## Regarding adequate hostel facilities for college students of Delhi University

**SHRI ANTO ANTONY (PATHANAMTHITTA):** Madam, I rise today to bring to the urgent attention of this House the severe challenges faced by outstation students due to the lack of hostel facilities in many Delhi University colleges. Many students, due to financial constraints, are forced to stay in private rentals that are often unhygienic and unsafe, exposing them to serious health risks, frequent illness, and financial burdens.

Madam, the situation has become so severe that some students are forced to quit their hostels and return home due to medical emergencies, and in tragic cases, some have even lost their lives. Delhi University, being a premier institution that attracts students from across India, must take immediate steps to ensure their well-being.

I urge the Government to intervene and direct the Delhi University to increase hostel facilities and provide safe, affordable accommodation for students. This will not only ease their struggles but also create a healthier and more focused academic environment. Ensuring proper living conditions is essential for students? welfare and their right to quality education. Thank you.