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LORD CHAMBERLAIN'S OFFICE,

ST. JAMES' PALACE, March 25, 1897.

OTICE is hereby given that The Queen's Birthday will be Celebrated in London alone on Wednesday the 26th of May next, and at all other Stations, Naval and Military, on Monday the 24th of May next.

LOCAL AUTHORITIES LOANS (SCOT-LAND) ACTS, 1891 and 1893.

(54 and 55 Vict. c. 34, and 56 Vict. c. 8.)

ORDER of the Secretary for Scotland confirming Resolutions of the Town Council of the Royal Burgh of Dunfermline for the creation of Redeemable Stock.

WHEREAS by section 6 of the Local Authorities Loans (Scotland) Act, 1891 (hereinafter called the first recited Act), as amended by section 4, sub-section (2) of the Local Authorities Loans (Scotland) Act, 1891, Amendment Act, 1893 (hereinafter called the second recited Act), it is provided that a resolution of a Local Authority, as in section 5 of the first recited Act, shall not take effect unless and until—

(1) It is confirmed at a subsequent meeting of the Local Authority held after the resolution has been published in the prescribed manner, and after the expiration of the prescribed time, being not earlier than fourteen days after the first publication of such resolution; and (2) It is confirmed by the Secretary for Scotland with or without modifications by an Order under his hand and seal of Office.

And whereas the Town Council of the Royal Burgh of Dunfermline are the Local Authority in the said Burgh for the purposes of the first and second recited Acts.

And whereas resolutions for the creation of redeemable stock under the said Acts were adopted by the Town Council of the Royal Burgh of Dunfermline at a meeting held on the 8th day of February 1897, and were confirmed by the said Town Council at a subsequent meeting held after the resolution had been published in the prescribed manner, and after the expiration of the prescribed time, on the 8th day of March 1897.

And whereas these resolutions have been submitted to me for confirmation with or without modifications in terms of the aforesaid Acts.

Now, therefore, I, the Right Honourable Alexander Hugh, Lord Balfour of Burleigh, Her Majesty's Secretary for Scotland, do hereby confirm the said resolutions in the form in which they appear in the schedule appended to this Order.

Given under my hand and seal of Office at Whitehall this 9th day of April 1897.



BALFOUR or BURLEIGH, Her Majesty's Secretary for Scotland.

SCHEDULE OF RESOLUTIONS.

prescribed time, being not earlier than Resolved, First,—That under the authority and fourteen days after the first publication of subject to the provisions of the Local Authorities such resolution: and Loans (Scotland) Acts, 1891 and 1893, the Town