

**Regarding setting up silkworm rearing units in Anakapalli district, Andhra Pradesh-Laid**

**DR. C. M. RAMESH (ANAKAPALLE):** The Government of India, under Silk Samagra and Silk Samagra-2, has been providing support for construction of silkworm rearing houses or silkworm units to sericulture farmers in the country, including Andhra Pradesh. Many sericulture farmers in various districts of Andhra Pradesh are being supported by Government of India for silkworm rearing houses/units. I wish to submit that there are also silk weavers in my Anakapalli district. But, there are no silkworm rearing houses supported and sericulture farmers are requesting for extending support to them for construction of silkworm rearing houses/units. Hence, I appeal to the Hon?ble Minister of Textiles to consider and approve setting up of silkworm rearing units in my Anakapalli district as early as possible.