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Title: Introduction of the Universities for Research and Innovation Bill, 2012.

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT AND MINISTER OF COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (SHRI KAPIL SIBAL): I beg to move for leave to introduce a Bill to provide for the establishment and incorporation of Universities for Research and Innovation and for enabling them to emerge as centres for ecosystems to develop as hubs of education, research and innovation and to promote research and innovation in learning and design, development and delivery of solutions and for matters connected therewith and incidental thereto.

MR. CHAIRMAN: The question is:

"That leave be granted to introduce a Bill to provide for the establishment and incorporation of Universities for Research and Innovation and for enabling them to emerge as centres for ecosystems to develop as hubs of education, research and innovation and to promote research and innovation in learning and design, development and delivery of solutions and for matters connected therewith and incidental thereto."

*The motion was adopted.*

SHRI KAPIL SIBAL: I introduce the Bill.

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MR. CHAIRMAN : Now, we will take up 'Zero Hour'.

Shri Sushil Kumar Singh.