

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS**

**LOK SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.3974
TO BE ANSWERED ON 17.07.2019**

COUNTRIES TOURS BY PRIME MINISTER

3974. SHRI VINCENT H. PALA:

Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) The number of countries visited by the Hon'ble Prime Minister of India during the last five years;**
- (b) The number of MoUs signed by India and other countries during the said visits by PM during the above period, year-wise; and**
- (c) The amount of money spent by the Central Government on the official tours of the PM during the last ten years, year-wise?**

ANSWER

**THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS
[V. MURALEEDHARAN]**

(a) to (c) Information on the number of countries visited by Hon'ble Prime Minister during the last ten years, MoUs signed, and amount of money spent on official tours (Chartered flights and hotline) is placed at Annexure-I.

ANNEXURE - I

Year	No. of Countries visited by Hon'ble Prime Minister	No of days spent	No. of MOUs signed during the visit of Hon'ble Prime Minister	Amount of Money spent on official tours of the Hon'ble Prime Minister during the last 10 years in Indian Rupees (Chartered flights + hotline charges)
2019(Jan - June)	5	9	27	Bill not received
2018	23	47	138	80,55,13,298 (Chartered flight bill not received for two visits and hotline bill for all visits not received)
2017	14	27	55	76, 51, 84, 000 (hotline bill for all visits not received)
2016	19	28	62	78, 39, 20, 136 (hotline bill for one visit not received)
2015	28	56	175	1,38,13,73,544
2014	10	34	41	83,65,91,372
2013	10	33	37	1,06,75,81,748
2012	6	23	14	69,62,17,068
2011	13	40	28	1,06,87,01,401
2010	11	33	22	99,45,18,513
2009 (Jun-Dec)	10	29	10	1,07,55,60,128
