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PRESS NOTICE

AUCTION OF BRITISH GOVERNMENT STOCK

Auction Details

| Auction Date | Tuesday, 16 February 2021 | | | |
|------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|--|--|--|
| Issue and Settlement Date | Wednesday, 17 February 2021 | | | |
| Bidding Convention | Fully paid Bid Price (see Note 1) | | | |
| Accrued Interest payable with bid | £0.005870165746 per £100 nominal | | | |
| Auction Open | 9:00am London Time | | | |
| Auction Close | 10:00am London Time | | | |
| Post Auction Option Facility Open | 12:30pm London Time | | | |
| Post Auction Option Facility Close | 1:00pm London Time | | | |

Details of Security

| Title | 01/2% Treasury Gilt 2024 | | | | |
|-----------------------------------|---|--|--|--|--|
| Amount (nominal) for auction | £3,250 million (fungible with previous issues) (see Note 3) | | | | |
| Nominal outstanding after auction | £21,621.1 million | | | | |
| Maturity Date | 31 January 2024 at par | | | | |
| Interest Payment Dates | 31 January and 31 July | | | | |
| ISIN Code | GB00BMGR2791 | | | | |
| SEDOL Code | B-MGR-279 | | | | |
| Strippable | No (see Note 4) | | | | |
| Interest Payable | Gross (see Note 2) | | | | |
| Next Interest Payment Date | 31 July 2021 (Standard Coupon) | | | | |

Note 1: Bids may be made on either a competitive or a non-competitive basis. Details of the bidding procedures are set out in the prospectus and in the Information Memorandum. Gilt-edged Market Makers may bid by means of the Bloomberg Bond Auction System to the DMO not earlier than <u>9.00 am on Tuesday</u>, <u>16 February 2021</u> and not later than <u>10.00 am on Tuesday</u>, <u>16 February 2021</u>.

Note 2: Holders may elect to have United Kingdom income tax deducted from interest payments, should they so wish, on application to the Registrar, Computershare Investor Services PLC.

Note 3: Subject to the provisions of the Information Memorandum, this auction will be eligible for the Post Auction Option Facility of an additional amount of the Gilt equivalent to 25% of the nominal amount of the Gilt allocated at the auction. Details of the Post Auction Option Facility procedures are set out in the Information Memorandum as supplemented by the prospectus.

Note 4: The Gilt may not be stripped and reconstituted until so specified in a notice issued by the DMO.

Documentation

| Prospectus for auction of £3,250 million of 01/4% Treasury Gilt 2024 | Available on the DMO's Gilt Market Publications webpage at: |
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| DMO : 0 February 2024 | https://www.dmo.gov.uk/publications/ |
| DMO : 9 February 2021 | |
| Information Memorandum relating to the Issue, Stripping and Reconstitution of British Government Stock | https://www.dmo.gov.uk/media/17188/infmemadd301220.pdf |
| DMO: 30 December 2020 | |
| Formulae for Calculating Gilt Prices from Yields | http://www.deco.com/l/modica/AOFF/ddomores/M |
| | http://www.dmo.gov.uk/media/1955/yldeqns.pdf |
| DMO : 16 March 2005 | |

Applications from Members of the Approved Group of Investors

For this auction applications may not be made by members of the Approved Group.

Gilt sales in 2020-21

The progress of gilt sales in 2020-21 is summarised in the table below (which does not include proceeds from the syndicated offering of 0% Index-linked Treasury Gilt 2051 on 9 February 2021).

| Gilt sales in the financial year to 09 February 2021 (£ millions) | | | | | | | |
|---|--------------------|---------|---------|--------------|---------|--|--|
| | Conventional Gilts | | | Index-linked | Total | | |
| | Short | Medium | Long | gilts | | | |
| Auction proceeds to-date | 142,641 | 103,149 | 79,619 | 23,045 | 348,453 | | |
| PAOF proceeds to-date | 15,290 | 14,982 | 12,652 | 3,530 | 46,454 | | |
| Auction and PAOF proceeds to-date | 157,931 | 118,130 | 92,271 | 26,575 | 394,907 | | |
| Syndication sales to-date | 0 | 20,057 | 28,024 | 0 | 48,081 | | |
| Gilt tender sales to date | 0 | 3,361 | 0 | 521 | 3,882 | | |
| Total gilt sales to date | 157,931 | 141,549 | 120,295 | 27,096 | 446,870 | | |
| Planned gilt sales April 2020 - March 2021 | | | | | 485,500 | | |