August 2003 Tax Collection Summary (in \$ millions) (Preliminary as of 9-2-03)

----- Month of August ---------- F Y 04 Y e a r - t o - D a t e -----08/03 \$ 08/03 YTD Above/(Below) \$ Above/(Below) 08/03 v 08/03 v 08/02 Consensus 08/03 YTD 08/03 YTD Consensus Actual % 08/03 08/02 \$ 08/03 v 08/02 Baseline % Benchmark 08/03 YTD 08/03 YTD Baseline % Benchmark Change Actual % Change (\$14.808 B) \$ Change (\$14.808 B) Collections Change Collections Change Change Total Income 603 7 70 1.1% 6.6% 47 1,180 46 4.1% 4.2% Income Withholding 601 12 2.0% 2.2% 24 4.5% 1.9% 43 1,154 50 Income Est Payments (Cash) 2 3 12 1 9.3% 9.3% 29 2 7.6% 3.8% 7 Income Returns/Bills 22 6 42.4% 5 9 34.7% 36 33.9% 28.7% Income Refunds (Cash) 33 13 60.2% (40.9%)(16)40 15 61.2% (36.4%)(17)Sales & Use 2 1 313 (4) (1.3%)0.7% 647 (3) (0.5%)(0.0%)Corporate & Business 26 28 N/A N/A 36 195.9% 35 16 216.8% All Other 149 (4) (2.9%)2.7% 5 276 2 0.6% 1.7% 3

Note: Detail may not add to total due to rounding and other technical factors

1,091

Total Tax Collections

27

2.5%

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7.0%

69

80

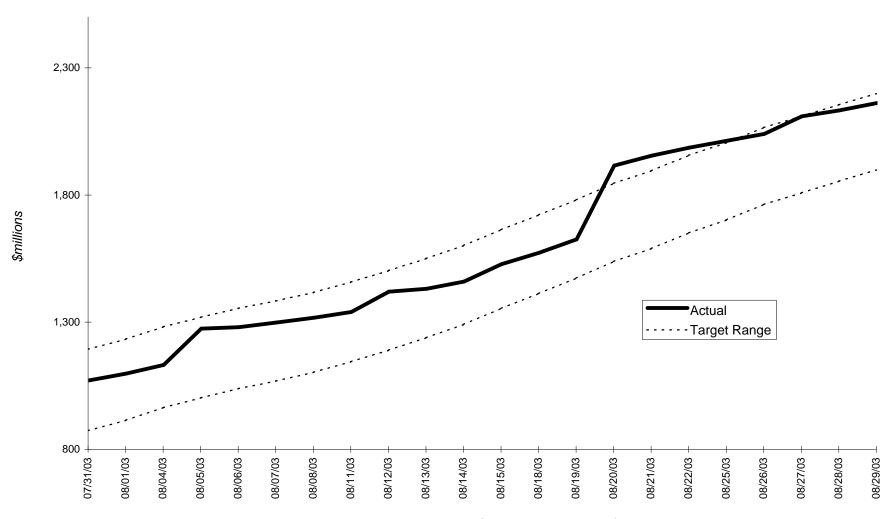
2,157

3.9%

4.4%

108

FY2004 Year-to-Date Tax Revenue through Aug. 31, 2003



YTD target range is based on FY2004 Consensus estimate of \$14.808 billion (includes \$684 million in MBTA transfer funds)