MINISTRY OF FINANCE

NO.34 (APPROPRIATION)

Interest Payments

A. The Budget allocations, net of recoveries and revenue receipts, are given below:

(In crores of Rupees) Budget 2006-2007 Revised 2006-2007 Budget 2007-2008 Plan Plan Major Head Plan Non-Plan Total Non-Plan Total Non-Plan Total 158994.93 Revenue 139822.60 139822.60 146191.85 146191.85 158994.93 Capital Total 139822.60 139822.60 146191.85 146191.85 158994.93 158994.93 ... 1. Prepayment Premium for reduction of debt 2048 2500.00 2500.00 ... Interest Payments -2. Interest on Internal Debt 2.01 Market Loans 2049 83348.79 83348.79 81230.02 81230.02 89500.00 89500.00 ... 0049 -6000 00 -6000 00 -4500.00 -4500 00 Less accrued interest -5000.00-5000.00... Net 77348.79 77348.79 76730.02 76730.02 84500.00 84500.00 2.02 Compensation & Other Bonds 2049 3424.41 3424.41 7180.19 7180.19 3886.48 3886.48 3255.00 2.03 Discount on Treasury Bills 2010.00 3216.00 3255.00 2049 2010.00 3216.00 2.04 Discount on 364 days Treasury Bills 2049 1605.00 1605.00 1628.00 1628.00 2026.00 2026.00 2.05 182 days Treasury Bills 2049 440.00 440.00 560.00 560.00 503.00 503.00 2.06 Management of Debt 2049 423.24 423.24 358.67 358.67 377.14 377.14 2.07 Ways & Means Advances 2049 50.00 50.00 26.00 26.00 150.00 150.00 2.08 Marketable securities issued in conversion of Special securities 2049 6608.90 6608.90 6608.90 6608.90 6198.12 6198.12 2.09 Market Stablisation Scheme 2049 1434.75 1434.75 2608.78 2608.78 3700.00 3700.00 ... Total 93345.09 93345.09 98916.56 98916.56 104595.74 104595.74 3. Interest on External Debt 2049 3632.15 3632.15 3867.73 3867.73 4316.88 4316.88 4. Interest on Small Savings. Provident Funds etc. 4.01 Interest on Small Savings 2049 18130.28 18390.79 deposits, certificates 18130.28 18149.57 18149.57 18390.79 and operational expenses 4.02 State Provident Funds 2049 5050.48 5050.48 5059.07 5059.07 5232.96 5232.96 3741.47 3741.47 4049.23 4049.23 4.03 Insurance & Pension Funds 2049 4683.24 4683.24 4.04 Special Deposits of Non-Govt. Provident Funds etc. 2049 9500.00 9500.00 9500.00 9500.00 10560.00 10560.00 4.05 Special Securities issued to Nationalised Banks 2049 1950.70 1950.70 2079.81 2079.81 1070.17 1070.17 4.06 Special Securities issued to UTI 2049 296.25 296.25 296.25 296.25 296.25 296.25 4.07 Other Special Deposits 2049 955.64 955.64 925.57 925.57 971.67 971.67 Total 39624.82 39624.82 40059.50 40059.50 41205.08 41205.08 5. Interest on Reserve Funds 2049 892.92 892.92 890.88 890.88 1042.83 1042.83 6. Interest on other oligations 6.01 Special bonds to Oil Companies 2049 1797.23 1797.23 1899.44 1899.44 3425.86 3425.86 6.02 Special bonds issued to Food Corporation of India 2049 1314.30 1314.30 6.03 Interest on other obligations 2049 530.39 530.39 557.74 557.74 594.24 594.24 2327.62 2327.62 2457.18 2457.18 5334.40 5334.40 Total ... 139822.60 146191.85 158994.93 Grand Total 139822.60 146191.85 158994.93

The entire expenditure included in this Appropriation is classified as 'charged' on the Consolidated Fund of India under article 112(3)(c) of the Constitution.

- 2. The Appropriation provides for interest charges on Central Government's debt obligations, both internal and external. It also includes provisions for interest payable on provident funds, special deposits with the Government besides depreciation and other reserve funds of commercial departments, like Railways. Provisions for management of debt and other liabilities of the Central Government are also included in this Appropriation.
- 3. The provision for interest/discount payment on dated securities/treasury bills issued under the Market Stabilisation Scheme is shown separately, in compliance with the provisions of the MOU on MSS dated March 25, 2004.
- 4. The increase in the Budget Estimates, 2007-2008 is mainly due to larger requirement for interest on market loans and special securities to oil marketing companies and Food Corporation of India(FCI).
- 5. A provision of Rs.2500 crore is being made for payment of premium on buyback of securities under proposed active debt consolidation scheme.