

**Table 18b: Primary Dealers Transactions: February 2002 - January 2004**

<b>Period</b>	<b>Number of Transactions</b>	<b>Value (Rs million)</b>	<b>Yield (Per cent per annum)</b>
<b>January-04</b>			
05-09 Jan	64	506.6	6.30-8.70
12-16 Jan	74	601.9	5.15-8.65
19-23 Jan	52	573.2	5.45-8.65
26-30 Jan	35	138.2	5.35-8.43
<b>Feb-02</b>	14	84.0	7.90-10.04
<b>Mar-02</b>	41	81.3	7.25-10.40
<b>Apr-02</b>	29	187.3	8.35-10.40
<b>May-02</b>	25	73.3	7.55-10.25
<b>Jun-02</b>	22	628.5	7.25-10.45
<b>Jul-02</b>	35	137.0	7.25-10.55
<b>Aug-02</b>	35	436.1	8.55-10.25
<b>Sep-02</b>	13	201.7	7.00-10.20
<b>Oct-02</b>	101	859.5	7.40-10.75
<b>Nov-02</b>	116	716.0	6.75-11.00
<b>Dec-02</b>	196	1,139.9	6.20-10.50
<b>Jan-03</b>	251	1,278.4	6.45-10.40
<b>Feb-03</b>	191	956.7	5.95-10.40
<b>Mar-03</b>	235	2,219.4	5.95-10.10
<b>Apr-03</b>	223	1,211.6	5.75-9.82
<b>May-03</b>	234	906.8	6.25-9.80
<b>Jun-03</b>	203	1,531.7	5.90-9.75
<b>Jul-03</b>	202	1,136.3	5.90-9.50
<b>Aug-03</b>	196	921.4	5.80-9.65
<b>Sep-03</b>	184	1,119.1	6.45-9.48
<b>Oct-03</b>	246	1,514.7	6.25-9.15
<b>Nov-03</b>	183	833.9	4.60-9.06
<b>Dec-03</b>	240	1,636.4	5.00-8.80
<b>Jan-04</b>	225	1,819.9	5.15-8.70

Notes: (i) As from November 2002, primary dealer transactions include trading in Treasury Bills with maturity exceeding 364 days.

(ii) As from 22 August 2003, transactions include trading in Bank of Mauritius Bills.