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Title: Need to fix support price for coconut.

SHRI N.N. KRISHNADAS : This is a matter concerning the plight of the coconut growers.

MR. SPEAKER: Those who will disturb will not get any chance to speak.

SHRI N.N. KRISHNADAS : Sir, as you and other hon. Members are well aware, coconut is a very important crop for the agro economy of Kerala especially, and Tamil Nadu and some other States. Now, there is a serious sharp fall in prices of the coconut and it is very adversely affecting the agro economy of the States concerned, particularly the coconut growers of the country.

I urge upon the Government to support the coconut growers of the country, particularly in Kerala, Tamil Nadu and in some other States. The Government should declare a support price for coconut. Now, the Government is giving support price for copra. Therefore, I urge upon the Government to save the coconut growers of the country by declaring a support price for coconut.

SHRI P.C. THOMAS (MUVATTUPUZHA): Sir, I associate with what the hon. Member has stated.

SHRI ABDULLAKUTTY (CANNANORE): Sir, I also associate with what the hon. Member has stated. ...(*Interruptions*)

SHRI J.M. AARON RASHID (PERIYAKULAM): Sir, I want toâ€¦!...(*Interruptions*)

MR. SPEAKER: I think you should read the rules and watch the proceedings. You cannot lay down your own standards.

SHRI J.M. AARON RASHID : Sir, I am from a coconut growing area in Tamil Nadu.

MR. SPEAKER: Have you given any notice? Is this the concern that you have for the people? I would have given a chance to speak, but for your interruptions.

SHRI P.C. THOMAS : Sir, the import of edible oils is also causing problems.

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