

Seventeenth Loksabha

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Title: Need to take steps to improve rail connectivity of Adilabad Parliamentary Constituency.

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*Hon. Speaker Sir, Thank you for giving me this opportunity to speak in Zero Hour. 119 km railway line between Adilabad and Armoor was sanctioned and survey has been carried out. But even after ten years, this railway line is still in proposal stage. I request the Union Government to direct State Government to complete this project at the earliest. Though 75 crores were sanctioned for Rail Over Bridge (ROB) in Adilabad, it is still pending for the last twenty years. This is causing severe inconvenience to the people of this area, while crossing railway line. I would like to know whether State Government has released its share money for this ROB.

There is famous Gnana Saraswati temple in Basara and pilgrims visit this temple from various parts of our state and the country. I request that the passenger train from Kacheguda to Nizamabad may kindly be extended to Basara to facilitate pilgrims. Adilabad is land of many natural resources; therefore the railway station may kindly be upgraded to handle transportation of resources. I also request more trains for Adilabad where poor and tribals constitute major part of population. I request the Union Government to improve rail connectivity of Adilabad & Maharashtra where tribals live in large numbers. Trains from Secunderabad – New Delhi may be allowed through this district. Thank you sir.

माननीय अध्यक्ष: माननीय सदस्यगण, मैं फिर से आप से आग्रह कर रहा हूँ कि घड़ी लगी हुई है। आप बोलते समय घड़ी को भी देखते रहें।