- 3. The designs for the said coins shall be as follows:—
 - (a) every gold, cupro-nickel and bronze coin shall have for the obverse impression Our Effigy with the inscription "QUEEN ELIZABETH THE SECOND".
 - (b) the reverse impressions shall be as follows:—
 - (i) all gold coins: in the centre a sheep standing on a background of grass, with date of the year above and the inscription "FALKLAND ISLANDS "below;
 - (ii) ten new pence: in the centre two sea lions (a bull and a cow) with a foreground of seaweed-covered rocks, with the inscription "FALK-LAND ISLANDS" above, the inscription "10" below and the date of the year below to the left;
 - (iii) five new pence: in the centre an albatross in full flight, with the inscription "FALKLAND" to the left and "ISLANDS" to the right and the inscription "5" and the date of the year below;
 - (iv) two new pence: in the centre an upland goose alighting, with the inscription "2" above, the inscription "FALKLAND ISLANDS" below and the date of the year to the right;
 - (v) one new penny: in the centre two standing penguins in their tussockgrass nesting place, with the inscription "FALKLAND ISLANDS" above, the inscription "1" centralised between the penguins and the date of the year below;
 - (iv) new halfpenny: in the centre a brown trout, with the inscription " $\frac{1}{2}$ " centred, the inscription "FALKLAND ISLANDS" to the left and above and the date of the year to the right.
 - (c) Every gold and cupro-nickel coin shall have a graining on the edge.
- 4. The said coins shall be current within Our Colony of the Falklands Islands.

Given at our Court at Buckingham Palace, this eighteenth day of December in the year of Our Lord One thousand nine hundred and seventy-four and in the twenty-third year of Our Reign.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN

Scottish Courts Administration, 28 North Bridge, Edinburgh.

The Queen has been pleased by Warrants under Her Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, bearing date 11th December 1974 to make the following appointments with effect from 1st January 1975 to the sheriffdoms created under the Sheriffdoms Reorganisation Order 1974.

The Right Honourable Henry Stephen, Baron Wilson of Langside Q.C. to be Sheriff Principal of Glasgow and Strathkelvin.

George Stanley Gimson Esquire Q.C. to be Sheriff Principal of Grampian, Highland and Islands.

Robert Richardson Taylor Esq. Q.C. Ph.D. to be Sheriff Principal of Tayside, Central and Fife.

William James Bryden Esquire C.B.E. Q.C. to be Sheriff Principal of Lothian and Borders and Sheriff of Chancery.

Frederick William Fitzgerald O'Brien Esquire Q.C. to be Sheriff Principal of North Strathclyde.

Robert Reid Esquire Q.C. to be Sheriff Principal of South Strathclyde, Dumfries and Galloway.

17th December 1974.

TREASURY

Treasury Chambers, London, SW1P 3AG. 13th December 1974.

TENDERS FOR TREASURY BILLS

1. The Lords Commissioners of Her 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 20th December 1974, at 1 p.m. for Treasury Bills to be issued under the Treasury Bills Act 1877, and the National Loans Act 1968, to the amount of £250,000,000.

- 2. The Bills will be in amounts of £5,000, £10,000, £25,000, £50,000, £100,000 or £250,000. They will be dated at the option of the Tenderer on any business day from Monday, the 23rd December 1974, to Friday the 27th December 1974, inclusive, and will be due 91 days 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 a multiple of one new half-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. Notification will be sent on the same day as Tenders are received, to the persons whose Tenders are accepted in whole or in part. Payment in full of the amounts due in respect of such accepted Tenders must be made to the Bank of England by means of cash or by draft or cheque drawn on the Bank of England not later than 1.30 p.m. 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 Her Majesty's Treasury reserve the right of rejecting any Tenders.

COUNTER-INFLATION ACT 1973

THE Treasury have given consent to the declaration by the following companies of dividends of the total amounts specified for the financial years ending on the specified dates:

30. 9.74 The Peninsular & Oriental Steam Navigation Company, London E.C.3 £10,522,742 31. 8.74 £165,921 Petrocon Group Ltd., Richmond 31. 5.75 London & Midland Industrials Ltd., £116,863

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