

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
FINANCE  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:829  
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ABROAD BRANCHES OF PSBS  
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**Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:**

- (a) the number of branches of Public Sector banks (PSBs) functioning abroad as on date;
- (b) the number of branches out of them incurring losses; and
- (c) the amount owed by these banks to the Government of the respective countries where branches of these banks are functioning?

**Answer**

The Minister of State in the Ministry of Finance (Shri Namo Narain Meena)

- (a) to (b): RBI has informed that as on 21st November, 2011, 147 branches of Public Sector Banks are functioning abroad. Out of these, 5 branches, one each of 5 PSBs, are incurring losses.
- (c) :The information will be collected and placed before the House.