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TUESDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1939.

Westminster, 14th December 1939.

This day the Royal Assent was given by Commission to the following Acts:—

Expiring Laws Continuance Act, 1939.

Postponement of Enactments (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act, 1939.

House of Laity (Postponement of Election) Measure, 1939.

TENDERS FOR TREASURY BILLS.

- 1. The Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice that Tenders will be received at the Chief Cashier's Office, at the Bank of England, on Friday the 22nd December 1939, at 1 p.m., for Treasury Bills to be issued under the Treasury Bills Act, 1877, the National Debt Act, 1889, and the National Loans Act, 1939, to the amount of £65,000,000.
- 2. The Bills will be in amounts of £5000, £10,000, £50,000, or £100,000. They will be dated at the option of the Tenderer on any business day from Wednesday the 27th December 1939 to Saturday the 30th December 1939 inclusive, and will be payable at three months after date,

- 3. The Bills will be issued and paid at the Bank of England.
- 4. Each Tender must be for an amount not less than £50,000, and must specify the date on which the Bills required are to be dated, and the net amount per cent. (being an even multiple of one penny) which will be given for the amount applied for. Separate Tenders must be lodged for Bills of different dates.
- 5. Tenders must be made through a London Banker, Discount House, or Broker.
- 6. The persons whose Tenders are accepted will be informed of the same not later than the following day, and payment in full of the amounts of the accepted Tenders must be made to the Bank of England by means of Cash or a Banker's Draft on the Bank of England not later than 1.30 p.m. (Saturday 12 noon) on the day on which the relative Bills are to be dated.
- 7. Members of the House of Commons are not precluded from tendering for these Bills.
- 8. Tenders must be made on the printed forms which may be obtained from the Chief Cashier's Office, Bank of England.
- 9. The Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury reserve the right of rejecting any Tenders.

Treasury Chambers, 15th December 1939.