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## PROVISIONAL FIGURES ON LOAN ISSUES, EXTRAORDINARY PAYMENTS/ RECEIPTS AND CASH BALANCES <br> AS AT 30 SEPTEMBER 2004 <br> ISSUED BY THE DIRECTOR GENERAL: NATIONAL TREASURY

During September 2004 domestic short-term loans (net) increased by R1 521,9 million whilst domestic long-term loan issues, net of redemptions, buy-backs and switches increased by R4 792,4 million. Domestic long-term loans includes an amount of R132,9 million in respect of the new Retail Bonds.

Extraordinary receipts of R258,9 million were received in respect of premiums on the issuance of loans for financing (R245,5 million) and proceeds from the restructuring of Aventura (R13,4 million).

The balances in the exchequer, tax and loans and CPD investment accounts amounted to R48,5 million, R23 441,2 million and R359,7 million.

No RSA bonds were stripped or reconstituted during September 2004.
More detailed information on the above provisional figures will be included in the monthly statement of the National Revenue, Expenditure and Borrowing which will be released on 31 October 2004.

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