

## Trade, Industry & Energy

### Bankruptcy & Insolvency

#### \*Press Release 03.09.2004

DTI—Official Receiver Appointed As Provisional Liquidator Of Insurance Consultant Following DTI Enquiry  
The Secretary of State for Trade and Industry has presented a petition in the High Court to wind up in the public interest  
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Chafford Insurance Consultants Limited following investigations by the DTI's Companies Investigations Branch.  
<http://www.nds.coi.gov.uk/>

### Competition

#### \*Press Release 03.09.2004

Competition Commission—Inquiry Into Processes For Maintaining High Standards Of Conduct In Public Bodies, Local Government And The National Health Service Continues  
<http://www.nds.coi.gov.uk/>

#### \*European Press Release 03.09.2004

Commission Fines Companies In Copper Plumbing Tubes Cartel  
<http://www.europa.eu.int/rapid/start/>

### Finance & Banking

#### \*European Press Release 03.09.2004

Commission Calls For Stronger Economic And Budgetary Coordination  
<http://www.europa.eu.int/rapid/start/>

#### Eurostat Release 31.08.2004

Euro-Zone Inflation Estimated At 2.3%  
<http://www.europa.eu.int/comm/eurostat/>

#### ONS Release 31.08.2004

Government Deficit And Debt Under The Maastricht Treaty  
<http://www.statistics.gov.uk/pdfdir/maastricht0804.pdf>

### Fuel

#### \*Press Release 03.09.2004

DTI—Red Tape To Be Cut For Liquefied Natural Gas Import Facilities  
Red tape would be cut for new entrants into the GB gas supply market under new proposals announced by the DTI today in a move that would help increase competition and benefit the security of our energy supplies.  
<http://www.nds.coi.gov.uk/>

### Industry

#### Eurostat Release 02.09.2004

Industrial Producer Prices Up By 0.4% In Both Euro-Zone And Eu25  
<http://www.europa.eu.int/comm/eurostat/>

### Trade

#### \*European Press Release 03.09.2004

Pascal Lamy Returns To South-East Asia To Strengthen Regional Trade Links  
<http://www.europa.eu.int/rapid/start/>

#### Eurostat Release 03.09.2004

Volume Of Retail Trade Up By 1.1% In Euro-Zone  
<http://www.europa.eu.int/comm/eurostat/>

## Social Policy

### Employment

#### \*Press Release 03.09.2004

DTI—Output And Employment In The Construction Industry: Second Quarter 2004  
<http://www.nds.coi.gov.uk/>

#### \*Press Release 03.09.2004

Department For Work And Pensions—Dixons Group Joins Forces With Jobcentre Plus  
Dixons Group will fill more than 1,000 new positions annually with the help of Jobcentre Plus after a new recruitment agreement was signed today  
<http://www.nds.coi.gov.uk/>

#### Eurostat Release 01.09.2004

Euro-Zone Unemployment Stable At 9.0%  
<http://www.europa.eu.int/comm/eurostat/>

#### ONS Release 31.08.2004

Low -Income Dynamics  
[http://www.dwp.gov.uk/asd/hbai/low\\_income/first\\_release\\_L.pdf](http://www.dwp.gov.uk/asd/hbai/low_income/first_release_L.pdf)

### Education

#### \*Press Release 03.09.2004

NHS Modernisation Agency—Over £1m To Support Science In Under-Achieving Schools  
The Planet Science Outreach Programme, managed by NESTA (the National Endowment for Science, Technology and the Arts) for DFES (Department for Education and Skills), has brought its total support for schools with low levels of attainment in science to over £1 million with its final round of awards.  
<http://www.nds.coi.gov.uk/>

### Families & Children

#### ONS Release 31.08.2004

Divorces Rise Again In England And Wales  
<http://www.statistics.gov.uk/pdfdir/divorces0804.pdf>

### Health

#### \*Press Release 03.09.2004

Department Of Health—NHS Waiting List Figures To 31 July 2004  
Statistical Press Notice.  
<http://www.nds.coi.gov.uk/>

#### ONS Release 02.09.2004

Hospital Waiting List Figures  
<http://www.ni-executive.gov.uk/press/hss/040902a-hss.htm>

### Health & Safety

#### \*Press Release 03.09.2004

Health & Safety Executive—Surfing For Safety  
A new website for the surface engineering industry has been launched by the Health and Safety Executive (HSE).  
<http://www.nds.coi.gov.uk/>

#### \*European Press Release 03.09.2004

Nuclear Safety At Sellafield: The Commission Turns To The Court Of Justice  
<http://www.europa.eu.int/rapid/start/>