

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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EXPENDITURE ON FOREIGN TRAVEL
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Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Ministers and the officials of their respective Ministries have visited several foreign countries during the last six months;
- (b) if so, the details thereof; and
- (c) the expenditure incurred on the foreign visits of the Ministers and the officials during this period?

Answer

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

- (a) Yes, Sir.
- (b) The information is not maintained centrally.
- (c) Information regarding allocation of funds for foreign travel and actual expenditure on foreign travel on an annual basis is available in the Detailed Demands for Grants of respective Ministries/Departments, placed annually on the Table of the House.