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Title: Need to take effective steps to make river Yamuna pollution free.

SHRI DUSHYANT CHAUTALA (HISAR): The Central Water Commission has recently declared that the water of river Yamuna is safe neither for irrigation nor for domestic use due to its 50 times more contamination level of biochemical oxygen demand than the permissible limit. The untreated industrial and sewage effluent is polluting the Yamuna basin continuously leading to various lethal diseases including cancer, Hepatitis C among people residing in Faridabad, Palwal of Haryana. Haryana has been affected due to Delhi contaminating this river. Therefore, I urge the government to initiate project on the line of River Gang to clean River Yamuna and allocate adequate fund in the current Budget. I also request the government to instruct the government of Haryana and other state governments to take effective steps to protect this river and to shift industries releasing chemical residues into the river.