

ANNEXURE-6.3.4

Body Mass Index* Of Adolescents

AGE (YEARS)	1975-79		1996-97		NHANES	
	BOYS	GIRLS	BOYS	GIRLS	BOYS	GIRLS
10+	13.9	13.9	13.7	13.9	16.7	17.0
11+	14.0	14.2	13.9	14.2	17.3	17.7
12+	14.4	14.8	14.3	14.7	17.9	18.4
13+	14.7	15.4	14.8	15.5	18.5	18.9
14+	15.3	16.4	15.4	16.5	19.2	19.3
15+	15.8	17.2	16.0	17.3	19.9	19.7
16+	16.5	17.9	16.8	17.9	20.6	20.1
17+	17.0	18.3	17.6	18.5	21.1	20.4
* MEDIAN						