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# **PRESS NOTICE**

### **AUCTION OF BRITISH GOVERNMENT STOCK**

### **Auction Details**

Auction Date	Wednesday, 20 June 2018		
Issue and Settlement Date	Thursday, 21 June 2018		
Bidding Convention	Uniform Price (see Note 1)		
Accrued interest payable with bid	Nil		
Auction Close	10:30am London Time		

### **Details of Security**

Title	01/2% Index-linked Treasury Gilt 2028				
Amount (nominal) for auction	£1,250 million (see Note 5)				
Nominal outstanding after auction	£1,250 million				
Maturity Date	10 August 2028				
Interest Dates	10 February and 10 August				
Parent ISIN Code	GB00BZ1NTB69				
Parent SEDOL Code	B-Z1N-TB6				
Reference Index applicable to first issue date	279.23333 (as at 21 June 2018) (see Note 4)				
Interest Payable	Gross (see Note 2)				
Next Interest Date	10 February 2019 (Long First Coupon) (see Note 3)				

## "When Issued" Trading

under London Stock Exchange Rule 1530

Commences	3:30pm London Time: 12 June 2018
Closes	Close of business: 20 June 2018
"When issued" ISIN Code	GB00BZ1NTB69
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TIDM (for trade reporting)	AUC

Note 1: Bids may be made on either a competitive or a non-competitive basis. Details of the bidding procedures are set out in the prospectus and in the Information Memorandum. Index-linked Gilt-edged Market Makers may bid by means of the Bloomberg Bond Auction System to the DMO not later than 10.30 am on Wednesday, 20 June 2018.

Note 2: Holders may elect to have United Kingdom income tax deducted from interest payments, should they so wish, on application to the Registrar, Computershare Investor Services PLC.

Note 3: Actual amount of interest per £100 nominal will be (1+(50/181)) x £0.0625 x Index Ratio for 10 February 2019 and expressed as a percentage in pounds sterling to six places of decimals and rounded to the nearest figure.

Note 4: The Reference Index for the first calendar day of any calendar month shall be the Retail Price Index figure for the calendar month falling three calendar months earlier. The Reference Index for any other day in the month shall be calculated by linear interpolation between the Reference Index applicable to the first calendar day of the month in which the day falls and the Reference Index applicable to the first calendar day of the month immediately following. Interpolated values for the Reference Index for any date should be rounded to the nearest 5th decimal place.

Note 5: Subject to the provisions of the Information Memorandum, this auction will be eligible for the Post Auction Option Facility of an additional amount of the Gilt equivalent to 15% of the nominal amount of the Gilt allocated at the auction. Details of the Post Auction Option Facility procedures are set out in the Information Memorandum.

#### **Documentation**

Prospectus DMO: 12 June 2018	https://www.dmo.gov.uk/media/15538/prosp120618.pdf
Information Memorandum relating to the Issue, Stripping and Reconstitution of British Government Stock  DMO: January 2017	http://www.dmo.gov.uk/media/14590/infmemadd200117.pdf
Formulae for Calculating Gilt Prices from Yields  DMO: 16 March 2005	www.dmo.gov.uk/media/1955/yldeqns.pdf

### **Applications from Members of the Approved Group of Investors**

Application forms from Approved Group members must be sent to Computershare Investor Services PLC, who are acting on behalf of the DMO, at the following address: British Government Stocks (Gilts), Computershare Investor Services PLC, The Pavilions, Bridgwater Road, Bristol, BS99 6ZW to arrive not later than 10.00 am on Wednesday, 20 June 2018. They may also be lodged by hand at the DMO, Eastcheap Court, 11 Philpot Lane, London, EC3M 8UD not later than 10.00 am on Wednesday, 20 June 2018. The amount payable on application in the case of a non-competitive bid made by a member of the Approved Group is £122.50 per £100 nominal of the Gilt.

### Remit 2018-19

Gilt sales of £106 billion (cash) are planned in 2018-19 and progress against the remit is summarised in the table below.

Gilt sales relative to remit plans 12 June 2018 (£ millions)							
	Conventional Gilts			Index-linked	Total		
	Short	Medium	Long	gilts			
Auction proceeds to-date	8,356	5,261	2,051	2,641	18,309		
PAOF proceeds to-date	419	60	190	212	881		
Auction and PAOF proceeds to-date	8,775	5,321	2,241	2,853	19,189		
Syndication sales to-date	0	0	5,843	0	5,843		
Gilt tender sales to date	0	0	0	0	0		
Total gilt sales to date	8,775	5,321	8,084	2,853	25,033		
Auction sales required to meet plans	16,825	15,679	18,559	11,047	62,111		
Number of auctions remaining	6	6	8	8	28		
Current average auction sizes	2,804	2,613	2,320	1,381			
Planned gilt sales at auctions	25,600	21,000	20,800	13,900	81,300		
Number of auctions scheduled	9	8	9	10	36		
Minimum syndication sales plan	-	-	10,500	8,500	19,000		
Syndication sales required to meet minimum plan	-	-	4,657	8,500	13,157		
Remaining unallocated sales					5,700		
Total planned supplementary gilt sales					24,700		
Total planned gilt sales					106,000		