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Title : Need to re-open Regional Centre of National Savings Organisation, Ahmedabad. - Laid.

SHRIMATI JAYABEN B. THAKKAR (VADODARA) : As a part of restructuring exercise of National Saving organisation, the Ahmedabad Regional Centre has been closed down. Gujarat is a leading State in small saving activities and ranking second in the country in the net small savings collection. In the absence of the services of regional centre, the small saving activities will be affected adversely.

I urge the Central Government to continue/restart the Ahmedabad Regional Centre at the earliest.

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\* Treated as laid on the Table