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Title: Need to look into the demands of agitating employees of Indian Institute of Technology in South Chennai, Khargpur, Kanpur, Delhi and Mumbai.

SHRI T.R.BAALU (MADRAS SOUTH): Mr.Speaker Sir,with great anguish, I would like to draw the attention of this House... (Interruptions)

श्रीमती जयाबहन भरतकुमार ठक्कर : अध्यक्ष महोदय, माननीय सदस्य ने गुजरात के बारे में जो कुछ कहा, वहां ऐसा कुछ नहीं है।

... (व्यवधान)

MR. SPEAKER: I have given chance to her.

... (Interruptions)

MR. SPEAKER: Madam, please address the Chair.

श्रीमती जयाबहन भरतकुमार ठक्कर : इन्होंने पूरे राष्ट्र और सदन को मिसलीड किया। इस पर हमें आपत्ति है। मेरी मांग है कि वह इसके लिए माफी मांगें।

... (व्यवधान)

SHRI T.R.BAALU (MADRAS SOUTH): Mr.Speaker Sir, with great anguish, I would like to draw the kind attention of the hon. Minister for Human Resource Development about the sad plight of ten thousand employees of Indian Institute of Technology who are agitating for the past one month in South Chennai, Kharagpur, Kanpur, Delhi and Mumbai.

Their demand is to continue the recruitment and career development scheme with effect from 13.9.1986. The scales of pay hitherto enjoyed by them should not be lower under any circumstances with respect to the recommendations of the Fifth Pay Commission. The retirement age of the supporting staff, that is, in categories 'B', 'C' and 'D' should be increased to 62 years.

Sir, all these years, whatever they have enjoyed, they are being deprived of now because of the recommendations of the Fourth and Fifth Pay Commissions.

MR. SPEAKER: Shri Baalu, this is not a discussion on any topic. We have so many other items of Business.

starving for the past one month. The Indian Institute of Technology is an educational institution. But in spite of that, people are being deprived of their scale of pay... (Interruptions) They are deprived of their promotional opportunities... (Interruptions)

MR. SPEAKER: I have received a notice also from the hon. Minister.

SHRI G.M. BANATWALLA : Sir, at what time is the hon. Minister going to make a statement? ... (Interruptions)

श्री मोहम्मद अली अशरफ फातमी : अध्यक्ष महोदय, एक बजे स्टेटमेंट देने की बात कही गई थी, उसका क्या हुआ?

अध्यक्ष महोदय : मिनिस्टर साहब स्टेटमेंट देंगे।

would like to draw the attention of the Minister of Human Resource Development to immediately look into this aspect and I would also request you to kindly direct the Government to go for a negotiating settlement at least, so that the things would be properly settled.

SHRI NADENDLA BHASKARA RAO (KHAMMAM): Sir, there is a very serious... (Interruptions)

MR. SPEAKER: I am calling the names from the list only.