

Website News 26.07.2000

The summary of the HM Inspectorate of Constabulary Thematic Inspection Calling Time on Crime is now available on the Crime Reduction Website. See:
<http://www.crimereduction.gov.uk/HMICreport.htm>

Public***Press Release 02.08.2000**

HM Treasury – Public Spending Must Be Matched With Higher Productivity
<http://213.38.88.195/coi/coipress.nsf>

White Paper

Spending Review 2000: Public Service Agreements 2001–2004.

International Affairs

European Policy**Green Paper**

European Commission Review of Directive 93/13/EEC on Unfair Terms in Consumer Contracts – A Consultation Paper. Copies from DTI Tel: 020 7215 6505.

Website: <http://www.dti.gov.uk/cacp/ca>

Comments by 20 September 2000

Foreign Policy***Press Release 02.08.2000**

FCO – FCO Daily Bulletin Wednesday 2 August 2000
<http://213.38.88.195/coi/coipress.nsf>

Trade, Industry & Energy

Communications**Website News**

The Radiocommunications Agency has updated its web site. See the RA's What's New page:
http://www.radio.gov.uk/whats_n/new.htm

Competition***Press Release 02.08.2000**

DTI – Winding-Up Orders Of Two Companies Made Today
<http://213.38.88.195/coi/coipress.nsf>

***Press Release 02.08.2000**

DTI – Western Power Distribution Limited/Hydr Plc
<http://213.38.88.195/coi/coipress.nsf>

***European Press Release 02.08.2000**

Commission clears acquisition by Callahan of a second Deutsche Telekom regional cable TV network
<http://www.europa.eu.int/rapid/start/>

***European Press Release 02.08.2000**

Commission clears Rio Tinto takeover bid for Australia's North
<http://www.europa.eu.int/rapid/start/>

***European Press Release 02.08.2000**

Commission clears acquisition of joint control of COKOWI by OMV and Rheinbraun
<http://www.europa.eu.int/rapid/start/>

Website News 01.08.2000

The Director General of Fair Trading's Annual report for 1999 is now available on the OFT website. See:
<http://www.offt.gov.uk/html/ari1999/index.html>

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John Bridgeman, Director General of Fair Trading, has today passed his advice on the future of the Beer Orders to Stephen Byers, Secretary of State for Trade and Industry. See:
<http://www.offt.gov.uk/html/new/beer-statement.htm>

Website News 01.08.2000

The Office of Fair Trading is seeking comments on: the Acquisition by Trodat Gmbh of Mbf Group Ltd, the Acquisition by Gwr Group Plc of the radio interests of Daily Mail and General Trust Plc, namely DMG Radio Group, the Proposed acquisition by QBE Corporate Capital Holding plc of Limit plc. See:
<http://www.offt.gov.uk/>

Website News 28.07.2000

The Office of Fair Trading is seeking comments on: the Acquisition by JSB Software Technologies Plc of Cyber Patrol, the Proposed acquisition by Norsk Hydro (UK) Ltd of Deeside Aluminium Ltd. See:
<http://www.offt.gov.uk/>

Website News 27.07.2000

The Office of Fair Trading is seeking comments on: the Proposed acquisition by National Express Group Plc of Prism Rail Plc, the Acquisition by Capital Radio Plc of Beat 106 Limited and the Proposed acquisition by Publicis Sa of the entire issued share capital of Saatchi and Saatchi plc. See:
<http://www.offt.gov.uk/>

Property**Green Paper 25.07.2000**

Housing and Land: Proposed New Procedures. Copies from Paula Byer, Lord Chancellor's Dept, Civil Justice Division, 3rd Floor, Selborne House, 54–60 Victoria Street, London SW1E 6QW. Tel: 020 7210 0603
 Website: <http://www.open.gov.uk/lcd-WhatsNew/>

Utilities***Press Release 02.08.2000**

DETR – Delay To The Mid Kent Water Trial
<http://213.38.88.195/coi/coipress.nsf>

***Press Release 02.08.2000**

DETR – Anglian Water Leads The Way With New Technology
<http://213.38.88.195/coi/coipress.nsf>

Website News 27.07.2000

The Office of Water Services (Ofwat) has published : Levels of service for the water industry in England and Wales: 1999–2000 report. See:
<http://www.open.gov.uk/ofwat/pdf/los2000.pdf>

Social Policy

Education***Press Release 02.08.2000**

DfEE – Over 33,000 Entries To National Writing Competition
<http://213.38.88.195/coi/coipress.nsf>

Health**Green Paper 25.07.2000**

Folic Acid and the Prevention of Disease – Consultation by the UK Health Departments and the Food Standards Agency. Copies from Dept of Health. Tel: 020 7210 3000 Website:
<http://www.doh.gov.uk/folicacid>
 Comments by 31 October 2000

Health & Safety***Press Release 02.08.2000**

Health & Safety Executive – HSE Reports On Performance Of Awe Sites New Contract
<http://213.38.88.195/coi/coipress.nsf>