

RAJYA SABHA

Friday, the 2nd August, 2024 / 11 Sravana, 1946 (Saka)

The House met at eleven of the clock,

MR. CHAIRMAN *in the Chair.*

BIRTHDAY GREETINGS

MR. CHAIRMAN: Hon. Members, I take the opportunity to wish Birthday Greetings to hon. Member of Parliament, Dr. Anil Sukhdeorao Bonde. आपके नाम में सुख भी है और देव भी है। His birthday is tomorrow on 3rd August. This is being done as per practice. A Member of this august House since July, 2022, Shri Sukhdeorao Bonde has been a Minister in Maharashtra Government and Member of Maharashtra Legislative Assembly for two terms in the past. He is the National General Secretary of BJP Kisan Morcha. He is a medical practitioner and also a farmer. He owns high-tech multi-specialty hospital and research center, a hospital in Amravati, Maharashtra, and is a member of Indian Medical Association and the Association of Physicians of India. He runs a school and is associated with a skilling center and an old-age home in Amravati. He is married to Dr. Vasudha Bonde, and together they are blessed with son, Kunal and daughter, Manali. Hon. Members, on behalf of this House, I wish him a long, healthy and happy life and extend greetings to family members and also on my own.

Hon. Members, I take the opportunity to extend birthday greetings to hon. Member of Parliament, Shri Mahendra Bhatt, whose birthday is on 4th of August. A two-time Member of the Legislative Assembly of Uttarakhand, 2002 to 2007 and 2017 to 2022, Shri Bhatt has recently been elected as a Member of this august House in April, 2024. He was also the Vice-President of Minor Irrigation Department, Government of Uttarakhand 2010 to 2012. Hailing from Chamoli district of Uttarakhand, he has been an active leader since his youth and held several key positions at the State level. In the BJP, he also played active role during the Uttarakhand Rajya Andolan. He is married to Shrimati Muni Devi and the couple is blessed with son, Abhishek and daughter, Vashnavi. Hon. Members, on behalf of this House and on my own, I wish him a long, healthy and happy life and extend greetings to family members.
