

DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNICATION. Central Office. S.B.S.Marg. Mumbai-400001 फोन/Phone: 022- 22610835 फैक्स/Fax: 91 22 22660358

## December 29, 2017

## Sectoral Deployment of Bank Credit – November 2017

Data on sectoral deployment of bank credit collected from select 41 scheduled commercial banks, accounting for about 90 per cent of the total non-food credit deployed by all scheduled commercial banks, for the month of November 2017 are set out in Statements I and II.

## Highlights of the sectoral deployment of bank credit are given below:

- On a year-on-year (y-o-y) basis, non-food bank credit increased by 8.8 per • cent in November 2017 as compared with an increase of 4.8 per cent in November 2016.
- Credit to agriculture and allied activities increased by 8.4 per cent in November 2017 in comparison with the increase of 10.3 per cent in November 2016.
- Credit to industry increased by 1.0 per cent in November 2017 as compared with a contraction of 3.4 per cent in November 2016. Credit to major sub-sectors such as 'infrastructure', 'vehicles, vehicle parts & transport equipment', 'basic metal & metal products' and 'mining & quarrying' contracted/declined. However, credit growth to 'textiles', 'chemical & chemical products', 'all engineering', 'food processing' and 'construction' accelerated.
- Credit to the services sector increased by 14.0 per cent in November • 2017, up from 7.1 per cent in November 2016.
- Personal loans increased by 17.3 per cent in November 2017 as compared with the increase of 15.2 per cent in November 2016.

Press Release : 2017-2018/1779

Ajit Prasad Assistant Adviser