

Table 1. CPI of FBT in the National Capital Region (NCR), September 2001 to September 2002

| Year | Month | CPI      |                     | Components       |             |           | Month-on-Month Change |                     |
|------|-------|----------|---------------------|------------------|-------------|-----------|-----------------------|---------------------|
|      |       | Original | Seasonally Adjusted | Seasonal Factors | Trend Cycle | Irregular | Original              | Seasonally Adjusted |
| 2001 | Sep   | 148.8    | 149.4               | 99.6             | 149.6       | 99.9      | -0.3                  | -0.3                |
|      | Oct   | 148.4    | 149.2               | 99.5             | 149.3       | 99.9      | -0.3                  | -0.1                |
|      | Nov   | 148.9    | 149.0               | 100.0            | 148.8       | 100.1     | 0.3                   | -0.1                |
|      | Dec   | 149.4    | 148.6               | 100.5            | 148.3       | 100.2     | 0.3                   | -0.3                |
| 2002 | Jan   | 149.1    | 147.6               | 101.0            | 148.0       | 99.7      | -0.2                  | -0.7                |
|      | Feb   | 147.7    | 147.5               | 100.1            | 148.2       | 99.5      | -0.9                  | -0.1                |
|      | Mar   | 149.4    | 149.5               | 99.9             | 148.8       | 100.4     | 1.2                   | 1.4                 |
|      | Apr   | 149.4    | 149.7               | 99.8             | 149.6       | 100.0     | 0.0                   | 0.1                 |
|      | May   | 150.8    | 150.3               | 100.3            | 150.3       | 100.0     | 0.9                   | 0.4                 |
|      | Jun   | 150.0    | 150.5               | 99.7             | 150.7       | 99.9      | -0.5                  | 0.1                 |
|      | Jul   | 150.9    | 151.1               | 99.8             | 150.8       | 100.2     | 0.6                   | 0.4                 |
|      | Aug   | 150.6    | 151.0               | 99.7             | 150.9       | 100.1     | -0.2                  | -0.1                |
|      | Sep   | 149.9    | 150.5               | 99.6             | 150.9       | 99.7      | -0.5                  | -0.3                |

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