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Title: Reference regarding birth anniversary of Gurudev Rabindranath Tagore.

MADAM SPEAKER: Hon. Members, as you are aware, today marks the 151<sup>st</sup> birth anniversary of Gurudev Rabindranath Tagore, author of the National Anthem - Jana Gana Mana.

Shri Tagore was a versatile literary figure whose novels and poetry enthralled the freedom fighters. He was the first non-European to win the Nobel Prize in Literature in 1913 for his work Gitanjali.

On this occasion, the House fondly remembers this great son of India and poet par excellence.

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