

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF CORPORATE AFFAIRS**

**RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2781
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LLCs AND LLPs REGISTERED IN WEST BENGAL

QUESTION

2781. DR. KANWAR DEEP SINGH :

Will the Minister of CORPORATE AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of companies and Limited Liability Partnerships (LLPs) registered in West Bengal till date and those registered during the last three years;
- (b) whether there have been any cases of misappropriation of funds by these Limited Liability Companies (LLCs) and LLPs in West Bengal; and
- (c) if so, the details thereof?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE

(SMT. NIRMALA SITHARAMAN)

IN THE MINISTRY OF COPORATE AFFAIRS

(a): The total number of companies and Limited Liability Partnership (LLPs) registered in West Bengal till 30.06.2014 are 1, 82,417 and 1,168 respectively. The number of such companies and LLPs registered during the last three years is given in the table below.

Table: No. of Companies and LLPs registered in West Bengal, year-wise

S. No.	Year	Companies	LLPs
1.	2011-12	17698	187
2.	2012-13	12398	243
3.	2013-14	9939	461
4.	2014-15 (till 30.06.2014)	577	121

(b) & (c): On the basis of complaints received alleging misappropriation of funds collected from public by certain companies in West Bengal, the Ministry has ordered investigation u/s 235 of the Companies Act, 1956 into the affairs of 63 companies.
