5. Accommodation Provided by Scheduled Commercial Banks to Commercial Sector in the Form of Bank Credit and Investments in hares/Debentures/Bonds/Commercial Paper Etc.

(Rs. crore) 2003 - 2004 2002 - 2003 **Outstanding** Variations Outstanding Variations as on (3) - (2)(6) - (5)as on Item 2003 2002 Mar. 21 Mar. 22 Sep. 5 Sep. 6 4 7 2 5 6 1. Bank Credit 7,29,215 7,32,904 3,689 5,89,723 6,57,993 68,271 (0.5)(11.6)A. Food Credit 49,479 41,606 -7,87353,978 56,178 2,199 . Non-Food Credit 6,79,736 6,91,298 11,562 6,01,816 66,071 5,35,745 (12.3)(1.7)92,854 89,841 @ 2. Investments £ -3,01381,000 87,548 + 6,549 A. Commercial Paper 4,007 3,894 -1138,497 7,522 -975B. Shares issued by (a + b)9.019 8,624 -3955.914 9.072 3.159 (a) Public Sector Undertakings 1.430 1.318 -1121,587 1,456 -131(b) Private Corporate Sector 7,589 7,306 -2834,327 7,617 3,290 C. Bonds/Debentures issued by (a + b)77,322 -2,50566,589 70,953 4,364 79,828 (a) Public Sector Undertakings 39,520 39,841 321 46,854 46,736 -118(b) Private Corporate Sector 32,973 30,587 -2,38727,069 31,112 4,043 3. Bills rediscounted with Financial Institutions 105 693@@ 588 906 341 ++ -565 4. Total (1B + 2 + 3)7,72,695 7,81,831 9,137 6,17,650 6,89,705 72,055

^{@:} Upto August 22, 2003. @@: Upto August 31, 2003. +: Upto August 23, 2002. ++: Upto August 31, 2002. Notes: 1. Data on investments are based on Statutory Section 42(2) Returns.

^{2.} Figures in brackets are percentage variations.

^{3.} Includes the impact of mergers since May 3, 2002.