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ISSUE OF GOVERNMENT STOCK

The United Kingdom Debt Management Office (the "DMO") announces that Her Majesty's Treasury has created on 20 January 2009 an additional amount of the Stock listed below:

£1,250 million 4¼% Treasury Gilt 2027

The issue price was the average accepted price of the Stock at 10:30am in the tender held on 19 January 2009 as certified by the DMO.

The Stock now issued represents a further amount of the existing Stock, carrying the same rights as that Stock and subject to the terms and conditions applicable to that Stock.

The further issue of the Stock will rank for the full six months' interest on the next interest payment date applicable to the Stock.

Application has been made to the UK Listing Authority for the Stock to be admitted to the Official List on 20 January 2009.

Application has also been made to the London Stock Exchange for the Stock to be traded on the London Stock Exchange's regulated market.

Copies of the prospectus for 4¼% Treasury Gilt 2027 dated 29 August 2006 may be obtained from the DMO or the Registrar, Computershare Investor Services PLC at the addresses shown below:

UK Debt Management Office
Eastcheap Court
11 Philpot Lane
London EC3M 8UD

0845 357 6500

Computershare Investor Services PLC
PO Box 2411
The Pavilions
Bristol BS99 6WX

0870 703 0143

The prospectus may also be viewed on the DMO's website at:

www.dmo.gov.uk/documentview.aspx?docName=/gilts/public/prospectus/prosp290806.pdf

Other information and terms relating to the Stock are contained in the Information Memorandum relating to the Issue, Stripping and Reconstitution of British Government Stock, dated August 2007 which is obtainable from the DMO or may be viewed on the DMO website at:

www.dmo.gov.uk/documentview.aspx?docname=publications/operationalrules/infmem200807.pdf

The Stock is repayable, and interest is payable half-yearly, on the dates shown below:

<i>Stock</i>	<i>Redemption date</i>	<i>Interest payment dates</i>
4¼% Treasury Gilt 2027	7 December 2027	7 June 7 December

United Kingdom Debt Management Office

19 January 2009

