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Title: Regarding construction of railway overbridge at Thally road on Bangalore-Salem railway line.

SHRI K. ASHOK KUMAR (KRISHNAGIRI): Hon. Speaker, Madam, Thally Road on Hosur in Krishnagiri Constituency is thickly populated with more than five lakh people and it is a well developed industrial town. There is a railway gate between Bengaluru-Salem line at Thally Road Hosur which is connected to Hosur bypass ring road and Hosur inner ring road.

Madam, more than 20 passenger trains and goods trains pass through this line every day. Because of the crossing trains, huge traffic congestion is always there. More than 25 factories - like TVS, Sundaram Fasteners, Sundaram Auto components and Steel factories are situated in Thally Road.

Closing of railway gates is causing heavy traffic congestion affecting general public, school students, factory employees and sick patients in addition to causing national waste of petrol and diesel. Therefore, I request you to construct a railway overbridge at Thally road, Hosur to avoid vehicular traffic.