

**THE
PARLIAMENTARY DEBATES
OFFICIAL REPORT**

IN THE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-FIRST SESSION OF THE
RAJYA SABHA

Commencing on the 18th July, 1989/the 27th Asadha, 1911 (Saka)

RAJYA SABHA

*Tuesday, the 18th July, 1989/the
27th Asadha, 1911 (Saka)*

The House met at eleven of the
dock, Mr. Chairman in the Chair.

MEMBERS SWORN

1. Shri Amritlal Basumatary
(Assam)
2. Shri David Ledger (Assam)
3. Shri Gufran Ajam (Madhya
Pradesh)
4. Shri Kyomo Lotha (Nagaland)
5. Shri Ram Naresh Yadav
(Uttar Pradesh)
6. Shri Mohammad Yunus
(Nominated)

MR. CHAIRMAN : I welcome
the new Members.

OBITUARY REFERENCES

MR. CHAIRMAN: Hon. Members
, I refer with profound sorrow to
the passing away of Ayatollah
Ruhollah Khomeini, the leader of

the Islamic Revolution in Iran and
the founder of the Islamic Republic
of Iran.

Ayatollah Khomeini guided the
destiny of Iran for more than a
decade and became "Valy-e-Faqin",
—the religious ruler. The out-
pouring of grief and concern during
the weeks after his death were indica-
tive of the place he had in the hearts
and minds of his people.

On behalf of this house I would
like to convey our sincere condo-
lences to the Government and the
people of Iran and to the family of
late Ayatollah Khomeini.

Hon. Members, I also refer with
profound sorrow to the passing
away of Shri S.K. Dey, a former
Member and Shri Bir Bahadur Singh,
a sitting Member of the House.

Shri S. K. Dey, who was closely
associated with development of Pan-
chayati Raj institutions in the coun-
try, was born in September, 1906,
at village Medjnimohal in district
Sylhet, now in Bangladesh. Shri
Dey had his education at Rangpur
and Shibpore. He received his
higher education in engineering at
the Universities of Purdue and
Michigan in the United States.