

TENDERS FOR TREASURY BILLS.

1. The Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice that Tenders will be received at the Chief Cashier's Office, at the Bank of England, on Friday the 27th December 1940, at 1 p.m., for Treasury Bills to be issued under the Treasury Bills Act, 1877, the National Debt Act, 1889, and the National Loans Acts, 1939 and 1940, to the amount of £65,000,000.

2. The Bills will be in amounts of £5000, £10,000, £50,000, or £100,000. They will be dated at the option of the Tenderer on any business day from Monday the 30th December 1940 to Saturday the 4th January 1941 inclusive, and will be payable at three months after date.

3. The Bills will be issued and paid at the Bank of England.

4. Each Tender must be for an amount not less than £50,000, and must specify the date on which the Bills required are to be dated, and the net amount per cent. (being an even multiple of one penny) which will be given for the amount applied for. Separate Tenders must be lodged for Bills of different dates.

5. Tenders must be made through a London Banker, Discount House, or Broker.

6. The persons whose Tenders are accepted will be informed of the same not later than the following day, and payment in full of the amounts of the accepted Tenders must be made to the Bank of England by means of Cash or a Banker's Draft on the Bank of England not later than 1.30 p.m. (Saturday, 12 noon) on the day on which the relative Bills are to be dated.

7. Members of the House of Commons are not precluded from tendering for these Bills.

8. Tenders must be made on the printed forms which may be obtained from the Chief Cashier's Office, Bank of England.

9. The Lords Commissioners of His Majesty's Treasury reserve the right of rejecting any Tenders.

Treasury Chambers,
20th December 1940.

*Board of Trade,
Millbank,
London, S.W.1,
19th December 1940.*

The Board of Trade hereby give notice that they have made Orders which have been published as S.R. & O., 1940, price 1d.

No. 2061. Export of Goods (Control) (No. 41) Order, 1940.

No. 2099. Defence (Gas Charges) (No. 2) Order, 1940.

No. 2102. Export of Goods (Control) (No. 42) Order, 1940.

These Orders can be purchased directly from His Majesty's Stationery Office at the following addresses:—York House, Kingsway, London, W.C.2; 120 George Street, Edinburgh, 2; 26 York Street, Manchester, 1; 1 St. Andrew's Crescent, Cardiff; 80 Chichester Street, Belfast; or through any bookseller.

TRADE BOARDS ACTS, 1909 AND 1918, HOLIDAYS WITH PAY ACT, 1938, AND TRADE BOARDS AND ROAD HAULAGE WAGES (EMERGENCY PROVISIONS) ACT, 1940.

LAUNDRY TRADE BOARD (GREAT BRITAIN).

PROPOSAL TO VARY MINIMUM RATES OF WAGES (INCLUDING HOLIDAY REMUNERATION).

The Laundry Trade Board (Great Britain) hereby give notice that they propose to vary minimum rates of wages with corresponding variation of holiday remuneration.

Particulars of the proposals may be obtained on application to the Secretary of the Trade Board at the address given below.

The Trade Board will consider any objections to the above-mentioned proposals which may be lodged with them within twenty-one days from 24th December 1940. Any such objection should be in writing, signed by the person making the same (adding his or her address), and sent to the Secretary, Laundry Trade Board (Great Britain), Gordon Hotel, Leicester Street, Southport, Lancs. It is desirable that persons making objections should state the precise grounds of their objections.

G. H. TREGEAR, Secretary.

23rd December 1940.

PATENTS AND DESIGNS ACTS,
1907 to 1939.

Surrender of Letters Patent under
Section 26 (3).

Notice is hereby given that an Order was made on the 13th December 1940 revoking the Patent granted to Du Pont Film Manufacturing Corporation for an invention entitled "Improvements in or relating to colour photography" numbered 497,463 and bearing date under Section 91 of the Acts the 15th February 1937.

M. F. LINDLEY,
Comptroller-General.

The Patent Office.

PATENTS AND DESIGNS ACTS,
1907 to 1939.

Proceedings under Section 20 of the Acts.

Notice is hereby given that an Order was made on the 14th December 1940 restoring Patent No. 457,349 dated the 5th July 1935 and granted to Yutaka Ito for an invention entitled "Improvements in the manufacture of liquorice extract."

M. F. LINDLEY,
Comptroller-General.

The Patent Office.