

RAJYA SABHA

Friday, the 29th April, 2016/9th Vaisakha, 1938 (Saka)

The House met at eleven of the clock,

MR. CHAIRMAN *in the Chair.*

MEMBER SWORN

Shri Suresh Gopi (Nominated)

FELICITATION TO SCIENTISTS, ENGINEERS AND TECHNICIANS OF ISRO ON SUCCESSFUL LAUNCH OF IRNSS-1G

MR. CHAIRMAN: Hon. Members, as you might be aware, the Indian Space Research Organisation (ISRO) yesterday successfully launched the seventh satellite of the Indian Regional Navigation Satellite System, IRNSS- 1G, using PSLV - C 33, on the 28th of April, 2016, from the Satish Dhawan Space Centre in Sriharikota in Andhra Pradesh.

IRNSS-1G is the seventh and the last satellite in the series of the constellation of Regional Navigation Satellite System and the successful launch of it has catapulted India into an elite club of nations, with their own satellite navigation systems.

This has added yet another precious milestone in the success story of the Indian Space history. The credit for this landmark achievement undoubtedly goes to our scientific community, particularly those working with ISRO.

On behalf of the House and my own behalf, I congratulate the scientists, engineers and the technicians, who were associated with this project and do hope that they will continue to scale greater heights and make the country proud of their achievements. We wish them all success for their future endeavours.

PAPERS LAID ON THE TABLE

Outcome Budget (2016-17) in respect of the Ministry of Law and Justice

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF MINORITY AFFAIRS AND
THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS
(SHRI MUKHTAR ABBAS NAQVI): Sir, on behalf of Shri D.V. Sadananda Gowda, I lay