

Title: *Introduction of the Biological Diversity Bill, 2000.

THE MINISTER OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS (SHRI T.R. BAALU):

Sir, I beg to move for leave to introduce a Bill to provide for conservation of Biological Diversity, sustainable use of its components and equitable sharing of the benefits arising out of the use of biological resources and for matters connected therewith or incidental thereto.

MR. SPEAKER: The question is:

"That leave be granted to introduce a Bill to provide for conservation of Biological Diversity, sustainable use of its components and equitable sharing of the benefits arising out of the use of biological resources and for matters connected therewith or incidental thereto."

The motion was adopted.

SHRI T.R. BAALU: I introduce the Bill.

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