the Bills required are to be dated, and the net amount per cent. (being a multiple of one new half-penny) which will be given for the amount applied for. Separate Tenders must be lodged for Bills of different dates.

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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. 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. 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 Her Majesty's Treasury reserve the right of rejecting any Tenders.

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4 PER CENT VICTORY BONDS-ANNUAL DRAWING

The Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury give notice in accordance with the Regulations dated 29th May 1920 for the drawing of 4 per cent. Victory Bonds, as amended, that the 52nd annual drawing of these Bonds will take place on Tuesday, 8th June

The list of Bonds drawn will be published as a special supplement to the London Gazette on Friday, 18th June 1971.

THE CAPITAL GAINS TAX (EXEMPT GILT-EDGED SECURITIES) ORDER 1971

In accordance with section 41 (2) of the Finance Act 1969 the Treasury give notice that an Order entitled The Capital Gains Tax (Exempt Gilt-edged Securities) Order 1971 has been made under the provisions of that Act and section.

This Order adds the following gilt-edged securities to the category of stocks and bonds which are exempt from tax on capital gains if held for more than

12 months:

6½ per cent. Treasury Stock 1976; 9 per cent. Treasury Loan 1992/96.

The Order will be published as Instrument 1971 No. 793. Statutory

FOREIGN AND COMMONWEALTH OFFICE

12 May 1971.

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to appoint, with effect from the dates respectively indicated:

Sir Robin William John Hooper, K.C.M.G., D.S.O., D.F.C., to be Her Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary at Athens. (24 February 1971.

Ronald Stratford Scrivener, Esquire, C.M.G., to be Her Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary at Propose (20 April 1971)

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The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to appoint, with effect from the dates respectively indicated:

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Kenneth Hern Jones, Esquire, to be Her Majesty's Consul at Tegucigalpa. (16 March 1971).

Leslie Percival Fernandez, Esquire, to be Her Majesty's Consul at Algeciras. (2 May 1969).

Richard John Joseph Shears, Esquire, to be Her Majesty's Consul at Milan. (13 March 1971).

William Hill Lawson, Esquire, M.B.E., to be Her Majesty's Consul at New York. (1 January 1971).

Geoffrey Hunter Baker, Esquire, C.M.G., to be Her Majesty's Consul-General for the Socialists Republics of Croatia and Slovenia. to reside at Zagreh. Republics of Croatia and Slovenia, to reside at Zagreb.

Republics of Croatia and Slovenia, to reside at Zagreb. (8 April 1971).

Dudley Francis Preece Williams, Esquire, M.B.E., to be Her Majesty's Consul-General for the State of Hawaii and the Islands of Guam, Johnston and Wake as well as the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands administered by the United States of America, comprising the remainder of the Marianas and the Caroline and Marshall Islands, to reside at Honolulu. (1 March 1971).

6 April 1971.

The QUEEN has been pleased to approve of:

Mr. Charles E. Taber as Consul for the United

States of America at Kutching for Brunei; Señor Gaston Fournier Facio as Consul-General for

Costa Rica in London;
Monsieur Achilleus Exarhos as Consul-General for Greece in London;
Monsieur George A. Pyle as Consul for Greece at Newcastle-upon-Tyne;
Mr. Pieter Hendrik Viljoen as Consul-General for South Africa et Glegeron;

South Africa at Glasgow; Señorita Margarita Vanessa Maciá as Vice-Consul for Panama in Hong Kong.

27 April 1971.

Herr Doctor Helmut Turk as Consul for Germany at Sydney for the British Solomon Islands and the New Hebrides Condominium;

Mr. Raul C. H. Rabe as Vice-Consul for the Philippines in London;
Señora Maria Helena de Crovo as Consul-General for Colombia in London;
Señor Don Santiago de Churruca, Conde de Campo

Rey as Consul for Spain in London.

10 May 1971.

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to appoint the undermentioned to be Officers in Her Majesty's Diplomatic Service: 22 April 1971.

Miss Eileen Therese O'Toole; William Henry Hill, Esquire;
Richard John Saltwell, Esquire;
Donald Henry Gair Rose, Esquire;
Selwyn Prince, Esquire;
Joseph Richard Backhouse, Esquire;
Charles Patrick Buchanan Howell, Esquire; Charles Patrick Buchanan Howell, Esquire Ralph John Griffiths, Esquire; Gwynne Tudor Williams, Esquire; Peter James Kirchner, Esquire, M.B.E.; Antony John McNeil Walter, Esquire; Bernard Damien Gately, Esquire; Robert Geldard Goodban, Esquire, M.C.; Alfred Stephen Cuthbert, Esquire; Edwin William James Lensh, Esquire; Leslie Walter Verdun Raybould, Esquire.

26 April 1971.

Charles Raymond Whittingdale, Esquire; John Robert Moore, Esquire; Richard Laurence Brooks, Esquire; John William MacDonald, Esquire; Dennis Victor Thornley, Esquire; Ronald William Newman, Esquire; Miss Annie Elizabeth Fisher, M.B.E.

WELSH OFFICE

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Town and Country Planning Acts

1962 and 1968

The Secretary of State for Wales hereby gives notice that, on the application of the County Council of Monmouthshire, he has made an Order under section 92 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1968

tion 92 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1968 for extinguishing any rights which persons may have to use vehicles on that length of Victoria Street, in the Borough of Abergavenny, in the County of Monmouthshire, which extends from its junction with Baker Street to a point 29 yards west of that junction. Copies of the Order may be obtained, free of charge, on application to the Secretary of State, Welsh Office, Roads Division (Y Swyddfa Gymreig, Adran Ffyrdd), Graham Buildings, 139 Newport Road, Cardiff, CF2 1YU (quoting the reference R 15/230/4) and may be inspected at all reasonable hours at the offices of the Abergavenny Borough Council, Town Hall, Abergavenny, Monmouthshire.

Any person aggrieved by the Order and desiring to question the validity thereof, or of any provision contained therein, on the ground that it is not within the powers of the above Acts or that any requirement of those Acts or of any regulations made thereunder

of those Acts or of any regulations made thereunder has not been complied with in relation to the Order, may, within 6 weeks of the 25th May 1971, apply to the High Court for the suspension or quashing of the Order or of any provision contained therein.