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## PRESS NOTICE

## SYNDICATED RE-OPENING OF 01/8 INDEX-LINKED TREASURY GILT 2058 IN THE WEEK COMMENCING 26 JANUARY 2015

The UK Debt Management Office ("the DMO") is announcing today that the fourth and final syndicated offering of the 2014-15 programme, a re-opening of 01/4% Index-linked Treasury Gilt 2058, is expected to take place in the week commencing 26 January 2015, subject to market conditions.

Further details of the sale, including the composition of the syndicate, will be announced in due course.

## **Notes for editors**

The DMO's financing remit for 2014-15, published alongside the Budget on 19 March 2014, included the provision for a programme of syndicated offerings to be held in 2014-15 aiming to raise £17.0 billion (split £8.5 billion index-linked gilts and £8.5 billion long conventional gilts).

The DMO announced on 19 March 2014 that, as in 2013-14, it envisaged using the syndication programme in 2014-15 to launch new gilts and for re-openings of high duration gilts. Depending on market feedback at the quarterly consultation meetings on the choices for such gilts, the DMO said that it envisaged holding approximately four syndicated offerings (one per quarter) in 2014-15.

The results of the three syndicated offerings held in the financial year to-date are summarised in the table below.

Date	Gilt	Size	Issue Price	Issue Yield	Proceeds
		(£mn nom)	(£)	(%)	(£mn cash)
24 Jun 2014	3½% Treasury Gilt 2045	5,000	100.673	3.464	5,024
29 Jul 2014	01/4% Index-linked Treasury Gilt 2058	5,000	107.861	-0.053	5,382
28 Oct 2014	31/2% Treasury Gilt 2068	4,000	114.300	2.966	4,564
Figures may not sum due to rounding					14,970

The sizes of all three transactions were increased above initial planning assumptions, reflecting the quality and number of orders received in each case. As a consequence, the overall size of the gilt syndication programme has been progressively increased by £1.5 billion to £18.5 billion and the size of the planned mini-tender programme was progressively reduced by £1.5 billion to £3.5 billion (the size of the mini-tender programme was further reduced by £1.3 billion to £2.2 billion at Autumn Statement 2014).

On 12 December 2015, the DMO announced that the final syndicated offering of the 2014-15 programme would be a re-opening of 01/8 Index-linked Treasury Gilt 2058. The DMO also announced then that the transaction was expected to be held in the second half of January 2015 (with further details announced around two weeks in advance).

01/2% Index-linked Treasury Gilt 2058 was launched via a £5.0 billion (nominal) syndicated offering on 29 July 2014.

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