Sixteenth Loksabha

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Title: Need to regulate use of pesticide and compensate families of farmers in Maharashtra.

*SHRIMATI SUPRIYA SULE (BARAMATI): Thank you Madam Speaker, kindly allow me to speak in Marathi. There is a district in Maharashtra called Yavatmal. Around 50 farmers have died in Yavatmal due to the spraying of pesticides. Can we monitor this spraying of pesticides? The people have died not because of their fault but just because of spraying of the pesticides and insecticides. A new kind of insect called "Bond Alee" has infested the cotton crop. This pink coloured bollworm has attacked the cotton pods in the entire Vidarbha and Yavatmal region of Maharashtra. Due to this menace, maximum number of farmers have committed suicide in this area.

Hence, I would like to urge upon the Government to look into this problem seriously and a pesticide monitoring system should be evolved to check this kind of deaths. To avert the menace of this bollworm, a new research should be initiated to improve the cotton seed. We should come together to help these poor farmers. Thank you. ...(আবধান)

माननीय अध्यक्ष : आप सहयोगी बनिए।

...(<u>व्यवधान</u>)

माननीय अध्यक्ष : आप और अन्य सदस्य सहयोगी बनेंगे। आप लिखकर दे दीजिए।

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श्री देवजी एम. पटेल को श्रीमती सुप्रिया सुले द्वारा उठाए गए विऐाय के साथ संबद्ध करने की अनुमति प्रदान की जाती है।