Title: Need to implement the recommendations made by Thorat Committee on discrimination against SC/ST/OBCs students in AIIMS.

SHRI BASU DEB ACHARIA : Sir, this issue was raised on the floor of the House as to how the Scheduled Caste, Scheduled Tribe and OBC students are discriminated in the All India Institute of Medical Sciences. Sir, all the students are kept in a separate hostel. Previously, six months back all the students, General as well as Scheduled Caste, Scheduled Tribe and OBC students, were accommodated in the same hostel. When anti-reservation started in the All India Institute of Medical Science itself, that institute became the centre of anti-reservation agitation. Since then these students were discriminated against.

Sir, the Government of India has appointed a Committee under the Chairmanship of Prof. Sukhdev Thorat, the University Grants Commission Chairman. Thorat Committee has submitted its Report. From the Report it is clear that these students are discriminated against. [R9]

Sir, there is a provision for giving training and special coaching to the Scheduled Caste, Scheduled Tribe and OBC students but that guideline was not followed in the All India Institute of Medical Sciences. This Committee under the chairmanship of Prof. Thorat has made several recommendations. I demand that the recommendations of the Thorat Committee should be implemented immediately. The All India Institute of Medical Sciences, the Governing Body and the Director of the Institute should be asked to implement the recommendations of the Thorat Committee. The discrimination which is still continuing against the Scheduled Caste, Scheduled Tribe and OBC students should be ended. The Thorat Committee has made clear who is responsible for this and how the Dean of this Institute was insulted by some people...(*Interruptions*)

MR. SPEAKER: What are you doing? You have become legal adviser also.

SHRI BASU DEB ACHARIA : Sir, action should be taken against them and this discrimination should be ended immediately. The recommendations of the Thorat Committee should be implemented in letter and spirit...(*Interruptions*)

MR. SPEAKER: All Members are associating themselves with this matter.

## ...(Interruptions)

MR. SPEAKER: Mr. Khan, for associating yourself with this matter, you do not have to take the time of the House. You send slips and all the names will be recorded.

## ...(Interruptions)

MR. SPEAKER: Shri Santasri Chatterjee and Shri A.V. Bellarmin are associated themselves with the matter raised by Shri Basu Deb Acharia.

## ...(Interruptions)

MR. SPEAKER: You are all setting up new procedures. Mr. Mahtab, you are an ideal Member. Please do not do that.

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