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2488th Council Meeting - General Affairs - Brussels, 24 February 2003
<http://www.europa.eu.int/rapid/start/>

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Romano Prodi President Of The European Commission Hearing Before The French National Assembly - Delegation For The European Union French National Assembly Paris, 12 March 2003
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Commission Regrets Failure Of UN Efforts To Solve The Cyprus Problem And Confirm Accession Process Will Go Ahead As Scheduled
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The Rt Hon Chris Patten Commissioner For External Relations Iraq European Parliament Debate In Plenary Strasbourg, 12 March 2003
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Wider Europe Neighbourhood: Proposed New Framework For Relations With The EU's Eastern And Southern Neighbours
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Commissioner Chris Patten To Visit Croatia And Serbia And Montenegro
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Statement By President Prodi Following The Assassination Of Serbian Premier Djindjic
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Trade, Industry & Energy**Business*****Press Release 12.03.2003**

DTI - Berger & Company Wound Up
<http://www.nds.coi.gov.uk/>

Communications**Green Paper 04 03 2003**

Communications Bill
 Draft Numbering Exclusion Order; Draft Rules For Calculation Of Turnover Order; Draft Universal Service Order Copies From Communications And Information Industries Directorate Department Of Trade And Industry
 Tel: 020 7215 5000
 HYPERLINK
 Website: <http://www.dit.gov.uk>
 Comments By 30 April 2003

Competition***Press Release 12.03.2003**

Office of Fair Trading - Market Investigation Reference Guidance Published
<http://www.nds.coi.gov.uk/>

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DTI - Merger Clearances
<http://www.nds.coi.gov.uk/>

Customs & Excise***Press Release 12.03.2003**

HM Customs & Excise - £500,000 Cash Seized Off Streets By Customs
<http://www.nds.coi.gov.uk/>

Electronic Commerce**Website News 07.03.2003**

Inland Revenue
 Electronic Business: Paye/Nic & Payroll - User Guides (Pdf 161k) Eb4 (Paye-Edi) - This User Guide Has Been Updated To Include Revised Details Of Software Products That Have Passed The Electronic Exchange Certification Scheme.
<http://www.inlandrevenue.gov.uk/ebu/eb4—paye—edi.pdf>

Website News 05.03.2003

Inland Revenue
 Electronic Business: 2002/2003 Internet Service Technical Pack For Software Developers - Sa Further Documents Have Been Included Within The 2002/03 Technical Pack For Self Assessment. Please Note That This Pack Is Intended For Software Developers Only And Not For Customers Who May Wish To Use The Internet Service.
<http://www.inlandrevenue.gov.uk/ebu/sa—techpack—03/index.htm>

Energy***Press Release 12.03.2003**

DTI - Combined Heat & Power Station At Hythe, Hampshire
<http://www.nds.coi.gov.uk/>

Finance & Banking***Press Release 12.03.2003**

HM Treasury - Ruth Kelly Speech To NAPF Investment Conference
<http://www.nds.coi.gov.uk/>

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Occupational Pensions: Commission Welcomes European Parliament Approval Of Proposed Directive
<http://www.europa.eu.int/rapid/start/>

Taxation**Website News 05.03.2003**

Inland Revenue
 Shares Of Negligible Value
 A List Of Shares Or Securities Formerly Quoted (Largely) On The London Stock Exchange Which Have Been Officially Declared Of Negligible Value.
<http://www.inlandrevenue.gov.uk/cgt/negligible—list.htm>

Website News 12.03.2003

Inland Revenue
 Share Schemes
 The Income Tax (Earnings And Pensions) Act 2003 Has Received Royal Assent And Will Become Law On 6 April 2003. The Legislative References On Our Website Will Be Changed Shortly. From 6 April Formal Approval For New Share Schemes Will No Longer Be Granted Under Schedule 9 ICTA 1988 And The Scheme Rules Will Need To Reflect The New Legislation. The Checklists For Sip, Cspop And Saye Schemes Have Been Changed To Show The New Statutory References.
<http://www.uk-legislation.hmso.gov.uk/acts.htm>