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PRESS NOTICE

AUCTION OF BRITISH GOVERNMENT STOCK

Auction Details

Auction Date	Tuesday, 7 June 2016		
Issue and Settlement Date	Wednesday, 8 June 2016		
Bidding Convention	Fully paid Bid Price (see Note 1)		
Accrued Interest payable with bid	£0.011612 per £100 nominal		
Auction Close	10:30am London Time		

Details of Security

Title	4¼% Treasury Gilt 2046				
Amount (nominal) for auction	£1,500 million (fungible with previous issues) (see Note 3)				
Nominal outstanding after auction	£22,654.5 million				
Maturity Date	7 December 2046 at par				
Interest Dates	7 June – 7 December				
ISIN Code	GB00B128DP45				
SEDOL Code	B-128-DP4				
Strippable	Yes, since 8 June 2006				
Interest Payable	Gross (see Note 2)				
Next Interest Date	7 December 2016 (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 later than 10.30 am on Tuesday. 7 June 2016.

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 15% 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.

Documentation

Prospectus DMO : 31 May 2016	http://www.dmo.gov.uk/documentview.aspx?docName=/gilts/public/prospectus/prosp310516a.pdf
Information Memorandum relating to the Issue, Stripping and Reconstitution of British Government Stock DMO: March 2016	http://www.dmo.gov.uk/documentview.aspx?docName=/publications/operationalrules/infmemadd240316.pdf
Formulae for Calculating Gilt Prices from Yields DMO: 16 March 2005	www.dmo.gov.uk/documentview.aspx?docname=/giltsmarket/formulae/yldeq ns.pdf

Applications from Members of the Approved Group of Investors

Application forms from Approved Group members must be sent to Computershare Investor Services PLC, who is acting on behalf of the DMO, at the following address: British Government Stocks (Gilts), Computershare Investor Services PLC, The Pavilions, Bridgwater Road, Bristol, BS99 6ZW to arrive not later than 10.00 am on Tuesday, 7 June 2016. They may also be lodged by hand at the DMO, Eastcheap Court, 11 Philpot Lane, London, EC3M 8UD not later than 10.00 am on Tuesday, 7 June 2016.

The amount payable on application in the case of a non-competitive bid made by a member of the Approved Group is £155 per £100 nominal of the Gilt.

Remit 2016-17

Gilt sales of £131.5 billion (cash) are planned in 2016-17 and progress against the remit is summarised in the table below (which may not include the amount of gilts issued under the Post Auction Option Facility for the most recent auction, if any).

Gilt sales relative to remit plans at 31 May 2016 (£ millions)								
	Conventional Gilts			Index-linked	Total			
	Short	Medium	Long	gilts				
Auction proceeds to-date	5,664	4,960	4,188	2,651	17,464			
PAOF proceeds to-date	850	744	326	115	2,034			
Auction and PAOF proceeds to-date	6,513	5,704	4,514	2,766	19,498			
Syndication sales to-date	0	0	5,033	4,655	9,688			
Gilt tender sales to date	0	0	0	0	0			
Total gilt sales to date	6,513	5,704	9,547	7,421	29,186			
Auction sales required to meet plans	24,487	19,496	22,786	11,734	78,502			
Number of auctions remaining	9	8	10	9	36			
Current average auction sizes	2,721	2,437	2,279	1,304				
Planned gilt sales at auctions	31,000	25,200	27,300	14,500	98,000			
Number of auctions scheduled	11	10	12	11	44			
Minimum syndication sales plan	-	-	9,500	16,500	26,000			
Syndication sales required to meet minimum plan	-	-	4,467	11,845	16,312			
Remaining unallocated sales					7,500			
Balance of total supplementary gilt sales					23,812			
Total planned supplementary gilt sales					33,500			
Total planned gilt sales					131,500			