

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS
RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO- 1509
ANSWERED ON- 12/02/2026

MIGRATION OF INDIAN MILLIONAIRES

1509. SHRI SANJAY SINGH

Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state :-

- (a) whether Government has any official estimates on the stock of High-Net-Worth- Individuals (HNWIs) residing abroad as on the latest date, if so, the details thereof; and
- (b) the number of millionaires leaving India during the last five years along with the destination countries, year-wise?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS
(SHRI KIRTI VARDHAN SINGH)

(a & b) No classification by expression "High Net Worth" (HNW) can be made in the absence of its definition in the Income-Tax Act, 1961. Data on Indian citizens leaving the country does not include their assets.
