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BY THE QUEEN

A PROCLAMATION

Appointing Monday, twentieth day of November, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Sixty Seven, a Bank Holiday throughout the United Kingdom for the purposes of the Bank Holidays Act 1871.

ELIZABETH R.

Whereas We consider it desirable that Monday, the twentieth day of November, 1967, shall be kept a close holiday in all banks in the United Kingdom and shall, as regards bills of exchange and promissory notes payable in the United Kingdom, be deemed to be a bank holiday for all the purposes of the Bank Holidays Act 1871:

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by Section 4 of the said Act, We do, by this Our Royal Proclamation, by and with the advice of our Privy Council, appoint the said twentieth day of November to be observed as a bank holiday throughout the United Kingdom.

And we do declare that this Proclamation does not have the effect of making the said day a holiday under, or for the purposes of, the Holidays Extension Act 1875.

Given at Our Court at Windsor Castle, this Nineteenth day of November, in the year of Our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and Sixty Seven, and in the sixteenth year of Our Reign.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN

CROWN OFFICE

Crown Office,
Northern Ireland.

22nd November, 1967.

Letters Patent bearing date the Twenty-first day of November, 1967, have passed the Great Seal of Northern Ireland appointing Harry Pitchforth, Esquire, to be Queen's Printer in Northern Ireland in the room of Sir Percy Faulkner, Knight, C.B.E., C.B., who has retired.

The said Letters Patent were enrolled in the Central Office of the High Court of Justice, Northern Ireland, on the 22nd day of November, 1967.

POST OFFICE

POST OFFICE SAVINGS BANK ACT 1966

Her Majesty's Postmaster General hereby gives notice, pursuant to section 2(4) of the above Act, that on and from 1st January, 1968 the rate of interest payable on existing and future investment deposits will be increased from 5½ per cent to 6 per cent.

DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC AFFAIRS

PRICES AND INCOMES ACT 1966

Prices of Fletton and Non-Fletton Bricks

DIRECTION UNDER SECTION 5(4) FURTHER EXTENDING THE PERIOD WITHIN WHICH THE NATIONAL BOARD FOR PRICES AND INCOMES MUST PUBLISH THEIR REPORT

Whereas the First Secretary of State and the Minister of Public Building and Works, in pursuance of their powers under section 2(1) of the Prices and Incomes Act 1966, referred the above-mentioned question to the National Board for Prices and Incomes for examination and have published the text of the reference in the Gazette on 26th May, 1967.

2. And whereas by section 5(3) of the Act, but subject to section 5(4), the Board are required to make their report so as to allow publication within three months of the said date.

3. And whereas in pursuance of their powers under the said section 5(4), the First Secretary of State and the Minister of Public Building and Works, by a direction published in the Gazette on 25th August 1967, extended the said period of three months by two months, and the Secretary of State for Economic Affairs and the Minister of Public Building and Works, by a direction published in the Gazette on 24th October 1967, further extended the said period of three months by one month;

4. Now therefore the Secretary of State for Economic Affairs and the Minister of Public Building and Works, in pursuance of their powers under the said section 5(4), hereby direct that the said period of three months be further extended by one month.