Government of India Ministry of Finance Department of Economic Affairs Budget Division

New Delhi, dated April 20, 2015

NOTIFICATION

Auction for Sale of a new Government Stock maturing on 15 Dec 2023

F. No.4 (2) W&M/2015: Government of India hereby notifies sale of New Government Stock (Securities) of '8 years,7 months and 19 days' for an aggregate amount of ₹ 3,000 crore (nominal). The sale will be subject to the terms and conditions spelt out in this notification (called 'Specific Notification') as also the terms and conditions specified in the General Notification F. No. 4 (13)–W&M/2008, dated October 8, 2008 issued by Government of India.

Method of Issue

2. The Stock will be sold through Reserve Bank of India, Mumbai Office, Fort, Mumbai- 400 001 in the manner as prescribed in paragraph 5.1 of the General Notification F. No. 4 (13)–W&M/2008, dated October 8, 2008 by a <u>yield based auction using multiple price auction</u> method.

Allotment to Non-competitive Bidders

3. The Government Stock up to 5% of the notified amount of the sale will be allotted to eligible individuals and institutions as per the enclosed Scheme for Non-competitive Bidding Facility in the Auctions of Government Securities (**Annex**).

Place and date of auction

4. The auction will be conducted by Reserve Bank of India, Mumbai Office, Fort, Mumbai-400 001 on **April 24, 2015**. Bids for the auction should be submitted in electronic format on the Reserve Bank of India Core Banking Solution (E-Kuber) system on **April 24, 2015**. The non-competitive bids should be submitted between 10.30 a.m. and 11.30 a.m. and the competitive bids should be submitted between 10.30 a.m. and 12.00 noon.

When Issued Trading

5. The Stock will be eligible for "When Issued" trading in accordance with the guidelines issued by the Reserve Bank of India.

Tenure

6. The Government Stock will be of '8 years,7 months and 19 days' years tenure commencing from April 27, 2015. The Stock will be repaid at par on December 15, 2023.

Date of issue and payment for the stock

7. The result of the auction shall be displayed by the Reserve Bank of India at its Fort, Mumbai Office on **April 24, 2015**. The payment by successful bidders will be on **April 27, 2015** i.e. the date of issue.

Interest

8. The coupon rate for the securities will be set at the cut-off yield to maturity rate decided in the auction. The broken period interest from April 27, 2015 to June 14, 2015 will be paid on June 15, 2015 and the interest thereafter will be payable half-yearly on December 15 and June 15.

By Order of the President of India

(Dr. Rajat Bhargava) Joint Secretary to the Government of India