

Sixteenth Loksabha

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Title: Demand to waive off the loan taken by the Left Front government in West Bengal.

*SHRI IDRIS ALI (BASIRHAT) : Hon. Speaker Madam, I am deeply grateful to you for allowing me to speak in Zero Hour. At the same time I am also grateful to our Hon. Chief Minister Smt. Mamata Banerjee for whatever I am today. I will not take much time but will say a few things in Bengali.

Madam, during the Left Front Government in West Bengal, huge amount of loan was taken.

Now our Government has to repay it. So with due respect I urge upon the Central Government to give relaxation and waive off the loan.

Madam you are our custodian. So I appeal to the Central Government through you Madam that kindly ensure that the forthcoming Janmashtami festival is celebrated peacefully in the country.

Madam, I appeal to the Central Government and the State Government to take necessary steps so that Janmashtami and Idu'l Zuha may be observed peacefully.