Title: Need for construction of concrete road with modern technology in Basirhat Parliamentary Constituency of West Bengal.

SHRI IDRIS ALI (BASIRHAT): Madam, I am deeply grateful to you. At the same time, I am deeply grateful to our hon. Chief Minister Ms. Mamata Banerjee, who is working like Maa Durga and Sister Nivedita.

Madam, I am coming to the point. My constituency, Basirhat, is a part of Sunderban area and is annexed with the district of North 24- Parganas covering blocks of Sandeshkhali- I & II, Hingalganj, Haroa, Minakhan, Hasnabad, all of which are surrounded by tidal rivers of Ichamati, Bidyadhari, Kutti, Damsa, Raimangal, besides being criss-crossed by numerous creeks and channels. Hence, during the monsoon, flood is the common problem of the major portion of my constituency, Basirhat. This causes recurring damages of roads and dimensions of the land.

Madam, I urge upon the Government for consideration of scientific concrete roads which could be the permanent solution of these areas.

Madam, I would, therefore, request you to issue an order for a Detailed Project Report (DPR) with proper survey and sanction budget accordingly from PMGSRY. I hope that the Department would take pro-active steps as soon as possible.

Madam, now I would like to say a few things in Bengali. The new incidents which are happening in Uttar Pradesh after the new Government came to power are very alarming. Our hon. Chief Minister of West Bengal, Kumari Mamata Banerjee is running the State successfully taking along people of all the communities, viz., Hindus, Muslims, Christians and Sikhs. The Chief Minister of Uttar Pradesh should learn from her because India is a secular country.

HON. SPEAKER: Not like this. विषय से संदर्भित ही बोलना चाहिए।