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Title: Need to shift the site of NIT centre from Imphal to an alternative site.

SHRI KIRIP CHALIHA (GUWAHATI): I would like to draw the attention of the Government to a very important matter. It is about the National Institute of Technology in Imphal. It is a welcome decision that this Institute is established in Manipur as a part of the Prime Minister's package. Unfortunately, so far as selection of site is concerned, earlier the site was selected in Kyamgei Loukon. But this has been changed and now the proposal they made is to have the site in Langol Patta Land areas and in the wet land at Lamphelpat. As a result of this, a large number of tribal population of those areas has become extremely apprehensive. A Joint Action Committee has been formed. The students, the tribal population have become so apprehensive that they are saying that there could a repetition of Nandigram in Imphal. Under the circumstances, people from Churachandpur, Bishanpur and all these areas have offered alternate site. So, I urge upon the Government to consider having the institute in those sites without displacing the tribal population which might lead to a lot of tension.[\[R97\]](#)

MR. DEPUTY-SPEAKER: Shri Hansraj Ahir ji. You can raise only one matter at a time. You are allowed to raise one matter only.