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State Intelligence

TREASURY

Treasury Chambers, London S.W.1 20th September 1968.

TENDERS FOR TREASURY BILLS

1. The Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's 1. The Lords Commissioners of Her 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 27th September 1968, at 1 p.m. for Treasury Bills to be issued under the Treasury Bills Act, 1877, and the National Loans Act, 1968, to the amount of £150,000,000. 2. The Bills will be in amounts of £5,000, £10,000, £25,000, £50,000, £100,000 or £250,000. They will be deted at the option of the tenderer on any hypiness

be dated at the option of the tenderer on any business day from Monday the 30th September 1968 to Saturday the 5th October 1968, inclusive, and will be due 91 days 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 a multiple of one penny) which will be given for the amount applied for. Separate Tenders must be lodged for Bills of different dates dates.

5. Tenders must be made through a London Banker, Discount House or Broker.

6. Notification will be sent, on the same day as Tenders are received, to the persons whose Tenders are accepted in whole or in part and payment in full of the amounts due in respect of such accepted Tenders must be made to the Bank of England by means of cash or by draft or cheque drawn on the Bank of England not later than 1.30 p.m. (Saturday 11 a.m.) on the day on which the relative Bills are

11 a.m.) on the day on which the relative buils 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 Her Majesty's Treasury reserve the right of rejecting any Tenders.

DEPARTMENT OF EMPLOYMENT AND PRODUCTIVITY

Safety, Health and Welfare Department, Baynards House, 1 Chepstow Place, Westbourne Grove

London W.2.

The Secretary of State for Employment and Produc-tivity hereby gives notice that on 10th September 1968, she made the Electricity Regulations, 1908 (Competent Persons Exemption) Order, 1968.

The Order exempts from the requirements of Regulation 28 of the Electricity Regulations, 1908, that Regulation 25 of the Electricity Regulations, 1908, that they shall be over 21 years of age, competent persons (undertaking in factories and certain other places dangerous work of a kind specified in that Regulation) who are over 18 years of age and either (a) have completed a course of training as specified in the Order, or (b) are in the third or any subsequent year of who course of training as specified in the of such a course of training.

> PRICES AND INCOMES ACT, 1966 Office Staff Employment Agencies : Charges and Salaries

Direction under section 5 (4) further extending the period within which the National Board for Prices and Incomes must publish their report.

Whereas the Secretary of State for Economic Affairs and the Minister of Labour, in pursuance of their powers under section 2 (1) of the Prices and Incomes

powers under section 2 (1) of the Prices and Incomes Act 1966, referred the above-mentioned question to the National Board for Prices and Incomes for examination and have published the text of the reference in the Gazette on 22nd March 1968; And whereas by section 5 (3) of the Act, but subject to section 5 (4), the Board are required to make their report so as to allow publication within three months of the said date; And whereas the First Secretary of State and Secretary of State for Employment and Productivity, in pursuance of her powers under the said section 5 (4), by a direction published in the Gazette on 20th June 1968, extended the said period of three months by three months; Now, therefore, the First Secretary of State and Secretary of State for Employment and Productivity, in pursuance of her powers under the said section

in pursuance of her powers under the said section 5 (4), hereby directs that the said period of three months be further extended by two months.

WELSH OFFICE

HIGHWAYS ACT 1959

The East of Christchurch—Tredegar Park Special Road (Malpas Road Side Road) Order 196 .

The Secretary of State hereby gives notice that he proposes, in relation to the East of Christchurch— Tredegar Park Special Road in the county of Mon-mouth, to make under section 13 of the above Act an Order which will authorise the Secretary of State to stop up the two junctions of old Malpas Road with the realigned Malpas Road in the vicinity of the route of the above mentioned Special Road.

Copies of the draft Order and of the relevant plans may be inspected free of charge at all reason-able hours from 20th September 1968 to 20th December 1968 at the Welsh Office Roads Division, Graham Buildings, Newport Road, Cardiff and at