The Registrar hereby gives notice that the payments due in December 2006 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

| Interest Due Date | ISIN Code | TITLE OF SECURITY | RECORD DATE |
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| 01-Dec | GB0009386284 | 3 1/2% War Stock | 17-Nov |
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| 01-Dec | GB0005255038 | 2 1/2% London County Consolidated Stock | 01-Nov |
| 01 500 | GB0005255475 | 3% London County Consolidated Stock | 01-Nov |
| | GD0003233473 | 370 London County Consolidated Stock | OI NOV |
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| 07-Dec | GB0002404191 | 6% Treasury Stock 2028 | 28-Nov |
| | GB0003042636 | 5 3/4% Treasury Stock 2009 | 28-Nov |
| | GB0004893086 | 4 1/4% Treasury Stock 2032 | 28-Nov |
| | GB0008881541 | 8% Treasury Stock 2015 | 28-Nov |
| | GB0009997114 | 7 1/4% Treasury Stock 2007 | 28-Nov |
| | GB0009997999 | 8% Treasury Stock 2021 | 28-Nov |
| | GB0009998302 | 7 1/2% Treasury Stock 2006 (FINAL PAYMENT) | 28-Nov |
| | GB00B00NY175 | 4 3/4% Treasury Stock 2038 | 28-Nov |
| | GB00B0330274 | 4 3/4% Treasury Stock 2010 | 28-Nov |
| | GB00B06YGN05 | 4 1/4% Treasury Gilt 2055 | 28-Nov |
| | GB00B128DP45 | 4 1/4% Treasury Gilt 2046 (First Payment at £2.428571 per £100 nominal stock) | 28-Nov |
| | GB00B16NNR78 | 4 1/4% Treasury Gilt 2027 (First Payment at £1.068306 per £100 nominal stock) | 28-Nov |
| | GB0000508340 | Treasury Coupon Strip Stock 07DEC2006 | 28-Nov |
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| 09-Dec | GB0003245171 | European Investment Bank 9 1/2% Loan Stock 2009 | 09-Nov |