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**PRESS NOTICE**

**RESULT OF THE POST-AUCTION OPTION FACILITY 1¾% TREASURY GILT 2049**

An additional £299.999 million nominal of 1¾% Treasury Gilt 2049 (ISIN Code: GB00BFWFPP71) will be created for settlement on 18 March 2020 in respect of the amount purchased by the Gilt-edged Market Makers and investors during the Post-Auction Option Facility which closed at 2pm today.

This additional stock will be sold at the average accepted price of £117.965 and will take the total amount outstanding of 1¾% Treasury Gilt 2049 to £17,555,618,000.00 nominal.