

Title: Regarding birthday greetings to Speaker.

**11.01 hrs.**

**RE : BIRTHDAY GREETINGS TO SPEAKER**

THE MINISTER OF DEFENCE (SHRI PRANAB MUKHERJEE): Mr. Speaker, Sir, before we start the proceedings of the House, on behalf of the House, I would like to wish you a very happy birthday and wish you a happy and prosperous life in the service of the nation. ...(*Interruptions*)

MR. SPEAKER: For me, there is no chance of prosperity!

Thank you very much. Very kind of you.

SHRI L.K. ADVANI (GANDHINAGAR): Mr. Speaker, Sir, I join the Leader of the House in greeting you on your birthday today.. ...(*Interruptions*)

MR. SPEAKER: I am extremely grateful to all the hon. Members.

...(*Interruptions*)

SHRI KINJARAPU YERRANNAIDU (SRIKAKULAM): Mr. Speaker, Sir, I also join the Leader of the House in greeting you on your birthday today.

MR. SPEAKER: Thank you hon. Members. I need your kind support and help.

...(*Interruptions*)