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Title: Need to create new States in the country.

SHRI SANSUMA KHUNGGUR BWISWMUTHIARY (KOKRAJHAR): For and on behalf of the indigenous Bodo-Tribals and other native people of the entire proposed territory of the much awaited separate State of Bodoland, I welcome the positive hints given by the Prime Minister, Dr. Manmohan Singh with regard to the urgent need of the creation of separate State of Telangana at a meeting of the UPA-II Co-ordination Committee held on 26 Feb., 2013 in New Delhi. Dr. Manmohan Singh's positive gesture made the meeting about the creation of Telangana is indeed worth welcome.

With regard to the long pending issue of creation of few more new States across the country, the Union Government of India should take similar proactive policy decision in the case of other deserving regions too like Bodoland, Vidarbha, Bundelkhand, Purvanchal, Harit Pradesh, Kamatapur, Twipura, Bhil Pradesh and a few more while taking final decision on Telangana after the passage of the General Budget in order to accord equitable political, economic and social justice to the people of the regions.

I, therefore, would like to urge upon the Union Government to take positive policy decision on other deserving regions too

â€“(व्यवधान)

उपाध्यक्ष मंडोदर्य : आप लोग अपनी शीट पर जाइए।

â€“(व्यवधान)

उपाध्यक्ष मंडोदर्य : कृपया बैठ जाइए।

â€“(व्यवधान)

MR. DEPUTY-SPEAKER: The House stands adjourned to meet tomorrow, the 5<sup>th</sup> March, 2013 at 11.00 a.m.

**14.02 hrs**

**The Lok Sabha then adjourned till Eleven of the Clock**

*on Tuesday, March 5, 2013/Phalguna 14, 1934 (Saka).*

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