

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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PUBLIC SECTOR BANKS ABROAD
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Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of branches of the public sector banks presently operating in foreign countries, country-wise;
- (b) the number of them incurring losses;
- (c) the amount of money these banks have to pay to the Government of that country where they have their branch/ branches; and
- (d) the amount of money being paid to the Government annually by these foreign banks which have their branches in Indian cities ?

Answer

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

- (a): Country-wise details of number of branches of public sector banks operating abroad are at Annexure-I.
- (b): The details regarding loss making branches of public sector banks are at Annexure-II.
- (c) & (d): The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House to the extent available.