

MR. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Mr. Siva, your time has started. ...*(Interruptions)*... आप शुरू कीजिए ...*(व्यवधान)*...

श्री राजीव प्रताप रूडी: *

MR. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Mr. Rudy, nothing is going on record. ...*(Interruptions)*...

SHRI TIRUCHI SIVA (Tamil Nadu): Sir, my name has not appeared. ...*(Interruptions)*....

MR. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: You start now.

Missing Indian Coast Guard personnel

SHRI TIRUCHI SIVA (Tamil Nadu): Mr. Deputy Chairman, Sir, two sailors of the Indian Coast Guard are missing along with five Sri Lankan fishermen ...*(Interruptions)*... in mid-sea since Wednesday night. ...*(Interruptions)*...

श्री राजीव प्रताप रूडी: *

MR. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Mr. Rudy, you are a disciplined Member. Please sit down. ...*(Interruptions)*... Please sit down.

श्री राजीव प्रताप रूडी: *

MR. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Mr. Rudy, nothing is going on record. ...*(Interruptions)*... Mr. Rudy, nothing is going on record.

SHRI TIRUCHI SIVA: Sir, I want my time to be restarted. ...*(Interruptions)*... Sir, I want my time to be restarted.

MR. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: You can save five, six seconds only.

SHRI TIRUCHI SIVA: Thank you, Sir. Two sailors of the Indian Coast Guard are missing along with five Sri Lankan fishermen in mid-sea since Wednesday night.

According to sources, a patrol ship noticed Sri Lankan fishermen on seven boats fishing in Indian waters. Our Coast Guard personnel intercepted them and deployed two sailors in each boat before towing them towards Chennai.

After some time, the seventh boat with two sailors of Indian Coast Guard and five fishermen of Sri Lanka were found missing. Sources said the sailors were overpowered by the Sri Lankan fishermen. Based on the information that the missing boat had reached the Sri Lankan Coast, the Coast Guard officials were trying to negotiate for the release of sailors through appropriate Sri Lankan authorities. It appeared that the sailors had weapons with them. The Coast Guard deployed its Dornier aircraft and other vessels on search operations in the last 24 hours but could not trace the missing boat named "Win Marine". The other Sri Lankan fishermen and six boats are in the custody of the Coast Guard. It appears that the fishermen who escaped are demanding the release of their colleagues. The status of the sailors is not clear.

* Not recorded.

Sir, it is entirely different from the issues we have been raising all these days. Those were the incidents of our fishermen being captured by the Sri Lankan Navy, but it has taken a different dimension now. Our sailors of the Indian Coast Guard are captured by the Sri Lankan fishermen. Taking a serious note of this issue, I urge the Government of India to take necessary steps and appropriate action to ascertain and ensure the safety and security of our sailors and fishermen in Indian waters. Thank you, Sir.

SHRIMATI BRINDA KARAT (West Bengal): Sir, I associate myself with the issue raised by Mr. Tiruchi Siva. ...*(Interruptions)*...

MR. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Okay. Only associate.

SHRI D. RAJA (Tamil Nadu): Sir, I also associate myself with this issue.

SHRIMATI VASANTHI STANLEY (Tamil Nadu): Sir, I also associate myself with the issue raised by him.

SHRIMATI JAYA BACHCHAN (Uttar Pradesh): Sir, I associate myself with this issue.

MR. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Now, Shrimati Brinda Karat.

Supreme Court judgment on Honour Killings

SHRIMATI BRINDA KARAT (West Bengal): Sir, at a time when Indian democracy continues to be shamed, profiled and polluted by anti-human notions of caste superiority and practices of untouchability, when women continue to be victimised for asserting, Sir, ...*(Interruptions)*... What is happening, Sir?

MR. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: Time is all right. ...*(Interruptions)*... Time is all right. ...*(Interruptions)*...

SHRIMATI BRINDA KARAT: Sir, there should not be a discrimination ...*(Interruptions)*... Interruptions should not be taken into account while... ...*(Interruptions)*...

SHRI S.S. AHLUWALA (Jharkhand): Sir, the name is wrong. ...*(Interruptions)*... The name "Ram Gopal Yadav" is appearing! ...*(Interruptions)*...

MR. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN: What is this? ...*(Interruptions)*... There is some problem.

SHRIMATI BRINDA KARAT: Sir, this type of problem cannot be of gender! ...*(Interruptions)*... जेंडर की है, पोलिटिक्स की है, समय की भी है। सर, यह तो बहुत ही गलत है। ...*(Interruptions)*...

SHRI S.S. AHLUWALIA: Her mike is not on! ...*(Interruptions)*... Sir, you see that her mike is not on! ...*(Interruptions)*... The name is shown as "Ram Gopal Yadav", Sir! ...*(Interruptions)*... What is this, Sir? ...*(Interruptions)*...