5. Accommodation Provided by Scheduled Commercial Banks to Commercial Sector in the form of Bank Credit and Investments in Shares/Debentures/Bonds/Commercial Paper etc.

(Rs. crore) 2000 - 2001 2001 - 2002 **Outstanding** Variations Outstanding Variations as on (3) - (2)as on (6) - (5)2001 2000 Mar. 23 Aug. 10 Mar. 24 Item **Aug. 11** 7 4 1. Bank Credit 15,269 4,35,958 5,11,434 5,26,703 4,57,784 21,826 (3.0)(5.0)A. Food Credit 39,991 51,184 11,193 25,691 31,698 6,006 B. Non-Food Credit 4,71,443 4,75,519 4,076 4,10,267 4,26,087 15,820 (0.9)(3.9)2. Investments 75,630 75,188@ -44261,498 65,961+ 4,464 A. Commercial Paper 6,984 5,652 -1,3325,037 6,544 1,507 B. Bonds/Debentures/Preference 65,460 66,334 874 53,607 56,399 2,792 Shares issued by (a) Public Sector Undertakings 38,453 39,381 928 30,620 33,210 2,591 201 (b) Private Corporate Sector 27,006 -5422,988 26,952 23,189 C. Equity Shares issued by PSUs and 3,171 3,188 16 2,834 3,003 170 Private Corporate Sector D. Loans to Corporates against 15 15 20 15 -5shares held by them to enable them to meet the promoters' contribution to the equity of new companies in anticipation of raising resources. 3. Bills rediscounted with Financial 1,013 700@@ 6 -313 438 444++ **Institutions** 5,48,086 4. Total (1B + 2 + 3)5,51,407 3,322 4,72,203 4,92,492 20,290

Note: 1. Figures in brackets are percentage variations.

^{* :} Subject to changes as a result of common valuation method and uniform classification.

^{@:} Upto July 27, 2001. @@: Upto June 30, 2001. +: Upto July 28, 2000. ++: Upto June 30, 2000.

^{2.} Data on Investments are provisional and tentative.