

8. Reserve Money : Components and Sources

(Rs. crore)

| <i>Item</i> | Outstanding as on | | | | Variation over | | | | | | |
|---|----------------------|----------|----------------|-------|-----------------------|-------|-----------|-------|---------|-------|----|
| | 2000 | | Week Amount | % | Financial year so far | | | | Year | | |
| | Mar. 31# | Apr. 7# | | | 1999-2000 | % | 2000-2001 | % | Amount | % | |
| | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 |
| Reserve Money | 2,80,243 | 2,55,656 | -24,587 | -8.8 | -8,072 | -3.1 | -24,587 | -8.8 | 4,383 | 1.7 | |
| Components (i+ii+iii) | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (i) Currency in circulation | 1,96,678 | 2,01,555 | 4,877 | 2.5 | 5,653 | 3.2 | 4,877 | 2.5 | 20,055 | 11.0 | |
| (ii) Bankers' deposits with RBI | 80,460 | 49,807 | -30,653 | -38.1 | -13,865 | -17.4 | -30,653 | -38.1 | -16,031 | -24.3 | |
| (iii) "Other" deposits with RBI | 3,105 | 4,294 | 1,189 | | 139 | | 1,189 | | 359 | | |
| Sources (i+ii+iii+iv+v) | | | | | | | | | | | |
| (i) Net RBI credit to Government | 1,49,029 | 1,42,349 | -6,680 | -4.5 | 974 | 0.6 | -6,680 | -4.5 | -11,164 | -7.3 | |
| of which : to Centre | 1,41,552 | 1,35,936 | -5,616 | | 2,847 | | -5,616 | | -12,328 | | |
| (ii) RBI credit to banks & comm. sector | 32,055 | 16,276 | -15,779 | -49.2 | -9,626 | -37.8 | -15,779 | -49.2 | 415 | 2.6 | |
| o/w : to banks (includes NABARD) | 16,785 | 7,986 | -8,799 | | -5,857 | | -8,799 | | 582 | | |
| (iii) Net foreign exchange assets of RBI | 1,65,880 | 1,66,492 | 612 | 0.4 | 1,259 | 0.9 | 612 | 0.4 | 27,279 | 19.6 | |
| (iv) Govt.'s currency liabilities to the public | 4,194 | 4,194 | — | | — | | — | | 348 | | |
| (v) Net non-monetary liabilities of RBI | 70,916 | 73,656 | 2,740 | | 679 | | 2,740 | | 12,495 | | |

Government Balances as on March 31, 2000 are before closure of accounts.