RAJYA SABHA

Wednesday, the 25th April, 2012/5th Vaisakha, 1934 (Saka)

The House met at eleven of the clock, MR. DEPUTY CHAIRMAN in the Chair.

MEMBERS SWORN

SHRI DEVENDER GOUD T. (Andhra Pradesh)

SHRI PALVAI GOVARDHAN REDDY (Andhra Pradesh)

SHRI KUNAL KUMAR GHOSH (West Bengal)

SHRI VIVEK GUPTA (West Bengal)

SHRI MD. NADIMUL HAQUE (West Bengal)

SHRI MUKUL ROY (West Bengal)

OBITUARY REFERENCE

MR. CHAIRMAN: Hon. Members, I refer with profound sorrow to the passing away of Shri B.B. Tiwari, a sitting Member of this House, on the 25th of April, 2012, at the age of 70 years.

Born in October 1941, at Jamuni, District, Siddharth Nagar in Uttar Pradesh, Shri Tiwari was educated at Shivpati Inter College, Shohratgarh, St. Andrew's College, Gorakhpur and Allahabad University, Allahabad.

An agriculturist, an advocate and a social worker, Shri Tiwari actively participated in social, cultural and literary activities during his student days, and worked for the upliftment and welfare of downtrodden sections of the society.

Shri Tiwari started his legislative career as a Member of the Sixth Lok Sabha in 1977. He was also Member of the Ninth and Eleventh Lok Sabha. He represented the State of Uttar Pradesh in this House from December, 2006 to July, 2010, and again from the 3rd April, 2012 till his sad demise.

In the passing away of Shri B.B. Tiwari, the country has lost a veteran parliamentarian, and a noted social worker.

We deeply mourn the passing away of Shri B.B. Tiwari.