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LOK SABHA

Tuesday, March 6, 1979/Phalguna 15, 1900 (Saka)

The Lck Sabha met at Eleven of the Clock.

[MR. SPEAKER in the Chair]

WELCOME TO THE SYRIAN ARAB REPUBLIC PARLIAMENTARY DELEGATION

MR. SPEAKER: Hon'ble Members, at the outset, I have to make an announcement.

On my own behalf and on behalf of the Hon'bl_e Members of the House, I have great pleasure in welcoming his Excellency Mr. Mahmoud Hadid, M.P., Speaker of the People's Council of the Syrian Arab Republic and the Hon'ble Members of the Syrian Arab Republic Parliamentary Delegation who are on a visit to India as our honoured guests.

The other Hon'ble Members of the delegation are:---

(1) Mr. Tawfik Al Nukari, M.P. Secretary General of the People's Council.

(2) Mr. Mohamad Said Alhamwi, M.P. Chairman of the Servicec Committee.

(3) Mr. Turki Shalhoub, M.P. Chairman of the Interior and Local Administration Committee. (4) Dr. Subhi Oyoun, M.P.

(5) Mr. Abdel Razak Ayoub, M.P.

(6) Mr. Nour Aldeen Khadour, M.P.

(7) Mr. Mouhamed Nour Juneidan M.P.

The delegation arrived here yesterday afternoon. They are now seated in the Special Box. Through them we convey our greetings and best wishes to the Syrian People's Council and the friendly people of the Syrian Arab Republic.

ORAL ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS

MR. SPEAKER: Q. No. 208.

AN. HON. MEMBER: What about Q. No. 202.

MR. SPEAKER: Q. No. 202 has been transferred to 15th March, 1979.

MR. SPEAKER: Shrì Badri Narayan.

Super Thermal Power Station at Farakka

*203. SHRI A. R. BADRI NARAYAN: SHRI NIHAR LASKAR:

Will the Minister of ENERGY be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Department of Power has proposed phase one of the country's fourth super thermal power station at Farakka be taken up during 1978-80;

(b) if so, whether Government have agreed to this; and

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