## 6. Foreign Exchange Rates - Spot and Forward Premia

| Foreign <br> Currency |  | 1999 |  | 2000 |  |  |  | 1999 |  | 2000 |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Mar. 26 | Mar. 20+ | Mar. 21 | Mar. 22 | Mar. 23 | Mar. 24 | Mar. 26 | Mar. 20+ | Mar. 21 | Mar. 22 | Mar. 23 | Mar. 24 |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 |
| RBI's Reference Rate (Rs. per U.S. Dollar) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Foreign Currency per Rs. 100@ (Based on Middle Rates) |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 42.4000 |  | 43.5700 | 43.5800 | 43.6000 | 43.6000 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| FEDAI Indicative Rates (Rs. per Foreign Currency) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| U.S. | \{ Buying | 42.3950 |  | 43.5650 | 43.5700 | 43.5950 | 43.5950 | 2.3585 |  | 2.2952 | 2.2946 | 2.2936 | 2.2936 |
| Dollar | Selling | 42.4050 |  | 43.5750 | 43.5800 | 43.6000 | 43.6050 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Pound | \{ Buying | 68.8925 |  | 68.3175 | 68.4175 | 68.8050 | 69.1950 | 1.4502 |  | 1.4631 | 1.4611 | 1.4537 | 1.4447 |
| Sterling | Selling | 68.9500 |  | 68.3475 | 68.4475 | 68.8275 | 69.2400 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Euro | \{ Buying | 45.9950 |  | 42.3500 | 41.8750 | 41.9425 | 42.4225 | 2.1722 |  | 2.3604 | 2.3876 | 2.3845 | 2.3564 |
|  | Selling | 46.0225 |  | 42.3800 | 41.9075 | 41.9600 | 42.4550 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 100 Yen | \{ Buying | 35.6525 |  | 40.9300 | 40.8450 | 40.6000 | 40.5750 | 280.07 |  | 244.42 | 244.76 | 246.28 | 246.33 |
|  | Selling | 35.6925 |  | 40.9475 | 40.8625 | 40.6425 | 40.6150 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Inter-Bank Forward Premia of U.S. Dollar (per cent per annum) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1-month |  | 7.36 |  | 4.68 | 4.68 | 4.40 | 4.13 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 3-month |  | 7.08 |  | 3.95 | 4.04 | 3.94 | 3.85 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 6-month |  | 7.08 |  | 3.44 | 3.53 | 3.53 | 3.44 |  |  |  |  |  |  |

@ : These rates are based on RBI Reference rate for US dollar and middle rates of cross-currency quotes. These rates are announced by RBI with effect from January 29, 1998

+ : Market closed.
Note : The unified exchange rate system came into force on March 1, 1993.

