

**Statement of Shri Randeep Singh Surjewala I/C
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- Having failed miserably at delivering on the tall promises that the PM made to the people of India and having made a mess of political and economic governance over the last 19 months of his tenure, Shri Narendra Modi is desperately trying to shift goal posts. Having been unable to get RSSs' approval on passing the GST Bill, he is trying to blame the Congress Party.
- With people increasingly becoming aware of the Government's shortcomings and demanding off the mandate that they gave to the BJP, the PM is trying to create a counter narrative by blaming the Congress for his abject failures.
- It is shameful that a PM having a majority of 282 MPs, rather than working and delivering chooses to blame the Congress Party. Does he expect the Congress to deliver and Govern on his behalf?
- The Prime Minister conveniently and typically forgets that the responsibility to run parliament lies on him and his government rather than the Congress Party, a responsibility that the last Congress Government discharged remarkably, despite shameful and maliciously orchestrated disruptions by his party during 2009-2014.
- The Prime Minister also conveniently forgot to tell the people that achieving a consensus on issues where there are divergent view points is also his responsibility. We would like to ask if the PM ever tried to achieve a consensus or did he even deem it fit to answer the questions that the opposition, media and people in general have been asking of him?
- No he did not! Despite the fact that he had a plethora of platforms available to him, right from the floor of the Parliament to the rally stage in Dasna today. The PM also forgot to tell the people that as many as 50 Bills were passed by the Parliament since he took office and they included bills like the JJ Act, SC/ST Atrocities Bill, Atomic Energy Bill. Black Money Bill, Insurance Bill and Watreways Bill.

- The PM and his Ministers also never tell people as to why aren't they sorting out the 3 issues being raised by the Congress party with regards to the GST Bill and passing it. If its the RSS thats not letting them pass the GST Bill why isn't the PM telling so?
- Yes the Congress Party did not let him pass the draconian Land Bill that he was trying to shove down the throat of farmers of this country- and we are proud of it and so would the farmers of Western UP that he was addressing today.
- The PM and his Government "reaffirmed" its faith in democracy, federalism and the constitution of India in special sitting of Parliament and went on to blatantly murder all three of them in Arunachal Pradesh by seeking to dismiss a democratically elected government with a massive mandate, even while the Parliament session was going on.
- Yes we protested against this in Rajya Sabha and Lok Sabha and we are proud of it, so would be the people of this country.
- Yes we protested against blatant atrocities against women and dalits in Punjab and we are proud of it.
- Moreover, the Prime Minister has got into describing the opposition as 'people who were rejected by the electorate". He would be well advised to stop claiming a copyright on Mandate, since opposition as well is mandated in a democracy. And as far as rejection by electorate is concerned he will do well to remember the results of Delhi and Bihar Assembly elections, Gujarat and Kerala Panchayat elections and numerous by elections including the ones yesterday in Karnataka and Maharashtra!! Today only Congress won 8 out of 11 seats in Chhattisgarh Local Body elections. Enough proof that that the grassroots is not enamored by Shri Modi's antics.