

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
CORPORATE AFFAIRS  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2487  
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VANISHING COMPANIES  
Bhoi Shri Sanjay

**Will the Minister of CORPORATE AFFAIRS be pleased to state:**

- (a) whether the Government proposes to revise the norms for determining vanishing companies;
- (b) if so, the details thereof;
- (c) the number of vanishing companies found during this year;
- (d) whether this revision help in reducing the number of such companies and also help the small investors; and
- (e) if so, the details thereof?

**Answer**

THE MINISTER OF CORPORATE AFFAIRS (SHRI SALMAN KHURSHID)

(a)&(b) No, Sir.

(c) None of the companies that came out with Initial Public Offers (IPOs) after 2001 has been identified as vanishing companies during the year.

(d)&(e) Does not arise.