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Title: Regarding setting up a Railway Passenger Center at Uthukuli Railway Station.

*SHRIMATI V. SATHYABAMA (TIRUPPUR): Hon. Deputy Speaker Sir, Vanakkam. Thank you. Under the able guidance of Hon. Makkalin Muthalvar Puratchithalaivi Amma, I wish to raise an important issue pertaining to Uthukuli of my Tiruppur parliamentary constituency. Uthukuli is famous for butter. There is no Rail Reservation Centre in Uthukuli. Approximately 16000 kilograms of Butter and Ghee are transported daily from Uthukuli Railway station to different parts of the country. Sipcot industrial area which is at a distance of four kilometers from Uthukuli has so many knit wear industries. Several thousands of people from the neighbouring States are also working in this area. Kangeyam is 18 kilometers from Uthukuli where paddy and copra variety of coconut are procured from neighbouring States. In turn the end products like rice and coconut oil are packed and sent to different areas like Palakkad, Ernakulam and Mumbai. There are more than 30 establishments including Schools, Colleges and Offices of Union and State governments. More than 580 passengers use Uthukuli railway station for commuting to different places. Trains bearing numbers 12624, 12623, 22637, 22638 and 16042 pass through this station. Some months ago, Trains bearing nos. 22637 and 22638 had stoppages at Uthukuli railway station. I therefore urge that a Railway Passenger Reservation Center should be set up in Uthukuli railway station in order to benefit businessmen and general public. Thank you Sir.