

**RATES OF INTEREST ON LOANS BY THE
PUBLIC WORKS LOAN COMMISSIONERS
TO LOCAL AUTHORITIES**

The Treasury hereby give notice that in accordance with the powers conferred upon them by the National Loans Act 1968 the following rates of interest shall be charged on loans made by the Public Works Loan Commissioners on and after 4th May 1974.

Loans to local authorities as defined in paragraph 1 of Schedule 4 to the said Act.

Period of Loan	Per cent per annum.			
	Lower		Higher	
	Loans repayable:		Loans repayable:	
	By Instalments	At Maturity	By Instalments	At Maturity
Up to 5 years ...	12½	12½	13½	13½
Over 5 but not over 10 years ...	12½	13½	13½	14
Over 10 but not over 15 years ...	13½	14½	13½	14½
Over 15 but not over 25 years ...	14	14½	14	14½
Over 25 years ...	14½	14½	14½	14½

The amount which an authority borrows within its annual quota as determined by the said Commissioners will bear interest at the appropriate rate in the lower set of rates. Where authorities borrow further sums these will attract interest in the higher set of rates, unless the said Commissioners agree that they should be offset against the following year's quota. Different rates of interest apply according to whether the principal of a loan is repaid by instalments or at maturity.

Treasury Chambers,
Great George Street,
London SW1P 3AG

1st May 1974.

WELSH OFFICE

Y SWYDDFA GYMREIG

TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT 1971

The Secretary of State for Wales hereby gives notice that he proposes to make an Order under section 209 of the Town and Country Planning Act 1971 to authorise the stopping up of that length of highway described in the Schedule below to enable redevelopment to be carried out in accordance with a planning permission granted by Monmouthshire County Council under Part III of that Act.

During 28 days from 3rd May 1974 copies of the draft Order and relevant plan may be inspected at all reasonable hours at the Gwent County Council Offices, County Hall, Newport, Gwent, and may be obtained free of charge from the Secretary of State (quoting Reference R15/356/4) at the address stated below.

Within the above-mentioned period of 28 days any person may by notice 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 R15/356/4) object to the making of the Order.

L. Pritchard, An Assistant Secretary, Welsh Office.

SCHEDULE

The highway to be stopped up is at Pontymister in the District of Islwyn in the County of Gwent. It is shown by zebra hatching on the deposited plan and is that length of un-named highway which extends from its junction with Maryland Road-Wellspring Terrace in an easterly direction for a distance of approximately 34 yards.

Y SWYDDFA GYMREIG

The Trunk Road (40 m.p.h. Speed Limit) (No.) (Wales) Order 1974

Notice is hereby given that the Secretary of State for Wales intends to make an Order under sections 74(1) and 84D(1) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1967, as amended by Part IX of the Transport Act 1968 the effect of which will be that no person shall drive any motor vehicle at a

speed exceeding 40 miles per hour in that length of road specified in the Schedule to this notice.

The proposed Order will have the effect of extending the existing 40 m.p.h. speed limit by approximately 60 yards.

A copy of the draft Order together with a plan and a Statement of Reasons for making the Order may be seen during normal office hours at the offices of Clwyd County Council, Shire Hall, Mold, Clwyd.

Objections to the proposed Order should be sent to the Secretary of State, Welsh Office, Roads Division (Y Swyddfa Gymreig, Adran Ffyrdd), Graham Buildings, 139 Newport Road, Cardiff CF2 1YU by 31st May 1974 quoting the reference number R16/226/12.
Dated 28th February 1974.

L. Pritchard, An Assistant Secretary, Welsh Office.

SCHEDULE

That length of the London-Holyhead Trunk Road (A.5), at Chirk in the county of Clwyd, which extends from a point 130 yards north of the northern side of its junction with Colliery Road in a northerly direction for a distance of 1,142 yards.

Y SWYDDFA GYMREIG

Town and Country Planning Act, 1971.

The Secretary of State for Wales hereby gives notice that he proposes to make an Order under section 209 of the Town and Country Planning Act, 1971, to authorise the stopping up of that length of highway described in the Schedule below to enable redevelopment to be carried out in accordance with a planning permission granted by Cardiff County Borough Council under Part III of that Act.

During 28 days from the 3rd May 1974 copies of the draft Order and relevant plan may be inspected at all reasonable hours at the offices of the Cardiff City Council, City Hall, Cardiff, and may be obtained free of charge from the Secretary of State (quoting reference R15/234/60) at the address stated below.

Within the above-mentioned period of 28 days any person may by notice 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 R15/234/60) object to the making of the Order.

L. Pritchard, An Assistant Secretary, Welsh Office.

SCHEDULE

The highway to be stopped up is in the City of Cardiff. It is shown by zebra hatching on the deposited plan and is that length of an unnamed lane at the rear of the Royal Exchange Public House which extends from its junction with North Morgan Street in a westerly direction for a distance of approximately 16 yards.

Town and Country Planning Act, 1971

The Secretary of State for Wales hereby gives notice that he has made an Order under section 209 of the Town and Country Planning Act, 1971, to authorise the stopping up of that length of highway described in the Schedule below to enable development to be carried out in accordance with a planning permission granted by Cardiff County Borough Council under Part III of that Act.

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 R15/234/61) and may be inspected at all reasonable hours at the offices of Cardiff City Council, City Hall, Cardiff.

Any person aggrieved by the Order and desiring to question the validity thereof, or of any provision contained therein, on the grounds that it is not within the powers of the above Act or that any requirement of that Act or of any regulations made thereunder has not been complied with in relation to the Order may, within 6 weeks of the 3rd May 1974, apply to the High Court for the suspension or quashing of the Order or of any provision contained therein.

L. Pritchard, An Assistant Secretary, Welsh Office.