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Title : The Speaker made a reference to the passing away of Shri Krishna Kumar Goyal, a member of the 6th and 7th Lok Sabhas.

MADAM SPEAKER: Hon. Members, I have to inform the House about the sad demise of Shri Krishna Kumar Goyal.

Shri Goyal was a Member of the Sixth and Seventh Lok Sabhas from 1977 to 1984 representing Kota Parliamentary Constituency of Rajasthan.

He was also a Member of Rajasthan Legislative Assembly for two terms.

An able parliamentarian, Shri Goyal served as Union Minister of State in the Ministry of Commerce, Civil Supplies and Cooperation. He was also a Member of the Committee on Private Members' Bills and Resolutions.

Shri Krishna Kumar Goyal passed away on 23rd April, 2013 at the age of 80 in Kota, Rajasthan.

We deeply mourn the loss of Shri Goyal and I am sure the House would join me in conveying our condolences to the bereaved family.

The House may now stand in silence for a short while as a mark of respect to the memory of the departed.

11.01½ hrs

The Members then stood in silence for a short while.

...(Interruptions)

11.02 hrs

At this stage, Shri Ganesh Singh, Shrimati Harsimrat Kaur Badal and some other hon. Members came and stood on the floor near the Table.

...(Interruptions)