

RAJYA SABHA

*Monday, the 3rd August, 2009/12 Sravana, 1931 (Saka)*

The House met at eleven of the clock,

MR. CHAIRMAN in the Chair.

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**OBITUARY REFERENCES**

MR. CHAIRMAN: Hon'ble Members, I refer with profound sorrow to the passing away of Shri Syed Rahmat Ali and Shri Devendra Nath Dwivedi, former Members of this House.

Shri Syed Rahmat Ali passed away on the 29th of June, 2009 at the age of 77 years.

Born at Hyderabad in November 1931, Shri Syed Rahmat Ali was a Graduate in Persian and Arabic.

A journalist and a renowned orator in Urdu, Hindi and Telugu languages, Shri Ali was associated with several social welfare and cultural organizations. He had a long association with the Press Reporters' Guild, Andhra Pradesh, and was Chairman of the Andhra Pradesh Muslim Wakf Board from 1974 to 1976. He was Vice-President of the Indian Council for Social Welfare and was also a Member of the Senate of Osmania University. Shri Ali was also a life member of the Institute of Asian Studies since 1975. He was Deputy Mayor, Municipal Corporation of Hyderabad in 1965.

Shri Syed Rahmat Ali was an avid reader and had a few publications in Urdu to his credit.

Shri Syed Rahmat Ali started his legislative career with the membership of the Andhra Pradesh Legislative Assembly in 1972.

Shri Syed Rahmat Ali represented the State of Andhra Pradesh in this House from April 1980 to April 1986. He also served on the Panel of Vice-Chairmen, Rajya Sabha.

In the passing away of Shri Syed Rahmat Ali, the country has lost a distinguished social worker and an able parliamentarian.

Shri Devendra Nath Dwivedi passed away on the 1st of August, 2009 at the age of 73 years.

Born at Varanasi, in July, 1936, Shri Devendra Nath Dwivedi had his education at Banaras Hindu University and Cornell University, United States of America.

A Lawyer by profession, Shri Devendra Nath Dwivedi was known for his vast knowledge of Constitutional provisions and legal nuances. He was Member of the Joint Advisory Committee, Film Institute and National Film Archives in 1972. He was President of the All India Hindustan Commercial Bank Employees Association and Diesel Locomotive Workers' Congress.

Shri Devendra Nath Dwivedi also served as the Additional Solicitor General of India.

Shri Devendra Nath Dwivedi represented the State of Uttar Pradesh in this House from April 1974 to April 1980.

In the passing away of Shri Devendra Nath Dwivedi, the country has lost a distinguished lawyer and an able Parliamentarian.

We deeply mourn the passing away of Shri Syed Rahmat Ali and Shri Devendra Nath Dwivedi.

I request Members to rise in their places and observe silence as a mark of respect to the memory of the departed.

*(Hon. Members then stood in silence for one minute)*

MR. CHAIRMAN: Secretary-General will convey to the members of the bereaved families our sense of profound sorrow and deep sympathy.

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**RE. DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY FOR BUNDELKHAND IN  
UTTAR PRADESH**

**श्री रुद्रनारायण पाणि (उड़ीसा) :** महोदय... महोदय....(व्यवधान)....

MR. CHAIRMAN: Question No.421 ...*(Interruptions)*...

**श्री सतीश चन्द्र मिश्र (उत्तर प्रदेश) :** मान्यवर, हमने आपको आज सुबह एक नोटिस दिया था। मान्यवर, बुंदेलखंड के विषय पर जो एक बयान आया है, आज माननीय मंत्री जी यहां हाउस में मौजूद हैं, उन्होंने यह बयान दिया है कि बुंदेलखंड को लेकर उत्तर प्रदेश में केंद्र की सरकार डायरेक्ट हस्तक्षेप करके एक विकास प्राधिकरण बनाएगी। तो जहां इनकी सरकार नहीं है, वहां पर इस तरह से सेंट्रल गवर्नमेंट ...**(व्यवधान)**...

**श्री एस.एस. अहलुवालिया (झारखंड) :** सभापति महोदय, उत्तर प्रदेश ...**(व्यवधान)**...

**श्री सभापति :** ऑनरेबल मैम्बर्स प्लीज...**(व्यवधान)**... पहली चीज तो यह है कि आप लोग बैठ जाइए। ...**(व्यवधान)**... देखिए, प्लीज...**(व्यवधान)**... प्लीज...आप बैठ जाइए। ...**(व्यवधान)**...

**श्री सतीश चन्द्र मिश्र :** मान्यवर, यह कंस्टीट्यूशन का violation है। ...**(व्यवधान)**... अगर इस तरीके से ...**(व्यवधान)**...

**श्री सभापति :** आप बैठ जाइए। ...**(व्यवधान)**... मिश्र जी, प्लीज...**(व्यवधान)**...

**श्री सतीश चन्द्र मिश्र :** पूरे हिन्दुस्तान में उन सभी सरकारों पर...**(व्यवधान)**... जहां पर भी सेंट्रल गवर्नमेंट की सरकार है...**(व्यवधान)**...

**श्री एस.एस. अहलुवालिया :** प्रश्नकाल को स्थगित करें।...**(व्यवधान)**...

**श्री सतीश चन्द्र मिश्र :** माननीय मंत्री जी बैठे हुए हैं।...**(व्यवधान)**...