6. Foreign Exchange Rates - Spot and Forward Premia

Foreign		2003			2004			2003		2004		
Currency	<i>'</i>	Aug. 8	Aug. 2	Aug. 3	Aug. 4	Aug. 5	Aug. 6	Aug. 8	Aug. 2 Aug.	3 Aug. 4	Aug. 5	Aug. 6
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	l1 12	13	14
RBI's Reference Rate (Rs. per Foreign Currency)								Forei	gn Curre	ncy per	Rs. 100@	
U.S. Dollar		46.0300	46.3600	46.3000	46.3700	46.3300	46.4300		(Based o	n Middle	Rates)	
Euro		52.3100	55.9200	55.6100	55.7600	55.9000	56.0600					
FEDAI Indicative Rates (Rs. per Foreign Currency)												
U.S.	{ Buying	46.0250	46.3600	46.2900	46.3700	46.3300	46.4200	2.1725	2.1570 2.159	98 2.1566	2.1584	2.1538
Dollar	Selling	46.0350	46.3700	46.3000	46.3800	46.3400	46.4300					
Pound	{ Buying	74.3950	84.5325	84.3400	84.4500	84.6175	84.6875	1.3439	1.1830 1.184	17 1.1838	1.1817	1.1805
Sterling	Selling	74.4475	84.5650	84.3950	84.4900	84.6575	34.7350					
Euro	{ Buying	52.2975	55.9375	55.5475	55.7600	55.8875	56.0325	1.9117	1.7883 1.798	32 1.7934	1.7889	1.7838
	Selling	52.3325	55.9650	55.5825	55.7850	55.9175	56.0600					
100 Yen	{ Buying	38.6775	41.6900	41.6800	41.6500	41.7500	41.5650	258.40	239.86 239.8	38 240.02	239.50	240.46
	Selling	38.7100	41.7100	41.7050	41.6775	41.7775	41.5850					
Inter-Bank Forward Premia of U.S. Dollar (per cent per												
		annum)										
1-month		3.65	2.98	3.05	3.04	2.98	2.97					
3-month		2.61	2.72	2.72	2.80	2.72	2.71					
6-month		2.13	2.37	2.44	2.59	2.42	2.46					

^{@:}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 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.