Table 44: Exchange Rate of the Rupee vis-à-vis Major Trading Partner Currencies:
May 2009 - May 2010

| Indicative Selling Rates | Average for 12 Months ended May 2009 [1] | Average for 12 Months ended May 2010 [2] | Appreciation/(Depreciation) of Rupee between [1] \& [2] Per Cent |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Australian dollar | 23.8353 | 28.0162 | (14.9) |
| Hong Kong dollar | 4.0745 | 4.1227 | (1.2) |
| Indian rupee (100) | 67.2847 | 68.7165 | (2.1) |
| Japanese yen (100) | 32.0014 | 34.7299 | (7.9) |
| Kenya shilling (100) | 43.0104 | 42.3823 | 1.5 |
| New Zealand dollar | 19.2807 | 22.2821 | (13.5) |
| Singapore dollar | 21.6650 | 22.6387 | (4.3) |
| South African rand | 3.5701 | 4.2174 | (15.3) |
| Swiss franc | 28.1711 | 30.0305 | (6.2) |
| US dollar | 31.4158 | 31.7468 | (1.0) |
| Pound sterling | 51.3532 | 50.6791 | 1.3 |
| Euro | 43.4994 | 44.6364 | (2.5) |

Notes: ${ }^{(1)}$ [1] is calculated on the basis of the daily average exchange rates for the period June 2008 to May 2009.
[2] is calculated on the basis of the daily average exchange rates for the period June 2009 to May 2010.
(ii) The daily average exchange rate of the Rupee is based on the average selling rates for T.T. \& D.D. of banks.
(iii) The appreciation/depreciation of the Rupee is calculated as follows:
(Previous period exchange rate - Current period exchange rate) $\div$ Current period exchange rate.
Source: Statistics Division.
Table 45: Exchange Rate of Selected Currencies vis-à-vis the Euro (Period Average): January 1999 and May 2010

|  | January 1999 <br> [1] | May 2010 <br> [2] | Appreciation/ (Depreciation) <br> of Selected Currencies <br> between [1] \& [2] <br> (Per cent) |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Hong Kong dollar | 8.9689 | 9.7775 | $(8.3)$ |
| Indonesian rupiah | $9,961.02$ | $11,520.29$ | $(13.5)$ |
| Korean won | $1,358.76$ | $1,467.86$ | $(7.4)$ |
| Mauritian rupee | 28.987 | 41.761 | $(30.6)$ |
| Philippines peso | 44.395 | 57.302 | $(22.5)$ |
| Singapore dollar | 1.9453 | 1.7505 | 11.1 |
| South African rand | 6.9690 | 9.5746 | $(27.2)$ |
| Taiwan dollar | 37.333 | 39.957 | $(6.6)$ |
| Thai baht | 42.3655 | 40.6496 | 4.2 |

Note: The daily average exchange rate of the rupee against the euro is based on the average selling rates of banks
while the daily exchange rates of the other selected currencies against the euro are derived from Reuters.
Source: Statistics Division.
Table 46: Exchange Rates of Selected Currencies vis-à-vis the US Dollar: April 2010 and May 2010

|  | May-10 <br> Low | May-10 <br> High | May-10 <br> Average | Apr-10 <br> Average |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| YEN / USD | $94.82 / 84$ | $89.97 / 01$ | $91.98 / 02$ | $93.39 / 42$ |
| USD / EUR | $1.2189 / 92$ | $1.3230 / 35$ | $1.2557 / 60$ | $1.3433 / 36$ |
| USD / GBP | $1.4278 / 82$ | $1.5259 / 60$ | $1.4644 / 48$ | $1.5330 / 33$ |

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[^0]:    Source: Reuters with reference to Asian Markets, 0900 hrs, Mauritian time.

