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Title: Need to revive the Bharat Heavy Plate and Vessels Limited, Visakhapatnam.

SHRI D. VITTAL RAO (MAHABUBNAGAR): I would like to invite the attention of Government of India for revival the prestigious Bharat Heavy Plate and Vessels Limited (BHPV), Visakhapatnam.

. It was taken over by Bharat Heavy Electricals Limited (BHEL) long ago. The Government of Andhra Pradesh have already extended its support by waiving off dues to the tune of Rs. 47.00 crores. These dues are outstanding to various local bodies and other Government Departments by BHPV. It is also committed to transfer the land deed in possession of the BHPV as gift title deed waiving registration and stamp duty.

I request that the proposal is cleared by the Union Minister for Finance at the earliest as per the announcement made by the Hon'ble Prime Minister during his recent visit to Visakhapatnam .

* Treated as Laid on the Table.