

**TABLE 144 : CURRENCY CHESTS / REPOSITORIES AND
SMALL COIN DEPOTS – ALL INDIA**

Year (March 31)	Total No. of Currency Chests	Total Repositories	Total Small Coin Depots/Sub-depot
1	2	3	4
1974-75	2,253	145	1,344
1975-76	2,433	249	1,374
1976-77	2,573	..	1,428
1977-78	2,866	..	1,477
1978-79	3,026	397 @	1,517
1979-80	3,205	458	1,530
1980-81	3,318	484	1,563
1981-82	3,445	505	1,605
1982-83	3,696	590	1,664
1983-84	3,813	599	1,722
1984-85	3,276	470	1,746
1985-86	3,506	487	2,089
1986-87	3,636	489	2,610
1987-88	3,677	483	2,739
1988-89	3,730	489	2,792
1989-90	3,791	494	2,858
1990-91	3,864	505	2,917
1991-92	3,902	492	3,098
1992-93	3,976	493	3,177
1993-94	4,059	500	3,262
1994-95	4,099	502	3,304
1995-96	4,101	504	3,394
1996-97	4,128	503	3,454
1997-98	4,157	502	3,528
1998-99	4,181	494	3,552
1999-00	4,242	442	3,616

.. Data not available.

@ In addition, there had been two repositories of nationalised banks one each at Tamil Nadu and Delhi.
Also see Notes on Tables.