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Title: Need to accord cabinet approval for special financial package to Andhra Pradesh.

SHRI M. MURLI MOHAN (RAJAHMUNDRY): As a substitute for the Special Category Status (SCS), the Union Government on 07 September, 2016 has announced Special Financial Package for Andhra Pradesh for fulfilling the assurances made in the Andhra Pradesh Reorganisation Act, 2014. The Special Financial package provides for 100 per cent funding of Polavaram national irrigation project, tax concessions and special assistance etc.

There is a need to accord Cabinet approval for special Financial Package and also to fulfill all assurances made in the Andhra Pradesh Reorganisation Act, 2014.