COMPARATIVE EVOLUTION OF NET INTERNATIONAL RESERVES AND B.C.R.A. FINANCIAL LIABILITIES - YEARS 2001 AND 2000 - in thousands -	2001	2000
I) NET INTERNATIONAL RESERVES OF THE B.C.R.A. AT BEGINNING OF YEAR:	26.490.820	27.830.576
II) B.C.R.A. FINANCIAL LIABILITIES AT THE BEGINNING OF THE YEAR:	24.561.694	26.307.349
NET BALANCE AT BEGINNING OF YEAR ( I - II ):	1.929.126	1.523.227
* INCOME:		
. On Reserves as per Law No. 23.928		
Net yield on placements abroad	793.453	1.003.400
Interest on Government Securities in foreign currency	134.671	142.600
Contingent repo program	215.580	-
. On Other Assets		
Interest on Government Securities in Pesos	23.900	78.400
. Stand by for strengthening of B.C.R.A. reserves on behalf of National Government	4.000.000	-
* EXPENSES:		
On Other Assets		
Asset reverse repos granted against securities not included in reserves	(778.535)	_
Asset reverse repos granted against securities net included in reserves  Asset reverse repos granted against securities presented in exchange for Secured Loans-Decree 1387/01	(534.632)	_
On loans to the financial system	(3.891.200)	131.600
. On Other Accounts	(5.0)1.200)	131.000
. Exchange differences	(863.082)	57.700
. Monetary issuance costs and Administrative expenses	(127.100)	(135.100)
. Contribution to General Revenue as per Budget Law No. 25.401	(60.000)	(60.000)
. Advance to the National Government on net results attributable to fiscal 2000	(200.000)	(750.000)
. Advance to the National Government on net results attributable to fiscal 2002	(331.300)	(730.000)
. Other on behalf of National Government	(146.500)	45,000
. International Agencies	(10.800)	(74.600)
. Other	900	(33.101)
NET AT END OF YEAR ( I - II ):	154.481	1.929.126
I) NET INTERNATIONAL RESERVES OF THE B.C.R.A. AT THE END OF THE YEAR:	17.922.960	26.490.820
II) FINANCIAL LIABILITIES OF THE B.C.R.A. AT THE END OF THE YEAR:	17.768.479	24.561.694

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