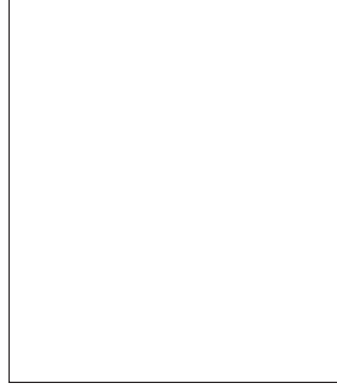


ANDHRA PRADESH LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Dr. A. Chakrapani
M.L.C.



- Office held and date of assumption of office - Chairman; 3 April 2007
- Political Party - Indian National Congress
- Date of Birth - 1 January 1943
- Marital Status - Married
- Children - Three
- Education - B.A., LL.M., Ph.D. (Law)
- Career - Political and Social Worker
- Positions held:
1976-1985, 2007
- Elected to Andhra Pradesh Legislative Council (3 terms)
 - Chief Whip, Andhra Pradesh Legislative Council
 - Chairman, Committee of Privileges; Committee on Government Assurances; Committee on Petitions; and various other House Committees
 - Member, All India Congress Committee
 - Vice-President, Andhra Pradesh Congress Committee
 - Chairman, Andhra Pradesh Congress State Manifesto Committee
 - Deputy Chairman, Andhra Pradesh Legislative Council

Conferences/Seminars
attended and visits made:

- Participated in a number of Seminars and Workshops at State and National levels

Interests/Recreations

- Reading and writing

Additional Information:

- Closely associated with cooperative movement in Andhra Pradesh; Founder of a number of primary cooperative societies in Andhra Pradesh for the welfare of weaker sections, SCs/STs and economically backward classes
- Conducted a number of programmes for promotion of adult education, eradication of illiteracy and empowerment of women
- Authored: (i) *Second Chamber of Legislature – A Must*; (ii) *Process of Amendments to the Indian Constitution*; (iii) *Legal Profession and a Sincere Lawyer*; (iv) *Sonia Gandhi – Future of India* (Also in Hindi, Tamil, Telugu and Urdu editions); and (v) *Anti-Arrack Movement in Andhra Pradesh*
- Editor, *Andhra Janata* (a Telugu daily)
- Published articles on various issues in newspapers
- Translated several works from Telugu into English and *vice versa*
- President, Law College Students' Union, Osmania University, Hyderabad
- Senate Member, Osmania University, Hyderabad
- Member, Governing Council, Rashtriya Sanskrit Vidyapeeth, Tirupati
- President, Andhra Pradesh Backward Classes Federation
- Life Member, St. John Ambulance Organisation, Andhra Pradesh
- Life Member, Red Cross Society, Andhra Pradesh

- President, *Mayura Kalamandali*, Andhra Pradesh
- Honorary President, *Damodaram Sanjiviah* Library Committee and Promoter of a number of Libraries in Andhra Pradesh