that Saturday, the twenty-fifth day of December in the year 1999 shall not be a bank holiday in Scotland and do hereby appoint in place of it Tuesday, the twenty-eighth day of December in the year 1999 and do hereby appoint Friday, the thirty-first day of December in the year 1999 to be a bank holiday in Scotland and declare that Saturday, the first day of January in the year 2000 shall not be a bank holiday in Scotland and do hereby appoint in place of it Tuesday, the fourth day of January in the year 2000 and do hereby appoint Monday, the twenty-ninth day of May in the year 2000 to be a bank holiday in Scotland

Given at Our Court at Windsor Castle this twenty-second day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and ninety-nine and in the forty-eighth year of Our Reign

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN

At the Court at Windsor Castle the 22nd day of June 1999 Present.

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council

It is this day ordered by Her Majesty in Council that the Right Honourable the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain do cause the Great Seal of the Realm to be affixed to the Proclamation of this day's date, appointing certain days in the years 1999 and 2000 as bank holidays under the Banking and Financial Dealings Act 1971

A K Galloway

Appointments to the Royal Household

Clarence House, London S W 1

29th June 1999

QUEEN ELIZABETH THE QUEEN MOTHER has been graciously pleased to approve the following change in Her Majesty's Household

Andrew William Fergus Matheson to be Page of Honour to Her Majesty in the Room of Henry Bengough, who relinquishes the appointment having reached the age limit for retirement

The appointment is to date from 1st August 1999 (2 SI)

College of Arms

Notice is hereby given that by a Deed Poll dated 26th May 1999, and enrolled in the College of Arms on 16th June 1999, JOHN ROBIN BUTT COLSON of Upper Througham, The Camp, in the county of Gloucestershire, a British citizen, married man, abandoned the surname of Colson and assumed the surname of Butt Colson

P L Duckinson, Richmond Herald of Arms

28th June 1999

(3 SI)

Ecclesiastical



Marriage Acts

A Building certified for worship named GOSPEL HALL, Crawley, in the registration district of Winchester, in the county of Hampshire, was on 22nd June 1999 registered for solemnising marriages therein pursuant to section 41 of the Marriage Act 1949 as amended by section 1(1) of the Marriage Acts Amendment Act 1958

Superintendent Registrar

25th June 1999

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Public Finance



National Savings

NATIONAL SAVINGS INVESTMENT ACCOUNTS— NEW INTEREST RATES

On and from 16th July 1999 the variable gross rates of interest payable on Investment Accounts will be as follows

Balance in Account Rate of Interest up to £499 99 3 3 per cent per annum £500 to £2,499 99 3 45 per cent per annum £2,500 to £4,999 99 3 55 per cent per annum £5,000 to £9,999 99 3 65 per cent per annum £10,000 to £24,999 99 3 85 per cent per annum £25,000 to £49,999 99 4 1 per cent per annum £50,000 and above 4 6 per cent per annum

NATIONAL SAVINGS TREASURER'S ACCOUNTS— NEW INTEREST RATES

On and from 16th July 1999 the variable gross rates of interest payable on Treasurer's Accounts will be as follows

£10,000 to £24,999 99 £25,000 to £99,999 99 £100,000 and above

3 85 per cent per annum 4 1 per cent per annum 4 6 per cent per annum

NATIONAL SAVINGS INCOME BONDS—NEW INTEREST RATE

On and from 13th August 1999 the variable "Treasury Rate" of interest payable on Income Bonds will be 4 55 per cent per annum gross. The bonus rate for bonds held under the same register number with a total capital value of least £25,000 will be 0 25 per cent per annum gross.

NATIONAL SAVINGS DEPOSIT BONDS—NEW INTEREST RATE

On and from 13th August 1999 the rate of interest payable on Deposit Bonds will be 4 05 per cent per annum gross

NEW GENERAL EXTENSION RATE

On and from 1st July 1999 the variable rate of interest for National Savings Certificates (including Yearly Plan Certificates) earning the General Extension Rate will be 2 1 per cent per annum tax-free

Issued by National Savings on behalf of the Treasury (8 SI)