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Title: Madam Speaker welcomed His Excellency Dr. Ali Ardeshir Larijani, Speaker of the Islamic Consultative Assembly of the Islamic Republic of Iran and other distinguished members of the Iranian Parliamentary Delegation.

MADAM SPEAKER: On behalf of the Members of the House and on my own behalf, it is my pleasure to extend a hearty welcome to His Excellency Dr. Ali Ardeshir Larijani, Speaker of the Islamic Consultative Assembly of the Islamic Republic of Iran and other distinguished members of the Iranian Parliamentary Delegation.

The delegation arrived in India on Sunday, the 24<sup>th</sup> February, 2013. They are now seated in the Special Box. We wish them a comfortable stay in our country. Their visit will further strengthen the existing bonds of friendship and cooperation between our two countries.

Through them, we convey our greetings and best wishes to the Parliament, the Government and the friendly people of the Islamic Republic of Iran.

MADAM SPEAKER: Now, Question Hour.

...(Interruptions)

SHRI BASU DEB ACHARIA(BANKURA) : Madam, I have given notice for an Adjournment Motion on the issue of helicopter scam.

MADAM SPEAKER: I have disallowed it because we are going to have discussion on it.

...(Interruptions)

MADAM SPEAKER: We are going to have a discussion on it later.

श्री शैलेन्द्र कुमार (कौशांबी) : अध्यक्ष महोदया, इस पर जेपीसी का गठन करवा दीजिए। ... (व्यवधान)

MADAM SPEAKER: There is no 'Zero Hour' today. Please let us have the Question Hour.

Q.No. 41 – Shri Nama Nageswara Rao.

...(Interruptions)