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## State Intelligence

### HOME OFFICE

NORTHERN IRELAND OFFICE

SCOTTISH OFFICE

*The European Convention on Extradition (Bulgaria)  
(Amendment) Order 1994*

Notice is hereby given that the European Convention on Extradition (Bulgaria) (Amendment) Order 1994 (S.I. 1994/2796) enters into force for the United Kingdom on 12th December, 1994 and hence the European Convention on Extradition will apply between the Government of the United Kingdom and the Government of the Republic of Bulgaria on that date.

### NORTHERN IRELAND OFFICE

Notice is hereby given that in exercise of the powers conferred by Article 1(2) of the Criminal Justice (Northern Ireland) Order 1994, the Secretary of State has made an Order entitled the Criminal Justice (1994 Order) (Commencement) Order (Northern Ireland) 1994 [Statutory Rule 1994 No. 446 (C.14)].

This Order appoints 9th January, 1995, for the coming into operation of the Criminal Justice (Northern Ireland) Order 1994.

Copies of the Order may be purchased from HMSO Bookshop, 16 Arthur Street, Belfast, BT1 4GD. ISBN 0 337 91446 X, £0.65.

### DEPARTMENT FOR NATIONAL SAVINGS

INDEX-LINKED NATIONAL SAVINGS

*Movement of The United Kingdom General Index of  
Retail Prices*

For the purposes of revaluing on repayment Index-linked National Savings Certificates (Retirement Issue, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th and 7th Index-linked Issues) and contributions under Save As You Earn savings contracts (Third Issue) and for revising the annual rate of interest for Indexed-Income Bonds, the Index figure issued by the Central Statistical Office in the month of

November and applicable to the month of December is 145.2. This figure is based on the revised reference base of 100 adopted in January 1987. In accordance with the relevant prospectuses a notional Index figure of 572.8 has been calculated and will apply to Index-linked Savings Certificates and Indexed-Income Bonds purchased in March 1987 or earlier and SAYE contributions which were due for payment and made in February 1987 or earlier.

### DEPARTMENT OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY

UK CONTINENTAL SHELF 16TH LICENSING ROUND

*The Petroleum (Production) (Seaward Areas)  
Regulations 1988*

1. Further to the Notice published on 29th April the Secretary of State for Trade and Industry invites applications, in accordance with the Petroleum (Production) (Seaward Areas) Regulations 1988 (SI 1988 No. 1213), as amended by the Petroleum (Production) (Seaward Areas) (Amendment) Regulations 1990 and the Petroleum (Production) (Seaward Areas) (Amendment) Regulations 1992 (in this Notice called "the Regulations"), for petroleum production licences in respect of the blocks specified in Schedules 1 and 2 to this Notice and delineated on maps deposited in the Library at the Department of Trade and Industry, 1 Palace Street, London SW1E 5HE. The maps may be inspected by prior appointment (telephone No. 071-238 3042) between 09.15 and 16.45 hours Monday to Friday until 21st March 1995. This offer will be known as the United Kingdom Continental Shelf (UKCS) 16th Round of Licensing. Nominations for the UKCS 17th Round of Licensing are also sought in this Notice (see paragraph 13 below).

CONSIDERATION FOR AND CONDITIONS OF LICENCES

2. Licences issued in respect of blocks shown on the maps at Schedule 1 and listed in Schedule 2 will have an initial term of six years with a second term of twelve years. This second term may be extended beyond twelve years for a further period of eighteen years. The Model Clauses set out in Schedule 4 to the Regulations shall be incorporated into these licences, together with any other conditions under which any particular licence has been granted.