Seventeenth Loksabha

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Title: Regarding construction of overbridge on crossing Hosur-Thali Highway, Tamil Nadu

DR. A. CHELLAKUMAR (KRISHNAGIRI): Hon. Speaker, Sir, in Krishnagiri Parliamentary constituency, Hosur is one of the major municipalities with more than 2 lakhs of voters. It is also a known industrial hub with a great inflow of job seekers from all over India.

There is a railway line crossing across the Hosur-Thali State Highway, near TVS Nagar. Due to busy railway traffic, the railway crossing gate is closed for road traffic for nearly 7-8 hours per day. That leads to severe hardship to the public. Even the movement of ambulance gets stuck. Minimum one lakh of people are using this road daily for their livelihood. More than 3,000 small industrial units along with big industrial hubs like TVS, Titan and others are also there.

So, there is an urgent requirement of railway overbridge. I would like to request our hon. Minister through you, Speaker Sir, to order for construction of a railway overbridge on Hosur-Thali Road, near TVS Nagar on a war footing.