

14.02 hrs.

Title: Announcement regarding making of statement by the Home Minister on the assassination of Smt. Phoolan Devi, M.P. of Mirzapur.

MR. SPEAKER: As informed by the Minister of Parliamentary Affairs, the Minister of Home Affairs will make a statement in the House on Tuesday, 31st July, 2001 regarding the assassination of Shrimati Phoolan Devi. Though Rule 372 of the Rules of Procedure does not permit asking of questions at the time the statement is made, as an exceptional case and in view of the seriousness of the matter, I will allow the Members to seek clarifications after the Home Minister's statement. The Minister will respond after the Members have spoken.

Now, Papers to be laid on the Table.