# State Intelligence 

HONOURS AND AWARDS

## CENTRAL CHANCERY OF THE ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD

St. James's Palace, London S.W.I 20th December 199

The Queen was pleased, at Buckingham Palace, on Wednesday, 11 th December 1991, to confer the honour of Knighthood upon the undermentioned:

The Honourable Mr. Justice (Michael Bryan) Connell.
The Honourable Mr. Justice (Jonathan Frederic) Parker.
(40 SI)

## St. James's Palace, London S.W.I <br> 20th December 1991

The Queen has been graciously pleased, on the advice of Her Majesty's Papua New Guinea Ministers, to give orders for the following appointment to the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George:
G.C.M.G.

To be an Ordinary Member of the First Class, or Knight Grand Cross, of the said Most Distinguished Order:

Wiwa Korow, Governor-General of Papua New Guinea.
(To be dated 10th December 1991)
(39 SI)

## TREASURY

## RATES OF INTEREST ON LOANS FROM THE NATIONAL LOANS FUND <br> Notice

The Treasury in pursuance of section 5 of the National Loans Act 1968 (as amended) hereby give notice that on or after 18 th December 1991:
(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 instaiments 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 maturity
E.I.P. E.R.

Up to 1 year
Over 1 but not over 2 years
Over 2 but not over 3 years
Over 3 but not over 4 years
Over 4 but not over 5 years
Over 5 but not over 6 years
Over 6 but not over 7 years
Over 7 but not over 8 years
Over 8 but not over 9 years
Over 9 but not over 10 years
Over 10 but not over 15 years
Over 15 but not over 25 years
Over 25 years
Treasury Chambers,
Parliament Street.
London SWIP 3AG.
18th December 1991.

## RATES OF INTEREST ON LOANS BY THE PUBLIC WORKS LOAN COMMISSIONERS TO LOCAL AUTHORITIES

## Treasury Minute dated 17th December 1991.

The Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury read section 3(2) of the National Loans Act 1968 (1968 C. 13 as amended) whereby any sums borrowed from the Public Works Loan Commissioners shall bear interest at such rates as the Treasury may determine from time to time in accordance with section 5 of the said Act.
My Lords understand that the Public Works Loan Commissioners will be operating arrangements under which local authorities are permitted to borrow from the Commissioners up to a specified quota at a certain fixed rate of interest and in excess of such quota at one of two higher fixed rates.

In accordance therewith the Chancellor of the Exchequer now recommends that with effect from 18th December 1991 and until the coming into operation of a further determination:
(i) The rate of interest applicable to any such fixed rate loan will be that in force on the day the authority applies to borrow or, if the application is before noon three working days before the loan is credited to the account of the authority's banker, the rate in force at 11 a.m. two banking days before credit day;
(ii) Different rates of interest shall be charged on such fixed rate loans 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.);
(iii) The rates of such interest shall be:


Per cent per annum
by instalments at maturity

PWLB Quota Rates
1 year
Over 1 but not over 2 years Over 2 but not over 3 years Over 3 but not over 4 years Over 4 but not over 5 years Over 5 but not over 6 years Over 6 but not over 7 years Over 7 but not over 8 years Over 8 but not over 9 years Over 9 but not over 10 years Over 10 but not over 15 years Over 15 but not over 25 years Over 25 years

PWLB Non-quota A Rate loans will bear interest at 1 per cent above the corresponding Quota rates.
PWLB Non-quota B Rate loans will bear interest at 2 per cent above the corresponding Quota rates.

The amount which a local authority borrows within its annual quota will bear interest at the appropriate rate in the quota set of rates. Authorities may borrow further sums at quota rates at the discretion of the Public Works Loan Commissioners. Other borrowing beyond the quota entitlement will be at the appropriate rate in the non-quota set of rates.
My Lords concur.
The Treasury determine the rates of interest accordingly.
Treasury Chambers.
Parliament Street,
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18th December 1989.

