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PRESS NOTICE

**NON EXERCISE OF THE POST-AUCTION OPTION FACILITY 1¼% INDEX-LINKED TREASURY GILT
2032**

There were no additional amounts of 1¼% Index-linked Treasury Gilt 2032 purchased during the Post-Auction Option Facility window which closed at 2pm today. The total amount outstanding of 1¼% Index-linked Treasury Gilt 2032 will remain at £12,978.452 million (nominal) £13,517.707 million (index-adjusted) from the auction settlement date.