

Title: Need to sanction setting up of an International Leather Complex in Nellore district, Andhra Pradesh -- Laid.

Dr. RAJESWARAMMA VUKKALA(NELLORE) : The leather industry provides an excellent source of employment generation and keeping this in view the Andhra Pradesh Government have prepared an ambitious plan to develop leather industrial parks in the State. In this connection, a proposal has been approved, in principle, to set up an International Leather Complex in Nellore District. In this connection, discussions have been held with officials of Department of Commerce, Government of India. Necessary preparatory work has been completed for identification of land in Nellore District.

I request the Central Government to kindly expedite the formal sanction of the project so that necessary works can be commenced.