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Public Debt Instruments in July 2001

The Bank of Thailand (BOT) reported on the auction activities of public debt instruments which comprised the bonds issued by the Financial Institutions Rehabilitation and Development Fund (FIDF) and treasury bills during July 2001. The total value of debt instruments auctioned was B40,000 million.

In July 2001, The BOT announced debt instruments activities as follows:

1. There was no auction of government bonds.
2. Three auctions of FIDF's bonds, both principal and interest are guaranteed by the Ministry of Finance, which worth B4,000 million.
3. Ten auctions of treasury bills worth B36,000 million.
4. The BOT acted as a registrar for one issue of state-enterprise bond for the Metropolitan

Electricity Authority, one issue for the State Railway of Thailand, and two issues for the Provincial Electricity Authority, which worth B4,000 million in total.

Should small investors intend to purchase government bonds, they may deal in the secondary market such as the headquarters or main branches of commercial banks. They may also contact the Service Centre for Small Investors in Purchasing Government Bonds in the Secondary Market, a service centre of the BOT, for bond price quotation in the secondary market as well as other relevant information on Tel. 0-2280-8445 from 10.00 am. to 1.30 pm every working day.

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