

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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PRIVATE INSURANCE COMPANIES
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Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of private insurance companies operating in the country as on date;
- (b) the number of private insurance companies closed down during the last three years; and
- (c) the financial results of private insurance companies during the last three years?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE .(SHRI S.S. PALANIMANICKAM)

- (a) At present, 21 private insurance companies are operating in the country;
- (b) None, Sir.
- (c) Financial results of all insurance companies are contained in the Annual Reports of the Insurance Regulatory and Development Authority which have been laid on the Table of the House.