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

| Foreign   |                 | 2003    |         |         | 2004    |          |                               | 2003   |        |         | 2004          |        |
|---|-----------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|----------|-------------------------------|--------|--------|---------|---------------|--------|
| Currency  | <i>'</i>        | Jun. 6  | May 31  | Jun. 1  | Jun. 2  | Jun. 3   | Jun. 4                        | Jun. 6 | May 31 | Jun. 1  | Jun. 2 Jun. 3 | Jun. 4 |
| 1   | 2               | 3       | 4       | 5       | 6       | 7        | 8                             | 9      | 10     | 11      | 12 13         | 14     |
| RBI's Reference Rate (Rs. per Foreign Currency                |                 |         |         |         |         | urrency) | Foreign Currency per Rs. 100@ |        |        |         |               |        |
| U.S. Dolla  | ır              | 46.8200 | 45.5600 | 45.4500 | 45.4200 | 45.3100  | 45.1900                       |        | (Based | d on Mi | ddle Rates)   |        |
| Euro  |                 | 55.4400 | 55.5800 | 55.6500 | 55.7700 | 55.3100  | 55.1400                       |        |        |         |               |        |
| FEDAI Indicative Rates (Rs. per Foreign Currency)             |                 |         |         |         |         |          |                               |        |        |         |               |        |
| U.S.  | <b>{</b> Buying | 46.8200 | 45.5500 | 45.4600 | 45.4100 | 45.3000  | 45.1800                       | 2.1358 | 2.1949 | 2.2002  | 2.2017 2.2070 | 2.2129 |
| Dollar  | Selling         | 46.8300 | 45.5600 | 45.4700 | 45.4200 | 45.3100  | 45.1900                       |        |        |         |               |        |
| Pound   | { Buying        | 77.9000 | 83.5975 | 83.5775 | 83.7675 | 83.0250  | 83.0100                       | 1.2835 | 1.1956 | 1.1962  | 1.1931 1.2042 | 1.2042 |
| Sterling  | Selling         | 77.9400 | 83.6400 | 83.6150 | 83.8125 | 83.0675  | 83.0500                       |        |        |         |               |        |
| Euro  | { Buying        | 55.4825 | 55.5575 | 55.6600 | 55.7500 | 55.3025  | 55.1200                       | 1.8038 | 1.7992 | 1.7969  | 1.7931 1.8080 | 1.8136 |
|   | Selling         | 55.5075 | 55.5825 | 55.6875 | 55.7750 | 55.3375  | 55.1550                       |        |        |         |               |        |
| 100 Yen   | { Buying        | 39.7650 | 41.5950 | 41.5275 | 41.0700 | 40.8325  | 40.6850                       | 251.70 | 240.45 | 240.67  | 243.34 244.53 | 245.60 |
|   | Selling         | 39.7800 | 41.6150 | 41.5550 | 41.1075 | 40.8525  | 40.7225                       |        |        |         |               |        |
| Inter-Bank Forward Premia of U.S. Dollar (per cent per annum) |                 |         |         |         |         |          |                               |        |        |         |               |        |
| 1-month   |                 | 3.08    | -0.66   | -0.66   | 0.15    | 0.58     | 1.19                          |        |        |         |               |        |
| 3-month   |                 | 2.39    | -0.35   | -0.26   | 0.16    | 0.30     | 0.58                          |        |        |         |               |        |
| 6-month   |                 | 1.79    | -0.15   | -0.09   | 0.24    | 0.27     | 0.35                          |        |        |         |               |        |

<sup>@:</sup>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.

## Notes

<sup>1.</sup> The unified exchange rate system came into force on March 1, 1993.

<sup>2.</sup>Euro Reference rate was announced by RBI with effect from January 1, 2002.