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Title: Need to establish a Central Research Institute of Naturopathy and Yoga at Kolli hills in Namakkal Parliamentary Constituency, Tamil Nadu.

**SHRI P.R. SUNDARAM (NAMAKKAL):** Kolli hills in my Namakkal Constituency is known for its rich heritage in the field of naturopathy and yoga and other Indian systems of medicine. Kolli hills are relatively untouched by commercial tourism. Naturopathy and Yoga is an ancient and traditional science, integrating, physical, mental and spiritual aspects of our human body. Naturopathy and Yoga is to teach people the art of healthy living and this practice not only cures the disease, but also makes our body strong and glowing. This multi disciplinary approach uses the healing power of natural resources like food, herbs, earth, water and air to allow the body of heal itself. Kolli hills, a part of Eastern Ghats, and less polluted hill station, has been the top choice for nature lovers and meditation practitioners. Kolli hills is the best environment to conduct research in Naturopathy and Yoga. Our Honourable Leader Puratchi Thalavi Amma has started life style clinics of Naturopathy and Yoga in all District Headquarters Hospitals and Government Medical College Hospitals. Through the efforts of our Honourable Prime Minister, it became possible to declare 21 June as International Yoga Day. Hence, I request the Hon'ble Minister of Ayush, to take steps for establishment of Central Research Institute of Naturopathy and Yoga at Kolli hills in my Namakkal Constituency to undertake Research, Development, and Training which will pave the way for the further development of Naturopathy and Yoga in the country.