

8. Reserve Money : Components and Sources

(Rs. crore)

| <i>Item</i> | Outstanding as on | | Variation over | | | | | | | |
|---|----------------------|----------|-----------------------|------|---------|-------|-----------|-------|--------|------|
| | | | Financial year so far | | | | | | | |
| | 1999 | | Week | | 1998-99 | | 1999-2000 | | Year | |
| | Mar. 31# | Aug. 13# | Amount | % | Amount | % | Amount | % | Amount | % |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 |
| Reserve Money | 2,59,371 | 2,62,073 | -1,461 | -0.6 | -1,821 | -0.8 | 2,702 | 1.0 | 37,492 | 16.7 |
| Components (i+ii+iii) | | | | | | | | | | |
| (i) Currency in circulation | 1,75,846 | 1,87,065 | 530 | 0.3 | 8,845 | 5.9 | 11,219 | 6.4 | 27,164 | 17.0 |
| of which : cash with banks | 6,464 | 4,164 * | | | | | | | | |
| (ii) Bankers' deposits with RBI | 79,703 | 70,289 | -2,009 | -2.8 | -11,023 | -15.4 | -9,415 | -11.8 | 9,506 | 15.6 |
| (iii) "Other" deposits with RBI | 3,821 | 4,720 | 18 | | 357 | | 898 | | 822 | |
| Sources (i+ii+iii+iv+v) | | | | | | | | | | |
| (i) Net RBI credit to Government | 1,52,539 | 1,52,718 | -3,696 | -2.4 | 10,346 | 7.7 | 179 | 0.1 | 7,212 | 5.0 |
| of which : to Centre | 1,45,416 | 1,50,882 | -3,339 | | 11,297 | | 5,466 | | 5,969 | |
| (ii) RBI credit to banks & comm. sector | 25,487 | 28,883 | 3,131 | 12.2 | -119 | -0.8 | 3,396 | 13.3 | 13,720 | 90.5 |
| o/w : to banks (includes NABARD) | 13,262 | 14,751 | 1,900 | | -382 | | 1,489 | | 8,036 | |
| (iii) Net foreign exchange assets of RBI | 1,37,954 | 1,43,808 | -1,263 | -0.9 | -1,814 | -1.6 | 5,855 | 4.2 | 29,732 | 26.1 |
| (iv) Govt.'s currency liabilities to the public | 3,846 | 3,846 | — | | 170 | | — | | 324 | |
| (v) Net non-monetary liabilities of RBI | 60,455 | 67,183 | -367 | | 10,404 | | 6,728 | | 13,496 | |

* Data relate to Scheduled Commercial Banks only.