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Title: Need to prevent intrusion of wild animals including elephants in human habitation causing loss of lives and damage to crops in Dindigul parliamentary constituency, Tamil Nadu.

SHRI N.S.V. CHITTHAN (DINDIGUL): Wild animals especially elephants living in Western Ghats of Tamil Nadu particularly in the Oddanchatram and Palani assembly segments in Dindigul Parliamentary Constituency very often come to plains from hills in search of food and water and kill agriculturalists and cause damage to standing crops. Government should take steps to prevent those animals from coming down to plains by constructing small water tanks at appropriate places. Fencing at important points, where necessary, should be erected to ward off wild animals including elephants for protection of crops and plantations.