

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
OVERSEAS INDIAN AFFAIRS  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3125  
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DECLINE IN THE REMITTANCES FROM NRIS  
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**Will the Minister of OVERSEAS INDIAN AFFAIRS be pleased to state:**

(a) whether there has been a sizeable decline in the remittances made by Non-Resident Indians (NRIs) in the country during the last three years owing to global recession; and

(b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise ?

**Answer**

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF OVERSEAS INDIAN AFFAIRS (SHRI VAYALAR RAVI)

(a) & (b): No, Sir. The remittances in the form of private transfers by Non-Resident Indians during the last three years has been increasing as per following details:-

Year	Amount (in US \$ billion)
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2006-07	30.8
2007-08	43.5
2008-09	46.4

State-wise details of remittances receipts are not maintained by Reserve Bank of India.