TODAYS MARKET OUTLOOK

Markets to make a somber start on geopolitical worries

The Indian markets before going for a long weekend lost substantial ground, today the start is likely to remain soft-to-cautious with the geopolitical tensions on North Korea that impacted the other Asian markets on Friday, weighing down the domestic market too.

Also on a Reserve Bank of India report that credit growth plunged to a whopping six-decade low of 5.08 percent in the financial year 2016-17, as against 10.7 percent a year ago.

Furthermore, the company's revenue outlook and plan to return cash to shareholders fell short of expectations, raising concerns at the start of the earnings-reporting season. The company expects its 2017-18 revenue to grow between 6.1% and 8.1% in dollar terms and 6.5-8.5% in constant currency terms.

Finally, the BSE Sensex decreased 182.03 points or 0.61% to 29461.45, while the CNX Nifty was down by 52.65 points or 0.57% to 9,150.80. Indian markets remained closed on Friday.

ECONOMY & MARKET PULSE

- GST to be launched on July 1: Hasmukh Adhia
- Cabinet gives nod to set up 'Government e-Marketplace SPV'
- Govt approves domestic purchase preference policy for oil PSUs
- Retail inflation surges to 5-month high at 3.81% in March
- FRBM panel recommends govt to set 3% fiscal deficit target up to FY20
- IIP contracts by 1.2% to a four-month low in February

| Indices Performance | | | |
|---------------------|-----------|-------------------|--------------|
| Index | 16-Apr-17 | Previous Close | % Change* |
| S&P BSE Sensex | 29,461.45 | 29,643.48 | -0.61% |
| CNX Nifty | 9,150.80 | 9,203.45 | -0.57% |
| CNX Midcap | 17,550.30 | 17,595.40 | -0.26% |
| CNX 500 | 8,044.90 | 8,078.85 | -0.42% |
| S&P BSE Smallcap | 14,881.16 | 14,852.27 | 0.19% |

| Global Markets | | | |
|----------------|-----------|-------------------|--------------|
| Index | | Previous Close | % Change* |
| Dow Jones | 20,453.25 | 20,651.30 | -0.96% |
| Nasdaq | 5,805.15 | 5,866.77 | -1.05% |
| S&P 500 | 2,341.98 | 2,352.15 | -0.43% |
| FTSE | 7,327.60 | 7,365.50 | -0.51% |
| CAC | 5,071.10 | 5,101.86 | -0.60% |

| Institutional Flows (Equity) | | | |
|------------------------------|---------------|----------|---------|
| Description (Rs in Cr) | Purchase s | Sales | Net |
| FII Flows | 4,120.24 | 4,615.84 | -495.60 |
| DII Flows | 2,628.59 | 2,563.16 | 65.43 |

| Commodity Market | | | |
|-------------------------|-----------|-------------|--------------|
| Commodities (INR) | | Gains+/Loss | % Change* |
| Gold (10gm) | 29,409.00 | 4.00 | 0.62% |
| Silver (1Kg) | 42,571.00 | 311.00 | 0.87% |
| Crude Oil (1 barrel) | 3,420.00 | 3.00 | -0.70% |
| Aluminium (1 Kg) | 123.10 | 1.05 | 0.61% |
| Copper (1Kg) | 366.20 | 3.00 | 0.67% |

| Currency Market | | | |
|-----------------|-----------|-------------|--------------|
| Currency | 16-Apr-17 | Gains+/Loss | % Change* |
| INR / 1 USD | 64.3165 | 0.38 | 0.58% |
| INR / 1 GBP | 80.8265 | -0.01 | -0.02% |
| INR / 1 EURO | 68.6193 | 0.05 | 0.07% |
| INR / 100 JPY | 58.9700 | 0.09 | 0.15% |