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Singh, Shri Bharat (Ballia)

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Singh, Shri Brijbhushan Sharan (Kaiserganj)

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Shri Anoop Mishra

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The Minister of Human Resource Development

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Monday, July 18, 2016/Ashadha 27, 1938 (Saka)

The Lok Sabha met at Eleven of the Clock

[HON. SPEAKER in the Chair]

[English]

NATIONAL ANTHEM

The National Anthem was played.

11.01 hours

MEMBER SWORN

HON. SPEAKER: Secretary-General may now call the name of newly elected Member in recent bye-election to take the oath.

SECRETARY-GENERAL: Shri Conrad Kongkal Sangma.

Shri C. K. Sangma (Tura)- Oath - Hindi

11.03 hours

INTRODUCTION OF MINISTERS

HON. SPEAKER: Now, introduction of Ministers. Hon. Prime Minister.

[Translation]

PRIME MINISTER (SHRI NARENDRA MODI): Hon. Speaker Madam, with your permission, I would like to introduce to you and through you the newly appointed colleagues of my Council of Ministers to this august House.

Cabinet Ministers -

1. Shri Prakash Javadekar - Cabinet Minister - The Minister of Human Resource Development

Ministers of State (Independent Charge) -

- 2. Shri Vijay Goel -The Minister of State of the Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports and Minister of State in the Ministry of Water Resources, River Development and Ganga Rejuvenation.
- 3. Shri Anil Madhav Dave The Minister of State of the Ministry of Environment, Forests and Climate Change

Minister of State-

4. Shri Faggan Singh Kulaste – The Minister of State in the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare

5. Shri S.S. Ahluwalia - The Minister of State in the Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare and Minister of State in the Ministry of Parliamentary Affairs

- 6. Shri Ramdas Athawale The Minister of State in the Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment
- 7. Shri Ramesh Jigajinagi The Minister of State in the Ministry of Drinking water and Sanitation
- 8. Shri Rajen Gohain The Minister of State in the Ministry of Railways
- 9. Shri Parshottam Rupala The Minister of State in the Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers Welfare and Minister of State in the Ministry of Panchayati Raj
- 10. Shri M. J. Akbar The Minister of State in the Ministry of External Affairs
- 11. Shri Jaswantsingh Sumanbhai Bhabhor The Minister of State in the Ministry of Tribal Affairs
- 12. Shri Arjun Ram Meghwal The Minister of State in the Ministry of Finance and Minister of State in the Ministry of Corporate Affairs
- 13. Dr. Mahendra Nath Pandey The Minister of State in the Ministry of Human Resource Development

14. Shri Ajay Tamta - The Minister of State in the Ministry of Textiles

- 15. Shrimati Krishna Raj The Minister of State in the Ministry of Women and Child Development
- 16. Shri Mansukh L. Mandaviya The Minister of State in the Ministry of Road Transport and Highways, Minister of State in the Ministry of Shipping and Minister of State in the Ministry of Chemicals and Fertilizers
- 17. Shrimati Anupriya Patel –The Minister of State in the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare
- 18. Shri C.R. Chaudhary The Minister of State in the Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution
- 19. Shri P. P. Chaudhary The Minister of State in the Ministry of Law and Justice and Minister of State in the Ministry of Electronics and Information Technology
- 20. Dr. Subhash Ramrao Bhamre The Minister of State in the Ministry of Defence

11.05 hours

OBITUARY REFERENCES

HON. SPEAKER: Hon. Members, I have to inform the House about the sad demise of our colleague Shri Dalpat Singh Paraste and six former Members Sarva Shri Prabhulal Rawat, Shakeelur Rehman, Pravin Rashtrapal, K. Anirudhan, Rudra Madhab Ray and Neil Aloysius O'Brien.

Shri Dalpat Singh Paraste was a sitting Member representing the Shahdol Parliamentary Constituency of Madhya Pradesh. He was also a Member of the Sixth, Ninth, Thirteenth and Fourteenth Lok Sabha.

During his long and active public career, he served as Member of various Parliamentary Committees. He was a Member of the Committee on Agriculture and the Committee on Private Members' Bills and Resolutions during the Sixteenth Lok Sabha.

As a dedicated social worker, Shri Paraste fought continuously against social evils and social injustice.

Shri Dalpat Singh Paraste passed away on June 1, 2016 in Gurgaon, Haryana at the age of 66.

Shri Prabhulal Rawat was a Member of the Eighth and Tenth Lok Sabha from Banswara Parliamentary Constituency of Rajasthan.

He was a Member of the Committee on Petitions and Committee on Urban and Rural Development during the Tenth Lok Sabha.

Shri Rawat worked for the upliftment of the poor and backward sections of the society and for the eradication of social evils.

Shri Prabhulal Rawat passed away at the age of 78 on October 13, 2015 in Banswara, Rajasthan.

Shri Shakeelur Rahman was a Member of the Ninth Lok Sabha from Darbhanga Parliamentary Constituency of Bihar.

He was the Union Minister for Health and Family Welfare from 1990 to 1991. He was also a Member of the Committee on Privileges and the General Purposes Committee.

An educationist, Dr. Rehman served as Vice Chancellor of various universities in the country and also authored several literary publications in Urdu.

Dr. Shakeelur Rahman passed away on May 9, 2016 in Gurgaon, Haryana at the age of 84.

Shri Praveen Rashtrapal was a Member of the 13th Lok Sabha representing the Patan Parliamentary Constituency of Gujarat. He was a sitting Member of the Rajya Sabha and was also a Member of the Rajya Sabha from 2006 to 2009.

Shri Rashtrapal was also a Member of the Committee on Finance, Committee on Subordinate Legislation and Committee on Welfare of Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes.

A dedicated social worker, Shri Rashtrapal made tireless efforts to provide human rights to Dalits and justice to poor people and women. He also authored a number of books.

Shri Praveen Rashtrapal passed away on May 12, 2016 in New Delhi at the age of 76.

Shri K. Anirudhan was a Member of the Fourth Lok Sabha from Chirayinkil Parliamentary Constituency of Kerala.

During his illustrious political and public life spanning over two decades, he served as a Member of Committee on Private Members Bills and Resolutions.

He was also a Member of the Kerala Legislative Assembly for four terms.

A freedom fighter and scholar, Sri Anirudhan was the editor, printer and publisher of the daily newspaper 'Vishwakeralaam'.

Shri K. Anirudhan passed away on May 22, 2016 in Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala at the age of 89.

Shri Rudra Madhab Ray was a Member of the Fifteenth Lok Sabha from Kandhamal Parliamentary Constituency of Odisha.

He was a Member of the Committee on Railways and Member of Parliament, Committee on Local Area Development Scheme.

Earlier, Shri Rudra Madhab Ray served as a Member of the Odisha Legislative Assembly for three terms.

Shri Ray was the managing editor of "Pragatipath", an Oriya weekly newspaper.

Shri Rudra Madhab Ray passed away in Bhubaneswar on May 31, 2016 at the age of 78.

Shri Neil Aloysius O'Brien was a nominated Member of the Eleventh Lok Sabha.

Earlier, he was a Member of the West Bengal Legislative Assembly for three terms.

As a dedicated educationist he published several books including the Bengali encyclopedia-cum-quiz 'Find Out'.

Shri Neil Aloysius O'Brien passed away on June 24, 2016 in Kolkata at the age of 82.

We deeply mourn the loss of Shri Dalpat Singh Paraste and other former colleagues and this House conveys our condolences to the bereaved families.

Now this House will stand in silence for a short while in respect of the departed souls.

11.10 hours

The Members then stood in silence for short while.

*WRITTEN ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS

Starred Question Nos. 1 to 20 Unstarred Question Nos.1 to 230

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[English]

HON. SPEAKER: The House stands adjourned to meet again tomorrow, the 19th July, 2016 at 11:00 a.m.

11.14 hours

The Lok Sabha then adjourned the Clock on Tuesday, July 19, 2016 / Ashadha 28, 1938 (Saka)

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