6. Foreign Exchange Rates - Spot and Forward Premia

Foreign		2003			2004			2003		2004		
Currency	•	May 2	Apr. 26+	Apr. 27	Apr. 28	Apr. 29	Apr. 30	May 2	Apr. 26+ Apr. 27	Apr. 28	Apr. 29	Apr. 30
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10 11	12	13	14
RBI's Reference Rate (Rs. per Foreign Currency) Foreign Currency per Rs. 100										. 100@		
U.S. Dolla	r	47.3600		44.1800	44.1800	44.4100	44.3700		(Based o	n Middle	Rates)	
Euro		53.1800		52.3800	52.5300	52.4600	53.0200					
FEDAI Indicative Rates (Rs. per Foreign												
Currency)												
U.S.	{ Buying	47.3500		44.1700	44.1700	44.4000	44.3700	2.1115	2.2635	2.2635	2.2517	2.2538
Dollar	Selling	47.3600		44.1800	44.1800	44.4200	44.3800					
Pound	{ Buying	76.1525		78.8650	78.9800	78.4375	78.6900	1.3124	1.2677	1.2665	1.2743	1.2714
Sterling	Selling	76.1925		78.9100	79.0150	78.4825	78.7300					
Euro	{ Buying	53.1400		52.3625	52.5125	52.4500		1.8804	1.9091	1.9037	1.9062	1.8861
	Selling	53.2000		52.3975	52.5350	52.4875	53.0750					
100 Yen	{ Buying	39.8675		40.6675	40.4200	40.2000	40.2700	250.70	245.79	247.27	248.69	248.35
	Selling	39.9025		40.7075	40.4475	40.2350	40.3050					
Inter-Bank Forward Premia of U.S. Dollar (per cent per												
	annum)											
1-month		0.76		-1.68	-0.30	-1.89	-1.68					
3-month		1.44		-0.68	-0.25	-0.81	-0.86					
6-month		1.60		-0.28	-0.12	-0.41	-0.43					

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

+ : Market closed.

Notes: 1. The unified exchange rate system came into force on March 1, 1993.

^{2.} Euro Reference rate was announced by RBI with effect from January 1, 2002.