## Public Notices

AN ACCOUNT pursuant to the Bank Notes (Scotland) Act, 1845, the Currency and Bank Notes Act, 1928, and the Coinage Act, 1971, of the Amount of Notes authorised by Law to be issued by the several Banks of Issue in Scotland, and the Average Amount of Notes in Circulation, and of Bank of England Notes and Coin held during the Four Weeks ended Saturday, the 5th day of December 1981.

Name and Title as set forth on Licence	Name of Firm	Approved Offices	Circulation authorised by Certificate	Average Circulation during four weeks ended as above			Average Amount of Bank of England Notes and Coin held during four weeks ended as above		
				£5 and upwards	Under £5	Total	*Gold and Bank of England Notes	Coin other than Gold Coin	Total
			£				<del></del>		
Bank of Scotland	The Governor and Company of the Bank of	{Edinburgh }	1,289,222	150,219,001	13,010,368	163,229,369	165,260,947	4,175,883	169,436,830
The Royal Bank of Scotland Ltd.	Scotland The Royal Bank of Scotland Ltd.	{Edinburgh }	888,355	228,017,304	19,653,061	247,670,365	251,252,288	4,822,530	256,074,818
Clydesdale Bank Ltd.	Clydesdale Bank Ltd.	Glasgow Aberdeen	498,773	129,453,560	10,894,690	140,348,250	144,884,501	3,841, 296	148,725,797

I hereby certify that each of the Bankers named in the above Return, who have in circulation an amount of Notes beyond that authorised in their Certificates have held an amount of Bank of England Notes and Gold and Coin other than Gold Coin not less than that which they are required to hold during the period to which this Return relates.

Dated 22nd day of December 1981.

W. T. Lyons, Registrar of Bank Returns.

<sup>\*</sup>This column includes Bank of England Notes deposited at the Bank of England which, by virtue of Section 9 (1) of the Currency and Bank Notes Act, 1928, are to be treated as Gold Coin held by the Bank.