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# **Press Release**

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#### 1. Overnight Money Market Transactions

	Call Money Market	Repo Market
Weighted Average Rate (%)	7.78	7.92
Minimum Rate (%)	7.60	7.90
Maximum Rate (%)	7.83	7.95
Total Gross amount (Rs. million)	14,100	2,205
Total Net amount (Rs. million)	13,850	2,205

#### 2. Open Market Operations

i. Overnight Reverse Repo Auction			
Amount Offered (Rs. million)	10,000		
Auction Date	20 August 2019		
Date of settlement	20 August 2019		
Date of Maturity	21 August 2019		
Bids Received (Rs. million)	7,900		
Amount Accepted (Rs. million)	7,900		
Minimum Accepted Rate (%)	7.60		
Maximum Accepted Rate (%)	7.75		
Weighted Average Yield (%)	7.72		

ii. Short Term Reverse Repo Auction			
Amount Offered (Rs. million)	10,000		
Auction Date	20 August 2019		
Date of settlement	20 August 2019		
Date of Maturity	27 August 2019		
Bids Received (Rs. million)	9,350		
Amount Accepted (Rs. million)	9,100		
Minimum Accepted Rate (%)	7.55		
Maximum Accepted Rate (%)	7.70		
Weighted Average Yield (%)	7.58		

iii. Outright Purchase of Treasury Bills			
Amount Offered	2,000	2,000	2,000
(Rs. million)			
Auction Date	20 August 2019	20 August 2019	20 August 2019
Date of settlement	21 August 2019	21 August 2019	20 August 2019
Date of Maturity	22 May 2020	29 May 2020	5 June 2020
Days to Maturity	275	282	289
Bids Received	500	1,450	1,000
(Rs. million)			
Amount Accepted (Rs.	500	1,250	1,000
million)			
Minimum Accepted	7.86	7.86	7.86
Rate (%)			
Maximum Accepted	7.86	7.86	7.86
Rate (%)			
Weighted Average	7.86	7.86	7.86
Yield (%)			

## 3. Use of the CBSL Standing Facility

Standing Deposit Facility (Rs. million)	32,233
Standing Lending Facility (Rs. million)	531

### 4. CBSL Treasury Bill Holdings

Face Value (Rs. million)	80,193.47	Book Value (Rs. million)	78,950.55