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Title: Need to give decent remuneration to ASHA workers, Anganwadi workers and Sahayas.

***SHRIMATI PRAMILA BISOYI (ASKA):** Hon. Speaker Sir, thank you for giving me this opportunity to speak in this august House for the first time. Today I want to raise a very important issue regarding women empowerment. In September 2018, the central government increased the honorarium of Asha Karmis and Anganwadi workers to Rs.4500/- . Sir, through you I want to emphasize here that this hike is very insufficient. Women who work at the grassroots level deserve respect and a decent remuneration. Hence, through you I place my demand that the honorarium of Asha Karmis & Angawadi workers be raised to Rs.15000/- and that of the Sahayak's (Assistants) should be increased to Rs.12000/- Lastly I wish to extend my heartiest greetings to all the Hon. Members on the auspicious occasion of Rathyatra. Jai Jagannatha, Jai Odisha.