

LOK SABHA DEBATES

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Friday, December 13, 1985
Agrahayana 22, 1907 (Saka)

The Lok Sabha met at
Eleven of the Clock

[English]

[MR. DEPUTY-SPEAKER in the
Chair]

OBITUARY REFERENCE

[English]

MR. DEPUTY-SPEAKER : I have to inform the House of the sad demise of Dr. Chelikani Venkata Rama Rao, who was a Member of the First Lok Sabha during 1952-57 representing Kakinada constituency of the then composite State of Madras.

A veteran freedom fighter, he actively participated in the freedom movement and suffered imprisonment several times. Medical doctor by profession and a well-known social worker, he relentlessly worked for the uplift of the weaker sections of society.

Dr. Chelikani Venkata Rama Rao passed away on 25 September, 1985 at Ramachandrapuram in Andhra Pradesh at the age of 85 years.

We deeply mourn the loss of this friend and I am sure the House will join me in conveying our condolences to the bereaved family.

The House may now stand in silence for a short while to express its sorrow.

(The Members then stood in silence for
a short while)

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ORAL ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS

[English]

MR. DEPUTY-SPEAKER : Now, we will take up questions. Questions No. 368—Shri Priya Ranjan Das Munsi—Not present. Question No. 369—Shri Sriballav Panigrahi—Not present. Question No. 370—Shri Manik Reddy, Shri M. Raghuma Reddy—Not present. Question No. 371—Not here. Question No. 372—Shri Sharad Dighe—Not here. Question No. 373—Shri Sanat Kumar Mandal—Not present. Question No. 374—Shri E. Ayyapu Reddy—Not present. Question No. 375—Prof. Nirmala Kumari Shaktawat. Yes she is here. The lady Member coming to the rescue.

Reported us Charge Against Third World Countries About Blocking New Round of Trade Liberalisation Talks

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*375. PROF. NIRMALA KUMARI
SHAKTAWAT :
SHRIMATI GEETA MUKHER-
JEE :

Will the Minister of COMMERCE be pleased to state :

(a) whether Government are aware of press reports that U. S. is blaming some third world countries with regard to blocking of new round of trade liberalisation talks;

(b) if so, which are the countries so names;

(c) what policy U.S. is adopting against these countries regarding trade; and

(d) what is India's attitude in this regard ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE
MINISTRY OF TEXTILES (SHRI
KHURSHID ALAM KHAN) : (a) to (d).
A statement is given below.