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Title: Need to continue existing Jute Packaging Policy in respect of foodgrains and sugar in the ensuing year.

SHRI RUPCHAND PAL (HOOGHLY) : Within a few days a major decision in respect of the jute packaging is going to be taken for the jute year 2008-09. As you know, Sir, since 1987 when the Act regarding the mandatory jute packaging had come into operation, the jute industry has been affected seriously because of the dilution in the provisions of the Act. In respect of cement and fertilizers, it has been totally diluted. The present arrangement is that hundred per cent reservation is there for the jute packaging in respect of foodgrains and sugar. As you know, Sir, more than 2.5 lakh of jute workers and 440 lakh of jute growers are dependent on this Packaging Order itself. I would urge upon the Government that the present arrangement of hundred per cent reservation of jute packaging in respect of foodgrains and sugar be allowed to continue in the interest of jute industry in general.

MR.SPEAKER : Shri Santasri Chatterjee is associating with it.

SHRI GURUDAS DASGUPTA (PANSKURA) : Sir, I would also like to associate with it.

MR. SPEAKER : All right.

Now, I want the blessings of Yogi Ji. मैं योगी आदित्यनाथ जी की ब्लैसिंग से खत्म करना चाहता हूँ। आप रीऑर्गेनाइजेशन विषय पर बोलिए।