| SOLOMON ISLANDS MONETARY STATISTICS  |               |                |                 |               |
|--------------------------------------|---------------|----------------|-----------------|---------------|
|                                      | 5-Sep-18      | 4 Weeks<br>ago | 12 weeks<br>ago | 1 year ago    |
| External Reserves: (in SBD million)  | \$5,015       | \$5,060        | \$5,191         | \$4,555       |
| External Reserves: (in USD million)  | \$621         | \$632          | \$655           | \$584         |
| Exchange Rates: /1                   |               |                |                 |               |
| Units of SBD per Foreign Currency    |               |                |                 |               |
| USD                                  | \$8.08        | \$8.01         | \$7.93          | \$7.79        |
| AUD                                  | \$5.81        | \$5.93         | \$6.02          | \$6.24        |
| NZD                                  | \$5.31        | \$5.39         | \$5.57          | \$5.64        |
| GBP                                  | \$10.38       | \$10.36        | \$10.62         | \$10.15       |
| JPY [per 100]                        | \$7.26        | \$7.19         | \$7.19          | \$7.17        |
| Euro                                 | \$9.36        | \$9.27         | \$9.34          | \$9.29        |
| Money Supply (M3): (SBD million)     | \$5,095       | \$5,037        | \$5,080         | \$4,601       |
| Net domestic credit: (SBD million)   | \$1,319.60    | \$1,277.50     | \$1,123.20      | \$1,043.40    |
| Net credit to govt.                  | (\$1,078.20)  | (\$1,118.60)   | (\$1,225.30)    | (\$1,187.40)  |
| Credit to Private sector /2          | \$2,397.80    | \$2,396.10     | \$2,348.50      | \$2,230.80    |
| Total Gross SIG Debts: (SBD million) | \$956.07      | \$949.54       | \$958.01        | \$885.73      |
| SIG Domestic Debt                    | \$194.32      | \$194.78       | \$193.54        | \$194.80      |
| SIG External Debt                    | \$761.74      | \$754.76       | \$764.47        | \$690.92      |
| International Commodity Prices /3    | <u>Jun-18</u> | <u>May-18</u>  | <u>Apr-18</u>   | <u>Jun-17</u> |
| Copra [USD/m.t]                      | 731           | 692            | 756             | 1,119         |
| Fish [USD/m.t]                       | 1,482         | 1,618          | 1,580           | 2,136         |
| Cocoa [USD/m.t]                      | 2,593         | 2,660          | 2,620           | 2,000         |
| Logs [USD/cu.m]                      | 276           | 271            | 277             | 268           |
| Palm Oil [ USD/m.t]                  | 669           | 660            | 666             | 677           |
| Coconut Oil [ USD/m.t]               | 1,097         | 1,029          | 1,138           | 1,697         |
| Gold [ USD/toz]                      | 1,321         | 1,303          | 1,335           | 1,260         |

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/1 These are mid-rates between buying and selling rates.

/ 2 Includes Loans and advances from the commerial banks and credit corporation.

/3 Source: World Bank

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