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

| Foreign <br> Currency | $\begin{array}{r} 1999 \\ \hline \text { May } 21 \end{array}$ |  | 2000 |  |  |  |  | 1999 | 2000 |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | May 15 | May 16 | May 17 | May 18+ | May 19 | May 21 | May 15 | May 16 | May 17 | May 18+ | May 19 |
| 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 @ |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 42.7500 | 44.0300 | 43.9700 | 43.9700 |  | 43.9800 |  |  | ased on M | ddle Rat |  |  |
| FEDAI Indicative Rates (Rs. per Foreign Currency) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| U.S. | \{ Buying | 42.7500 | 43.9850 | 43.9700 | 43.9600 |  | 43.9700 | 2.3392 | 2.2712 | 2.2743 | 2.2743 |  | 2.2738 |
| Dollar | Selling | 42.7600 | 43.9950 | 43.9800 | 43.9700 |  | 43.9750 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Pound | \{ Buying | 68.7075 | 66.7525 | 66.0175 | 65.7125 |  | 64.9625 | 1.4553 | 1.4968 | 1.5181 | 1.5207 |  | 1.5392 |
| Sterling | Selling | 68.7675 | 66.7975 | 66.0525 | 65.7700 |  | 65.0050 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Euro | \{ Buying | 45.3150 | 40.3550 | 39.9325 | 39.6425 |  | 39.3000 | 2.2062 | 2.4763 | 2.5039 | 2.5235 |  | 2.5441 |
|  | Selling | 45.3550 | 40.3875 | 39.9650 | 39.6750 |  | 39.3175 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 100 Yen | \{ Buying | 34.5075 | 40.4600 | 40.3400 | 40.2750 |  | 40.6200 | 289.79 | 246.92 | 247.98 | 248.09 |  | 246.16 |
|  | Selling | 34.5275 | 40.4875 | 40.3600 | 40.3025 |  | 40.6600 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Inter-Bank Forward Premia of U.S. Dollar (per cent per annum) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1-month |  | 4.21 | 2.18 | 2.18 | 2.18 |  | 2.18 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 3-month |  | 4.68 | 2.27 | 2.18 | 2.00 |  | 2.00 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 6-month |  | 5.10 | 2.45 | 2.37 | 2.23 |  | 2.27 |  |  |  |  |  |  |

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

