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**Most fruitful
LS session
in 20 years**

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New Delhi: As many as 35 bills were passed in the first session of the 17th Lok Sabha, which worked for 281 hours through 37 sittings, which is the highest for any lower House session in the past 20 years, according to an analysis by PRS Legislative Research.

It said the Lok Sabha members worked for 135% of the scheduled hours.

In his valedictory address at the end of the session, Speaker Om Birla said that first session of this Lok Sabha was more productive than the opening session of India's first LS in 1952, when 24 bills were passed in 67 sittings.

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**Productivity of
this LS session
127%: Report**

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The list of bills passed
The list of bills passed include the landmark legislations including the the Jammu and Kashmir Reorganisation Bill and the law against instant triple talaq—the Muslim Women (Protection of Rights on Marriage) Bill. Some of the other bills passed during this session include the The Code on Wages, 2019, The Unlawful Activities (Prevention) Amendment Bill, 2019 and The Right to Information (Amendment) Bill among others.

The productivity of the Lok Sabha session, as per the report of the secretariat, is estimated to be 127%. In the Lok Sabha session that started on June 17 and concluded on Tuesday, 33 bills were re-introduced and 35 bills were passed. As many as 183 starred questions were answered. The members spent 70 hours 42 minutes as extra time over the average six hour daily sittings.

Out of 265 first time MPs nearly all got the opportunity to speak. Of the new MPs, 229 got the opportunity to speak during Zero Hour. Out of the 46 first time elected women MPs, 42 spoke during Zero Hour.