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[HON. SPEAKER *in the Chair*]



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## NATIONAL ANTHEM

*(The National Anthem was played.)*

11.02 hours

## OBITUARY REFERENCES

[ *Translation* ]

**HON. SPEAKER:** Hon. Members, I have to inform the House about the sad demise of our colleague Smt. Renuka Sinha and six former members Smt. V. Jeyalakshmi, Shri Arif Baig, Shri P. Kannan, Shri Harsh Vardhan, Smt. Jayawanti Mehta and Smt. Usha Verma.

Smt. Renuka Sinha was a sitting member who represented the Cooch Behar Parliamentary Constituency of West Bengal. She was a member of the Committee on Science & Technology and Committee on Environment & Forests. An educationist, Smt. Sinha worked for public welfare and promotion of education.

Shrimati Renuka Sinha passed away on 17 th August, 2016 in Cooch Behar, West Bengal at the age of 67.

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Smt. V. Jeyalakshmi was a member of the fifth and sixth Lok Sabha who represented the Sivakasi Parliamentary Constituency of Tamil Nadu.

She was a Member of Committee on Estimates during the Sixth Lok Sabha. Smt. Jeyalakshmi was a member of the parliamentary delegations to Kuwait, Syria, erstwhile Yugoslavia and Italy.

Smt. V. Jeyalakshmi passed away on 24th June, 2016 in Tirupur, Tamil Nadu at the age of 84 years.

Shri Arif Baig was a member of the sixth and ninth Lok Sabha who represented Bhopal and Betul Parliamentary Constituencies of Madhya Pradesh respectively. Shri Baig was the Union Minister of State for Commerce, Civil Supplies and Cooperatives from 1977 to 1979 during sixth Lok Sabha and a member of Committee on Privileges during the ninth Lok Sabha.

Earlier, Shri Baig was a Member of Madhya Pradesh Legislative Assembly. He also served as Cabinet Minister for Cooperation from 1967 to 1968 in the Government of Madhya Pradesh.

Shri Arif Baig passed away on 5 September, 2016 in Bhopal, Madhya Pradesh at the age of 80 years.

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Shri P. Kannan was a member of the sixth and eighth Lok Sabha who represented Salem and Tiruchengode Parliamentary Constituencies of Tamil Nadu respectively. He served as a Member of the Rules Committee during the Sixth Lok Sabha.

Shri P. Kannan passed away on 16th September, 2016 in Salem, Tamil Nadu at the age of 79 years.

Shri Harsh Vardhan was a member of the 9th and 15th Lok Sabha who represented the Maharajganj Parliamentary Constituency of Uttar Pradesh.

Shri Harsh Vardhan was a member of the Committee on Home Affairs during the 15th Lok Sabha. Earlier, Shri Harsh Vardhan served as a member of the Uttar Pradesh Legislative Assembly from 1985 to 1989.

Shri Harsh Vardhan passed away on 3rd October, 2016 in Delhi at the age of 68.

Smt. Jayawanti Mehta was a member of the 9th, 11th and 13th Lok Sabha who represented the Mumbai North-East and Mumbai South Parliamentary Constituencies of Maharashtra

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respectively. Smt. Jayawanti Mehta was the Union Minister of State for Power from October, 1999 to May, 2004.

An able parliamentarian, Smt. Mehta was a member of the Rules Committee and Committee on Food and Civil Supplies during the 9th Lok Sabha. She was also a member of the Committee on Industry during the 11th Lok Sabha. Earlier, she was a member of the Maharashtra Legislative Assembly for two terms.

Smt. Jayawanti Mehta passed away on 7th November, 2016 at the age of 78 years.

Smt. Usha Verma was a member of the 7th, 8th and 9th Lok Sabha who represented the Kheri Parliamentary Constituency of Uttar Pradesh. She served as a Member of various Parliamentary Committees while being a Member of Lok Sabha. Smt. Verma persistently endeavoured for the upliftment of the downtrodden and the marginalised sections of the society.

Smt. Usha Verma passed away on 9th November, 2016 in Mumbai, Maharashtra at the age of 85 years.

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We deeply mourn the loss of Smt. Renuka Sinha and six of our former members and this House also expresses our heart-felt condolences to the bereaved families.

Hon. Members, I have also to inform the House that Mr. Shimon Peres, former President of Israel passed away on 28 September, 2016 at the age of 93 years. With his passing away, Israel has lost a statesman, who took firm steps to achieve peace for his country and the region. He was awarded with The Nobel Peace Prize proves that he received lot of accolades and respect in his public life.

We, the people of India, will always remember Shri Peres as a good friend, whose lasting contribution to the promotion of bilateral ties will be remembered for a long time.

Hon. Members, I have also to inform the House about the sad demise of King Bhumibol Adulyadej of Thailand who passed away on 13th October, 2016. The people of Thailand had incredible reverence for the Emperor Abulyadej.

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This House expresses its deepest condolences to Parliaments, Governments and the people of Israel and Thailand in this hour of grief.

Hon. Members, I have also to inform the House about the sad demise of Pramukh Swami Shashtri Narayan Swaroop Das of Swami Narayan sect who passed away on 13th August, 2016 in Sarangpur, Gujarat, at the age of 95 years.

A great scholar, saint and social reformer, Swami Shastri Narayan served the marginalized section of the society. His contribution in the fields of spiritualism and humanity will always be remembered.

This House expresses its deepest sorrow on sad demise of Swami Shashtri Narayan Swaroop Das.

Now this House will stand in silence for a short while in respect of the departed souls.

**11.07 hours**

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

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**\*WRITTEN ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS**

Starred Question Nos. 1 to 20

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HON. SPEAKER: The House stands adjourned to meet again tomorrow, on 17<sup>th</sup> November, 2016 at 11.00 a.m.

**11.10 hours**

*The Lok Sabha then adjourned till Eleven of the Clock on Thursday, November 17, 2016/Kartika 26, 1938 (Saka).*

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