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The *London Gazette* Office will be closed from 4 p.m. on Friday, 25th May, until 8.30 a.m. on Tuesday, 29th May. The *London Gazette* will not be published on Monday, 28th May, but publication will be resumed on Tuesday, 29th May. Copy for the issue dated Friday, 25th May should be received by 11.30 a.m. on Wednesday, 23rd May, by 11.30 a.m. on Thursday, 24th May for the edition dated Tuesday, 29th May, and by 11.30 a.m. on Friday, 25th May for the edition dated Wednesday, 30th May.

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TREASURY

RATES OF INTEREST ON LOANS FROM THE NATIONAL LOANS FUND

NOTICE

The Treasury in pursuance of section 5 of the National Loans Act 1968 (as amended) hereby give notice that on or after 16th May 1984:

- I. Different rates of interest shall apply according to whether the principal of a loan is repaid by instalments or at maturity and, if repaid by instalments, whether by equal instalments of the principal with interest paid on the decreasing balance of the principal (E.I.P.), or by instalments of equal repayments of the principal and interest paid thereon (E.R.);
- II. The lowest rates of interest satisfying the conditions laid down in subsection (3) of the said section 5 shall be:

Per cent, per annum
Loans repayable
By instalments At
E.I.P. E.R. maturity

Up to 1 year	—	—	10½
Over 1 but not over 5 years	11½	11½	11½
Over 5 but not over 10 years	11½	11½	11½
Over 10 but not over 15 years	12	11½	11½
Over 15 but not over 25 years	11½	11½	11
Over 25 years	11½	11	10½

The Treasury also gives notice that the rate of interest applying to variable interest loans for which a quarter day falls on 6th March 1984 is 9½ per cent.

Treasury Chambers,
Parliament Street,
London SW1P 3AG.
16th May 1984.

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