

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF ELECTRONICS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
RAJYA SABHA
UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 2085
TO BE ANSWERED ON: 11.07.2019

POINT OF SALE TRANSACTIONS

2085 : PROF. M. V. RAJEEV GOWDA:

Will the Minister of ELECTRONICS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state the target and achievement of Point of Sale (PoS) transactions for each year, since 2014, year-wise?

ANSWER

MINISTER FOR ELECTRONICS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
(SHRI RAVI SHANKAR PRASAD)

Yes, Sir. As per Allocation of Business Rules, 1961 work related to 'Promotion of Digital Transactions including Digital Payments' has been allocated to MeitY on 13th Feb, 2017. Since then no year wise target was assigned for Point of Sale (PoS) transactions. As per the data available on POS transactions from the Reserve Bank of India (RBI) portal, the transaction numbers are as follow:

Financial Year	Number of PoS Transactions (Crore)
2014-15	142.321
2015-16	255.928
2016-17	348.643
2017-18	474.855
2018-19	617.687
2019-20 (Till May'19)	115.523
