

Jaipal Reddy opposes merger of Rayalaseema districts with Telangana

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NEW DELHI: Amid reports that two districts of Rayalaseema would be merged with the proposed Telangana state, senior Congress leader and Union minister Jaipal Reddy today firmly opposed the move saying it will hurt the sentiments of people. "In principle, I am not comfortable with the proposal of merging two districts of Rayalaseema namely Ananthpur and Karnool in Telangana. My opinion is, it will hurt the sentiments of people of Telangana and Seemandhra...

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NEW DELHI: Union Minister Jaipal Reddy said the Telangana statehood bill would be tabled in Parliament in the first week of February . Briefing reporters here, Reddy, who is a senior Congress leader from Telangana region, said he was confident the bill would be passed. "I am not only a cabinet minister but also a senior parliamentarian. I have my own assessment," he said. Asked about the change in portfolio of an Andhra Pradesh minister, which...