

## New Registrations of International Companies in the Financial Services Sector

Entity	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008
International Business Companies	210	296	274	297	372	391	506	481
Exempt Insurance Companies	7	11	15	13	9	8	9	10
Exempt Insurance Management Companies	1	3	1	1	3	1	1	3
Societies with Restricted Liability	22	40	31	64	42	133	151	83
Offshore Banks	5	3	2	4	0	4	5	1
<b>Total Entities</b>	<b>245</b>	<b>353</b>	<b>323</b>	<b>379</b>	<b>426</b>	<b>537</b>	<b>672</b>	<b>578</b>

*Sources: Central Bank of Barbados, Office of the Supervisor of Insurance, Ministry of International Business*