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Subject: Violence against Migrant workers of West Bengal.

Respected Shri Narendra Modi ji,

With heavy heart I am constrained to flag your attention that migrant workers from west Bengal who are spreading across the length and breadth of our country are confronting severe discrimination in various states (*most precisely BJP ruled states*) at a regular interval. Those migrant workers have been investing their sweat and skill in order to eke out livelihoods and as a consequence of which they should be recognized as cogs of our economic wheel of our country. However, they are being subjected to violence, hatred, abuse and even beaten to death. Their only offence is that they speak in Bengali language which are often misunderstood by the concerned administration as persons belonging to neighbouring Bangladesh and treated as infiltrators.

It is ironical to note that administrative officers including police do not differentiate between "**Banglabhasi**" and "**Bangladeshi**" people. And without committing any offence they are lodged into jail or detention centre much to the injustice being meted out.

I do also refer to a harrowing incident took place in Orissa's Sambalpur where a youth Mr. Juel Sk. of my district Murshidabad has been bludgeoned to death on the same excuse of Bangladeshi a I a infiltrator.

Hon'ble Prime Minister on behalf of those poor & wretched migrant labors from my state West Bengal, I, would request you to sensitize all the state governments in the country so as to stop this kind of discrimination, violence, persecution against those concerned migrant labors who have every right enshrined in our constitution to reside, to work, to visit any part of India and it is incumbent upon the Government to ensure safety and security of those migrant labors of our country.

With profound regards,

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