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Title: Need to enhance duty imposed on silk.

SHRI K.H. MUNIYAPPA (KOLAR): Madam Speaker, silk is one of the most important things Karnataka is producing and it is earning good foreign exchange. Duty imposed during the UPA government was more. Now as the Government is reducing the duty imposed, the sericulture farmers are facing problems. I urge upon the Government, the Finance Minister and the Textile Minister to have a relook at it in order to protect the silk farmers.

HON. SPEAKER:

Shri Rajeev Satav is permitted to associate with the issue raised by Shri K.H. Muniyappa.