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Title: Need to erect a statue of Dr. Baba Saheb Ambedkar at India Gate Complex.

SHRI RAMDAS ATHAWALE (PANDHARPUR): Hon. Speaker, Sir, I propose and earnestly urge upon the hon. Prime Minister Dr. Manmohan Singhji that in view of the historical and significant contribution made by Dr. Baba Saheb Ambedkar in the cause of upliftment of the social status of Dalits in the country as also his consistent campaign against discrimination on the basis of the caste, his statue be installed under the canopy, which once had the statue of King George-V. Like Mahatma Gandhi headed the political struggle for attainment of India's freedom, Dr. Baba Saheb was also a great social leader.

Therefore, I am requesting the Government of India that a statue of Baba Saheb Ambedkar should be installed under the canopy, which once had the statue of King George-V.

MR. SPEAKER: King George-V!

...(Interruptions)

MR. SPEAKER: Dr. Arun Kumar Sarma.

DR. ARUN KUMAR SARMA : Thank you very much, Sir. I regret that I could not be present in time.

MR. SPEAKER: Okay.