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## Press Release

### REPORT ON ANALYSIS OF ASSETS DECLARATIONS OF UNION COUNCIL OF MINISTERS

The declaration of assets by the Ministers has been made according to the Code of Conduct issued by the Ministry of Home Affairs<sup>1</sup> which states that:  
*“...A person immediately after entering office as a minister, and in any case **within a period of two months** from the date of assumption of office, shall disclose to the Prime Minister, or the Chief Minister, as the case may be details of the **assets and liabilities**, and of **business interests**, of **himself and of members of his family**. The details to be disclosed shall consist of particulars of all immovable property and the total approximate value of (i) shares and debentures, (ii) cash holdings and (iii) jewellery. Such a Statement of assets and liabilities could be in respect of the financial year for which the income tax return has already been filed by the Minister...”*

*“...After taking office, and so long as he remains in office, the Minister shall:-*

- a) Furnish annually by 31<sup>st</sup> August to the Prime Minister or the Chief Minister, as the case may be, a declaration regarding the details of assets and liabilities of himself and of members of his family for the previous financial year”.*

#### Note:

- For comparison of assets of Union Council of Ministers from Lok Sabha, we have considered their election affidavits from 2014 Lok Sabha Elections and compared it with their asset declarations on the PMO's website as on 10<sup>th</sup> October, 2014
- For comparison of assets of Union Council of Ministers from Rajya Sabha, who did not contest the Lok Sabha 2014 elections, we have considered their most recent Rajya Sabha Election affidavit, hence the date and year of the affidavit might vary.

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<sup>1</sup> [http://mha.nic.in/sites/upload\\_files/mha/files/CodeOfConduct-280513.pdf](http://mha.nic.in/sites/upload_files/mha/files/CodeOfConduct-280513.pdf)

Prime Minister's Office (PMO) disclosed the financial assets and liabilities of Ministers on its website, <http://pmindia.gov.in/en/right-to-information-rti/assets-liabilities-of-the-union-council-of-ministers/>. Association Democratic Reforms (ADR) and National Election Watch (NEW) have analyzed the declarations all 45 Union Council of Ministers, including the Prime Minister and compared it with the assets declared by them in their last election affidavit/asset declaration.

### **RECOMMENDATIONS FROM NEW & ADR**

1. There is no standard format for disclosure of assets under the Code of Conduct issued by the MHA. This has led to a discrepancy in the quality of disclosures by different Ministers. **It is recommended that all asset declarations be made in a standard format** similar to the affidavits submitted to the Election Commission of India during filing of nomination papers by candidates.
2. It was observed that even though the Code of Conduct states clearly that the asset disclosures should also be accompanied by the business interests, **none of the Ministers have declared any financial/pecuniary interest in their declarations. The format for declarations should make it mandatory for the Ministers to also disclose their business interests along with the asset details.**
3. The **Code of Conduct should also make it mandatory for the Ministers to disclose their IT returns in public interest.** This will further the spirit of transparency and accountability in the disclosures by the Ministers.

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## SUMMARY AND HIGHLIGHTS

The declarations of 45 ministers were analysed out of which 37 ministers had contested the Lok Sabha elections in 2014 and 8 Rajya Sabha ministers who had not contested the Lok Sabha elections in 2014.

- **41 (91%) of the Ministers are crorepatis** based on their declarations to the Prime Minister's Office (PMO).
- The average assets of Ministers according to their declarations on the PMO website is Rs. 14.32 crores.
- The **highest assets** have been declared by **Shri Arun Jaitley (Rs. 114.03 crore)** of BJP followed by **Smt. Harsimrat Kaur Badal of SAD (Rs. 108.31 crores)** and **Shri Piyush Goyal of BJP (Rs. 94.66 crores)**.
- The **lowest assets** have been declared by **Shri Sudarshan Bhagat of BJP (Rs. 59.13 lakhs)** followed by **Shri Mansukhbhai Dhanjibhai Vasava of the BJP (Rs. 65.71 lakhs)** and **Shri Ramvilas Paswan of LJP (Rs. 95.71 lakhs)**.

### Comparison of Assets for Ministers who contested the Lok Sabha Elections in 2014

- **Among the Ministers who contested Lok Sabha 2014 elections**, the highest increase in assets in 5 months has been shown by **Shri D.V. Sadananda Gowda** of the BJP (Cabinet Minister for Railways). His assets have shown an increase of **Rs. 10.46 crores** (from Rs. 9.88 crores as declared in Lok Sabha 2014 elections to Rs. 20.35 crores in the 2014 declarations of the Union Council of Ministers to the PMO). He is followed by **Shri Radhakrishnan P** of the BJP (Minister of State, Independent Charge, Heavy Industries and Public Enterprises) who has shown an increase of **Rs. 2.98 crores** (from Rs. 4.09 crores in Lok Sabha 2014 to Rs. 7.07 crores in the disclosure to the PMO) and **Shri Arun Jaitley** of the BJP (Cabinet Minister for Finance, Corporate Affairs and Defence) who showed an increase of **Rs. 1.01 crores** (from Rs. 113.02 crores in Lok Sabha 2014 to Rs. 114.03 crores in the 2014 disclosure to the PMO).

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- **16 Ministers have shown a decrease in assets.** The highest decrease has been shown by **Smt. Sushma Swaraj** of BJP (Cabinet Minister, External Affairs and Overseas Indian Affairs) who showed a decrease of **Rs. 3.89 crores** (from Rs. 17.55 crores declared in the 2014 Lok Sabha elections to Rs. 13.65 crores declared in the 2014 disclosure to the PMO). She is followed by **Gen. V.K. Singh (Retd.)** of BJP (Minister of State, Development of North Eastern Region (Independent Charge), External Affairs and Overseas Indian Affairs) who declared a decrease of **Rs. 3.13 crores** (from 4.11 crores declared in the 2014 Lok Sabha elections to Rs. 98.27 lakhs declared in the 2014 disclosure to the PMO) followed by **Dr. Harsh Vardhan** of BJP (Cabinet Minister, Health and Family Welfare) who declared a decrease of **Rs. 1.28 crores** (from 2.82 crores declared in the 2014 Lok Sabha elections to Rs. 1.54 crores declared in the 2014 disclosure to the PMO).

ADR and NEW analyzed in depth, the declarations of Ministers who contested the Lok Sabha elections in 2014 with an increase or decrease in assets of more than Rs. 50 lakhs.

Upon analysis it was found that the cause of changes in assets for many Ministers is largely due to the lack of any standardized format for ministers' asset declarations. Many Ministers (as may be evidenced from the table given below) have not given the value for many assets declared. Not declaring the value of assets in the Ministers' declaration is akin to not making a disclosure at all. Apart from that, some Ministers have not given the present market value of the immovable assets they have declared on the PMO website. The purpose of the Ministers' declaration is to encourage financial transparency. That purpose is belied when the declarations are not made in the spirit of the instructions issued by the MHA. It is strongly recommended that the asset declarations should be made in a standard format, preferably in the format of the election affidavit.

The following table outlines the cause of apparent decrease or increase in assets of 8 Ministers who have shown an increase or decrease in assets of more than Rs. 50 lakhs.

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Minister	Party	Portfolio	Assets as declared to PMO by ministers (In Rs.)	Assets in the Lok Sabha 2014 Election Affidavit (In Rs.)	Change in Assets Declared (In Rs.)	Major Causes of Change
Shri D.V. Sadananda Gowda	BJP	Cabinet Minister - Railways	20,35,65,477 20 Crore+	9,88,88,874 9 Crore+	10,46,76,603 10 Crore+	<b>Assets Acquired</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Commercial Building acquired worth Rs. 13,49,000 (Puttur Kasaba Sy No 215/1C Total Area 1 Acre)</li> <li>Residential Building worth 11,65,23,000 (Bangalore Chkkamarananahalli Ward No.4/ Mathikere bearing P-I-D No. 4-78-15)</li> </ol>
Shri Radhakrishnan P	BJP	Minister Of State (Independent Charge) - Heavy Industries And Public Enterprises	7,07,68,564 7 Crore+	4,09,63,269 4 Crore+	2,98,05,295 2 Crore+	<b>Cause of asset increase is difficult to ascertain as the minister has not declared the values of assets in comprehensible format</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Separate values for each property is not given. Instead <b>combined values of properties are given</b> which account for the increase in assets</li> <li>Value not given for many properties which are jointly owned</li> </ol>
Shri Arun Jaitley	BJP	Cabinet Minister - Finance Corporate Affairs Defence	1,14,03,40,370 114 Crore+	1,13,02,16,000 113 Crore+	1,01,24,370 1 Crore+	<b>Assets Acquired</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Residential Building worth Rs. 10240000 acquired (Property No. 343,Tungbala Urban Green Avenue Amritsar, Punjab 3060 square feet 3060 square feet Purchased on 11.04.14 Jointly owned with Spouse)</li> </ol>
Shri Upendra Kushwaha	Rashtriya Lok Samta Party	Minister Of State (Independent Charge) - Rural Development Panchayati Raj Drinking Water And Sanitation	3,20,51,949 3 Crore+	2,48,29,741 2 Crore+	72,22,208 72 Lacs+	<b>Assets Acquired</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Commercial and Residential assets acquired worth Rs. 62,00,000 (Jawaj 6000 sq.ft., Jandaha 3000 sq.ft.)</li> </ol>

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Shri Shripad Yesso Naik	BJP	Minister Of State - Culture (Independent Charge) Tourism (Independent Charge)	2,95,54,643 2 Crore+	3,70,19,154 3 Crore+	-74,64,511 -74 Lakhs	<b>Values not Given</b> 1. Values not given for most movable asset values such as Bank deposits, Shares, Investments, motor vehicles, jewellery etc.
Dr. Harsh Vardhan	BJP	Cabinet Minister - Health And Family Welfare	1,56,31,523 1 Crore+	2,82,29,308 2 Crore+	-1,25,97,785 -1 Crore	<b>Values not given</b> 1. Value not given for Residential Building (1/2 share in E-8A/14 Krishna Nagar, Delhi 110051 Total area 2100 sq. ft.) 2. Value for Bank Deposits not declared <b>Market Value not given</b> 1. Purchase cost given for Residential Building (Flat No.- 122, 2nd Floor, Delhi Apartment CGHS Ltd. Plot No.- 15C, Sector-22, Dwarka, New Delhi- 78, Total area: 1484.6 sq. ft.)
Gen. V.K. Singh (Retd.)	BJP	Minister Of State - Development Of North Eastern Region (Independent Charge) External Affairs Overseas Indian Affairs	98,27,044 98 Lacs+	4,11,37,044 4 Crore+	-3,13,10,000 -3 Crore	<b>Value not given</b> 1. Values not given for any immovable assets mentioned in the declaration
Smt. Sushma Swaraj	BJP	Cabinet Minister - External Affairs Overseas Indian Affairs	13,65,42,170 13 Crore+	17,55,16,422 17 Crore+	-3,89,74,252 -3 Crore	<b>Market Value not given</b> 1. Purchase Value instead of Market value given for residential buildings <b>Value not given</b> 1. Value not given for agricultural land

Table: Change in assets of ministers with an increase or decrease in assets of more than Rs. 50 lakhs

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An analysis revealed that among the rest of the ministers, the following have not given the value for some of the assets declared:

**VALUE NOT GIVEN FOR MOVABLE ASSETS DECLARED TO THE PMO**

S.No.	Name	Party Name	Cash	Deposits in banks etc.	Bonds, shares	NSS, Postal Savings etc.	LIC	Loans	Vehicle	Jewellery	other assets like claims/interest etc.
1	Dr. Jitendra Singh	BJP	Given	Value Not Given	NA	Given	Given	NA	Value Not Given	Given	Given
2	Gen. V.K. Singh (Retd.)	BJP	Given	Given	NA	Given	NA	NA	Value Not Given	Given	Given
3	Shri Ananth Kumar	BJP	Given	Value Not Given	Given	NA	Given	NA	Given	Given	Value Not Given
4	Shri Ashok Gajapati Raju Pusapati	TDP	NA	Given	Value Not Given	NA	NA	NA	Given	Given	Value Not Given
5	Shri G.M. Siddeshwara	BJP	Given	Value Not Given	Given	NA	Given	Given	Given	Given	NA
6	Shri Shripad Yesso Naik	BJP	NA	NA	Value Not Given	NA	Given	NA	Value Not Given	Value Not Given	Given
7	Shri Sudarshan Bhagat	BJP	NA	Given	Given	Given	NA	NA	Value Not Given	NA	NA
8	Smt. Harsimrat Kaur Badal	SAD	Given	Value Not Given	Given	NA	NA	Given	Given	Given	Given

Table: Value Not Given for Movable Assets

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### VALUE NOT GIVEN FOR IMMOVABLE ASSETS

S.No.	Name	Party name	Agricultural Land	Non Agricultural Land	Commercial Buildings	Residential Buildings	Others
1	Dr. Harsh Vardhan	BJP	Value Not Given	NA	NA	Given	NA
2	Dr. Jitendra Singh	BJP	Value Not Given	NA	Value Not Given	Given	NA
3	General V.K. Singh	BJP	Value Not Given	Value Not Given	Value Not Given	Value Not Given	NA
4	Shri D.V. Sadananda Gowda	BJP	Value Not Given	Given	NA	Given	NA
5	Shri M. Venkaiah Naidu	BJP	Given	NA	Given	Value Not Given	NA
6	Shri Manoj Sinha	BJP	Value Not Given	NA	Given	Given	NA
7	Shri Prakash Javadekar	BJP	Value Not Given	Given	NA	Given	NA
8	Shri Ramvilas Paswan	LJP	Given	Given	NA	NA	Value Not Given
9	Shri Santosh Kumar Gangwar	BJP	Value Not Given	Given	Given	Given	NA
10	Shri Vishnu Deo Sai	BJP	Value Not Given	NA	NA	Given	NA
11	Smt. Sushma Swaraj	BJP	Value Not Given	NA	NA	Given	NA

Table: Value Not Given for Immovable Assets

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## **Comparison of Assets for Rajya Sabha Ministers who had not contested the Lok Sabha Elections in 2014**

- **Rajya Sabha Ministers elected in 2010:** **Shri Piyush Goyal** (Minister of State, Independent Charge for Power, Coal and New and Renewable Energy) has shown an **increase in assets of Rs. 64.31 crores (212%)** in 4 years from Rs. 30.34 crores as declared in his Rajya Sabha affidavit in 2010 to Rs. 94.66 crores as declared in his declarations on the PMO website. **M. Venkaiah Naidu** (Cabinet Minister for Urban Development Housing and Urban Poverty Alleviation and Parliamentary Affairs) has shown an **increase in total assets of Rs.2.18 crores (28%)** in 4 years from Rs. 7.72 crores as declared in his Rajya Sabha affidavit in 2010 to Rs. 9.91 crores in his declarations on the PMO website.
- **Rajya Sabha Ministers elected in 2012:** **Shri Ravi Shankar Prasad** (Cabinet Minister for Communications and Information Technology and Law and Justice) has shown an **increase in total assets of Rs.4.85 crores (37%)** in 2 years from Rs. 13.26 crores as declared in his Rajya Sabha affidavit in 2012 to Rs. 18.11 crores in his declarations on the PMO website. **Dr. Najma A. Heptulla** (Cabinet Minister for Minority Affairs) has shown an **increase in assets of Rs. 2.81 crores (10%)** in 2 years from Rs. 26.88 crores as declared in her Rajya Sabha affidavit in 2012 to Rs. 29.69 crores as declared in her declarations on the PMO website. **Shri Thaawar Chand Gehlot** (Cabinet Minister for Social Justice and Empowerment) has shown an **increase in total assets of Rs.2.78 crores (323%)** in 2 years from Rs. 86.12 lakhs as declared in his Rajya Sabha affidavit in 2012 to Rs. 3.64 crores in his declarations on the PMO website. **Shri Dharmendra Pradhan** (Minister of State, Independent Charge for Petroleum and Natural Gas) has shown an **increase in total assets of Rs.93.88 lakhs (61%)** in 2 years from Rs. 1.54 crores as declared in his Rajya Sabha affidavit in 2012 to Rs. 2.48 crores in his declarations on the PMO website.
- **Rajya Sabha Ministers elected in 2014:** **Smt. Nirmala Sitharaman** (Minister of State, Independent Charge for Commerce and Industry, Finance and Corporate Affairs) has not shown any change in total assets. Her declared assets in the PMO website and her Rajya Sabha affidavit is Rs. 2.61 crores. **Shri Prakash Javadekar** (Minister of State, Independent Charge for Information and Broadcasting, Environment, Forest and Climate Change and Parliamentary Affairs) has shown an **decrease in assets of Rs. 32 lakhs (-10%)** in 4 months from Rs. 3.39 crores as declared in his Rajya Sabha affidavit in 2012 to Rs. 3.07 crores as declared in his declarations on the PMO website.

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## ASSET INCREASE/DECREASE DETAILS OF MINISTERS

### MINISTERS WHO HAD CONTESTED THE LOK SABHA ELECTIONS IN 2014

S.No.	Name	Party	Minister	Portfolio	Assets as declared to the PMO (In Rs.)	Assets in Loksabha 2014 election affidavit (In Rs.)	Asset Increase/ Decrease (In Rs.)	% Increase/ Decrease in Asset
1.	Shri D.V. Sadananda Gowda	BJP	Cabinet Minister	Railways	20,35,65,477 20 Crore+	9,88,88,874 9 Crore+	10,46,76,603 10 Crore+	106%
2.	Shri Radhakrishnan P	BJP	Minister Of State (Independent Charge)	Heavy Industries And Public Enterprises	7,07,68,564 7 Crore+	4,09,63,269 4 Crore+	2,98,05,295 2 Crore+	73%
3.	Shri Arun Jaitley	BJP	Cabinet Minister	Finance Corporate Affairs Defence	1,14,03,40,370 114 Crore+	1,13,02,16,000 113 Crore+	1,01,24,370 1 Crore+	1%
4.	Shri Upendra Kushwaha	Rashtriya Lok Samta Party	Minister Of State (Independent Charge)	Rural Development Panchayati Raj Drinking Water And Sanitation	3,20,51,949 3 Crore+	2,48,29,741 2 Crore+	72,22,208 72 Lacs+	29%
5.	Shri Manoj Sinha	BJP	Minister Of State (Independent Charge)	Railways	2,76,35,649 2 Crore+	2,33,76,901 2 Crore+	42,58,748 42 Lacs+	18%
6.	Shri Jual Oram	BJP	Cabinet Minister	Tribal Affairs	2,75,10,440 2 Crore+	2,42,02,170 2 Crore+	33,08,270 33 Lacs+	14%
7.	Smt. Maneka Sanjay Gandhi	BJP	Cabinet Minister	Women And Child Development	37,67,58,218 37 Crore+	37,41,32,826 37 Crore+	26,25,392 26 Lacs+	1%
8.	Shri Kalraj Mishra	BJP	Cabinet Minister	Micro, Small And Medium Enterprises	5,69,02,092 5 Crore+	5,50,48,193 5 Crore+	18,53,899 18 Lacs+	3%
9.	Shri Inderjit Singh Rao	BJP	Minister Of State	Planning (Independent Charge) Statistics And Programme Implementation (Independent Charge) Defence	25,22,26,419 25 Crore+	25,06,98,763 25 Crore+	15,27,656 15 Lacs+	1%
10.	Smt. Harsimrat Kaur Badal	SAD	Cabinet Minister	Food Processing Industries	1,08,31,28,490 108 Crore+	1,08,16,64,910 108 Crore+	14,63,580 14 Lacs+	0%
11.	Sushri Uma Bharti	BJP	Cabinet Minister	Water Resources, River Development And Ganga Rejuvenation	1,52,98,118 1 Crore+	1,43,76,218 1 Crore+	9,21,900 9 Lacs+	6%

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S.No.	Name	Party	Minister	Portfolio	Assets as declared to the PMO (In Rs.)	Assets in Lok Sabha 2014 election affidavit (In Rs.)	Asset Increase/ Decrease (In Rs.)	% Increase/ Decrease in Asset
12.	Shri Raosaheb Dadarao Danve	BJP	Minister Of State (Independent Charge)	Consumer Affairs, Food And Public Distribution	18,52,21,860 18 Crore+	18,44,11,862 18 Crore+	8,09,998 8 Lacs+	0%
13.	Shri Nihalchand	BJP	Minister Of State (Independent Charge)	Chemicals And Fertilizers	1,15,93,000 1 Crore+	1,08,61,172 1 Crore+	7,31,828 7 Lacs+	7%
14.	Shri Raj Nath Singh	BJP	Cabinet Minister	Home Affairs	2,97,30,131 2 Crore+	2,92,40,729 2 Crore+	4,89,402 4 Lacs+	2%
15.	Shri Ananth Kumar	BJP	Cabinet Minister	Chemicals And Fertilizers	4,56,72,810 4 Crore+	4,52,24,706 4 Crore+	4,48,104 4 Lacs+	1%
16.	Shri Radha Mohan Singh	BJP	Cabinet Minister	Agriculture	2,30,03,408 2 Crore+	2,25,58,073 2 Crore+	4,45,335 4 Lacs+	2%
17.	Dr. Sanjeev Kumar Balyan	BJP	Minister Of State (Independent Charge)	Agriculture Food Processing Industries	1,11,65,838 1 Crore+	1,07,94,222 1 Crore+	3,71,616 3 Lacs+	3%
18.	Shri Sarbananda Sonowal	BJP	Minister Of State	Skill Development, Entrepreneurship, Youth Affairs And Sports (Independent Charge)	1,46,86,254 1 Crore+	1,44,97,515 1 Crore+	1,88,739 1 Lacs+	1%
19.	Shri Ashok Gajapati Raju Pusapati	TDP	Cabinet Minister	Civil Aviation	3,91,52,554 3 Crore+	3,90,54,905 3 Crore+	97,649 97 Thou+	0%
20.	Shri Kiren Rijiju	BJP	Minister Of State (Independent Charge)	Home Affairs	1,25,39,868 1 Crore+	1,25,39,868 1 Crore+	0	0%
21.	Shri Mansukhbhai Dhanjibhai Vasava	BJP	Minister Of State (Independent Charge)	Tribal Affairs	65,71,062 65 Lacs+	65,71,062 65 Lacs+	0	0%
22.	Smt. Smriti Zubin Irani	BJP	Cabinet Minister	Human Resource Development	9,32,03,768 9 Crore+	9,32,03,768 9 Crore+	0	0%
23.	Shri Nitin Jairam Gadkari	BJP	Cabinet Minister	Road Transport And Highways Shipping Rural Development Panchayati Raj Drinking Water And Sanitation	15,36,85,415 15 Crore+	15,37,04,475 15 Crore+	-19,060	0%

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24.	Shri Ramvilas Paswan	LJP	Cabinet Minister	Consumer Affairs, Food And Public Distribution	95,71,965 95 Lacs+	96,42,023 96 Lacs+	-70,058	-1%
25.	Shri G.M. Siddeshwara	BJP	Minister Of State (Independent Charge)	Civil Aviation	23,20,28,571 23 Crore+	23,23,75,703 23 Crore+	-3,47,132	0%
26.	Shri Krishan Pal	BJP	Minister Of State (Independent Charge)	Road Transport And Highways Shipping	29,58,80,179 29 Crore+	29,64,40,144 29 Crore+	-5,59,965	0%
27.	Shri Vishnu Deo Sai	BJP	Minister Of State (Independent Charge)	Mines Steel Labour And Employment	2,07,82,872 2 Crore+	2,15,76,220 2 Crore+	-7,93,348	-4%
28.	Shri Narendra Singh Tomar	BJP	Cabinet Minister	Mines Steel Labour And Employment	1,01,48,712 1 Crore+	1,14,12,622 1 Crore+	-12,63,910	-11%
29.	Shri Santosh Kumar Gangwar	BJP	Minister Of State	Textiles (Independent Charge) Parliamentary Affairs Water Resources, River Development And Ganga Rejuvenation	3,73,11,747 3 Crore+	3,86,02,862 3 Crore+	-12,91,115	-3%
30.	Shri Sudarshan Bhagat	BJP	Minister Of State (Independent Charge)	Social Justice And Empowerment	59,13,306 59 Lacs+	90,31,009 90 Lacs+	-31,17,703	-35%
31.	Shri Anant Geete	SHS	Cabinet Minister	Heavy Industries And Public Enterprises	4,05,78,463 4 Crore+	4,44,66,487 4 Crore+	-38,88,024	-9%
32.	Shri Narendra Modi	BJP	Prime Minister	Prime Minister	1,26,12,288 1 Crore+	1,65,91,582 1 Crore+	-39,79,294	-24%
33.	Dr. Jitendra Singh	BJP	Minister Of State	Science And Technology (Independent Charge) Earth Sciences (Independent Charge) Prime Minister Office Personnel, Public Grievances & Pensions Department Of Atomic Energy Department Of Space	3,41,57,652 3 Crore+	3,84,64,932 3 Crore+	-43,07,280	-11%
34.	Shri Shripad Yesso Naik	BJP	Minister Of State	Culture (Independent Charge) Tourism (Independent Charge)	2,95,54,643 2 Crore+	3,70,19,154 3 Crore+	-74,64,511	-20%

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35.	Dr. Harsh Vardhan	BJP	Cabinet Minister	Health And Family Welfare	1,54,22,723 1 Crore+	2,82,29,308 2 Crore+	-1,28,06,585	-45%
36.	Gen. V.K. Singh (Retd.)	BJP	Minister Of State	Development Of North Eastern Region (Independent Charge) External Affairs Overseas Indian Affairs	98,27,044 98 Lacs+	4,11,37,044 4 Crore+	-3,13,10,000	-76%
37.	Smt. Sushma Swaraj	BJP	Cabinet Minister	External Affairs Overseas Indian Affairs	13,65,42,170 13 Crore+	17,55,16,422 17 Crore+	-3,89,74,252	-22%

Table: Ministers who had contested the Lok Sabha Elections In 2014

### **RAJYA SABHA MINISTERS WHO HAD NOT CONTESTED THE LOK SABHA ELECTIONS IN 2014**

S.No.	Name	Party	Minister	Portfolio	Assets in Union Council of Ministers 2014 (In Rs.)	Assets in most recent Rajya Sabha election affidavit (in Rs.)	Asset Increase/Decrease (In Rs.)	% Increase/decrease in Asset
1.	Shri Piyush Goyal	BJP	Minister Of State	Power (Independent Charge) Coal (Independent Charge) New And Renewable Energy (Independent Charge)	94,66,56,265 94 Crore+	30,34,65,410 30 Crore+	64,31,90,855 64 Crore+	212%
2.	Shri Ravi Shankar Prasad	BJP	Cabinet Minister	Communications And Information Technology Law And Justice	18,11,41,397 18 Crore+	13,26,36,425 13 Crore+	4,85,04,972 4 Crore+	37%
3.	Dr. Najma A. Heptulla	BJP	Cabinet Minister	Minority Affairs	29,69,51,669 29 Crore+	26,88,33,459 26 Crore+	2,81,18,210 2 Crore+	10%
4.	Shri Thaawar Chand Gehlot	BJP	Cabinet Minister	Social Justice And Empowerment	3,64,69,669 3 Crore+	86,12,983 86 Lacs+	2,78,56,686 2 Crore+	323%
5.	Shri M. Venkaiah Naidu	BJP	Cabinet Minister	Urban Development Housing And Urban Poverty Alleviation Parliamentary Affairs	9,91,39,777 9 Crore+	7,72,60,836 7 Crore+	2,18,78,941 2 Crore+	28%

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6.	Shri Dharmendra Pradhan	BJP	Minister Of State	Petroleum And Natural Gas (Independent Charge)	2,48,35,000 2 Crore+	1,54,46,075 1 Crore+	93,88,925 93 Lacs+	61%
7.	Smt. Nirmala Sitharaman	BJP	Minister Of State	Commerce And Industry (Independent Charge) Finance Corporate Affairs	2,63,77,861 2 Crore+	2,63,77,861 2 Crore+	0	0%
8.	Shri Prakash Javadekar	BJP	Minister Of State	Information And Broadcasting (Independent Charge) Environment, Forest And Climate Change (Independent Charge) Parliamentary Affairs	3,07,03,474 3 Crore+	3,39,81,330 3 Crore+	-32,77,856	-10%

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