The Registrar hereby gives notice that the payments due in May 2004 on the undermentioned Stocks will be payable to the registered stockholders at the close of Gilt standard settlement on the date shown, except where it is the final interest payment when it will be payable to the registered stockholders at

Dividend Due 04-Ma	ISIN Code ay GB0006339906	TITLE OF SECURITY New zeland 11 1/4% Stock 2008	RECORD DATE 05-Apr
15-Ma	ay GB0009021956	9 3/4% Conversion Stock 2006	06-May
15-Ma	ay GB0004691845	Inter-American Development Bank 9 3/4% Loan Stock 2015	15-Apr
17-Ma	ay GB0003088787	Electricite de France (E.D.F.) Service National 11 3/4% Guaranteed Serial Loan Stock 2009,2010,2011 and 2012	19-Apr
18-Ma	ay GB0009111021	10% Treasury Stock 2004 (Final Payment)	07-May
20-Ma	ay GB0009071563	2 1/2% Index-Linked Treasury Stock 2009 (interest rate for this dividend will be £2.8965 per £100 nominal stock)	11-May
20-Ma	ay GB0006964653	Republic of Portugal 9% Loan Stock 2016	20-Apr
22-Ma	ay GB0003224366	European Investment Bank 10 3/8% Loan Stock 2004	22-Apr
25-Ma	ay GB0008890161	6 1/4% Treasury Stock 2010	14-May

26-May	GB0008889619	6 3/4% Treasury Stock 2004	17-May
31-May	GB0004494109	Hydro-Quebec 15% Loan Stock 2011	04-May

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