

III

Per cent.

Loans under the Housing Acts to companies and private persons, not limiting their profits as aforesaid:

For any period up to forty years ... 6½

IV

Loans under the Harbours and Passing Tolls, etc., Act, 1861, with collateral security:

For any period up to fifty years ... 6½

V

Loans under the Harbours and Passing Tolls, etc., Act, 1861, without collateral security:

For any period up to fifty years ... 6½

VI

All other loans:

For any period ... 6½

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RATES OF INTEREST ON LOCAL LOANS

The Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice that in pursuance of the powers conferred on them by the Public Works Loans Act, 1897 (60 and 61 Vict. c. 51), the Public Works Loans Act, 1935 (26 Geo. 5 & 1 Edw. 8 c. 5) and the Local Authorities Loans Act, 1945 (8 & 9 Geo. 6 c. 18), they have directed by their Minute of 31st May 1961, that on loans advanced to local authorities from the Local Loans Fund, on and after 3rd June 1961, there shall be chargeable in lieu of the rates fixed by the Treasury Minute of 17th August 1960, the following rates of interest:

	Per cent.
Loans for not more than five years ...	6½
Loans for more than five years but not more than fifteen years ...	6½
Loans for more than fifteen years but not more than thirty years ...	6½
Loans for more than thirty years ...	6½

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Pursuant to paragraph 5 of the Regulations for the drawing of 4 per cent. Victory Bonds, the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice that the forty-second annual drawing of the Bonds will take place on Monday, 19th June 1961.

The list of drawn Bonds will be published on Friday, 23rd June as a special supplement to the *London Gazette*.

FOREIGN OFFICE

5th June 1961.

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to appoint the undermentioned to be Officers of the Sixth Grade of Branch A of Her Majesty's Foreign Service, with effect from the dates respectively indicated:

Malcolm Thomas Walker, Esquire (2nd March 1956);

Ian Wright Bell, Esquire (18th August 1956);

Caryl Oliver Imbert Ramsden, Esquire (14th January 1957);

Hubert Norman Pullar, Esquire (24th January 1957);

Arthur Roy Handasyde Kellas, Esquire (18th July 1958);

Edward Gervase Willan, Esquire (1st August 1958);

Reginald Michael Hadow, Esquire (25th August 1958);

James Young Mackenzie, Esquire (4th September 1958);

Henry Charles Hainworth, Esquire (1st October 1958);

Horatio Keith Matthews, Esquire, M.B.E. (12th November 1958); and

Charles Martin Anderson, Esquire (29th November 1958).

5th June 1961.

The QUEEN has been graciously pleased to appoint, with effect from the dates respectively indicated:

Harold Arthur Neville Brown, Esquire, Her Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary at Monrovia, to be also Her Majesty's Consul-General for the Republic of Liberia (13th June 1960);

Lieutenant-Commander Francois Charles Bishop, R.N. (Retired), to be Her Majesty's Consul-General for the Administrative districts of Leiria, Santarem, Portalegre, Lisbon, Evora, Beja and Faro, together with the Island of Madeira and its dependencies, the Cape Verde Islands and the Azores, to reside at Lisbon (29th July 1960);

John Hugh Adam Watson, Esquire, C.M.G., Her Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary at Dakar, to be also Her Majesty's Consul-General for Portuguese Guinea (20th August 1960);

Alan Meredith Williams, Esquire, C.M.G., to be Her Majesty's Consul-General for the States of New York and Connecticut and the following counties of New Jersey: Mercer, Morris, Somerset, Warren, Hunterdon, Monmouth, Middlesex, Union, Essex, Bergen, Passaic and Sussex, to reside at New York (4th October 1960);

John Vernon Rob, Esquire, C.M.G., Her Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary at Brazzaville, to be also Her Majesty's Consul-General for the Congo Republic (10th December 1960);

John Vernon Rob, Esquire, C.M.G., Her Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary to the Republic of Gabon, to be also Her Majesty's Consul-General for that Republic (10th December 1960);

John Vernon Rob, Esquire, C.M.G., Her Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary to the Republic of Chad, to be also Her Majesty's Consul-General for that Republic (10th December 1960);

John Vernon Rob, Esquire, C.M.G., Her Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary to the Central African Republic, to be also Her Majesty's Consul-General for that Republic (10th December 1960);

Walter Godfrey, Esquire, C.B.E., Her Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary at Seoul, to be also Her Majesty's Consul-General for the Republic of Korea (10th March 1961);

Richard Arnold Simmons Breene, Esquire, to be Her Majesty's Consul for the Islamic Republic of Mauritania (28th November 1960);

Jasper Michael Leadbitter, Esquire, O.B.E., to be Her Majesty's Consul at Brazzaville (20th January 1961);

Jasper Michael Leadbitter, Esquire, O.B.E., to be Her Majesty's Consul in respect of the Republic of Gabon (20th January 1961);

Jasper Michael Leadbitter, Esquire, O.B.E., to be Her Majesty's Consul in respect of the Republic of Chad (20th January 1961);

Jasper Michael Leadbitter, Esquire, O.B.E., to be Her Majesty's Consul in respect of the Central African Republic (20th January 1961);

Arnold Clive Dugdale, Esquire, to be Her Majesty's Consul for the Union of Burma, to reside at Rangoon (18th March 1961);

Rex Brian Hammond, Esquire, to be Her Majesty's Vice-Consul at Brazzaville (14th July 1960);

Rex Brian Hammond, Esquire, to be Her Majesty's Vice-Consul in respect of the Republic of Gabon (14th July 1960);

Rex Brian Hammond, Esquire, to be Her Majesty's Vice-Consul in respect of the Republic of Chad (14th July 1960);

Rex Brian Hammond, Esquire, to be Her Majesty's Vice-Consul in respect of the Central African Republic (14th July 1960);