age of 5 years and 7 years. They fought forced religious conversion and became martyrs. There is no other such instance anywhere. We the Sikhs, are feeling bad because we consider them holy spiritual souls, not like common children. They are called Sahibzadas. It should be called Sahibzada Shahid Diwas.

उन्होंने मांग की है कि इसको साहिबज़ादा शहादत दिवस कहा जाए । ... (व्यवधान) मैं सरकार से अपील करती हूँ कि इसे वीर बाल दिवस के रूप में न मनाएं । ... (व्यवधान) आप इस वीर बाल दिवस को साहिबज़ादा शहादत दिवस बनाएं । ... (व्यवधान)