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Title: Need to set up a Refinery of ONGC at Kakinada, Andhra Pradesh.

DR. BABU RAO MEDIYAM (BHADRACHALAM): Sir, it is reported that ONGC is planning to establish Oil refinery at Kakinada, the Government of Andhra Pradesh acquired about 4000 Acres of land for SEZ on the Sea Shore area.

It is also reported that ONGC is withdrawing from the proposed refinery.

People of Andhra Pradesh are eagerly awaiting for the refinery. It will help the development of coastal belt of East Godavari District. There is a seaport at Kakinada and Visakhapatnam. A steel city is about 120 Kms apart. It is an ideal place for refinery.

Hence I urge upon the Government of India to establish a Oil Refinery at Kakinada.