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TWO AND THREE-QUARTERS PERCENT TREASURY BONDS OF 1945-47 NOTICE OF CALL FOR REDEMPTION

To all Banks and Trust Companies in the Second Federal Reserve District and Others Concerned:

Following is a copy of a press statement containing the text of a public notice of call dated May 14, 1945, issued by the Secretary of the Treasury:

TREASURY DEPARTMENT Washington

FOR RELEASE, MORNING NEWSPAPERS, Monday, May 14, 1945. Press Service

The Secretary of the Treasury announced today that all outstanding 23/4 percent Treasury Bonds of 1945-47 are called for redemption on September 15, 1945. There are now outstanding \$1,214,428,950 of these bonds.

The text of the formal notice of call is as follows:

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To Holders of 23/4 percent Treasury Bonds of 1945-47, and Others Concerned:

1. Public notice is hereby given that all outstanding 23/4 percent Treasury Bonds of 1945-47, dated September 16, 1935, are hereby called for redemption on September 15, 1945, on which date interest on such bonds will cease.

2. Holders of these bonds may, in advance of the redemption date, be offered the privilege of exchanging all or any part of their called bonds for other interest-bearing obligations of the United States, in which event public notice will hereafter be given and an official circular governing the exchange offering will be issued.

3. Full information regarding the presentation and surrender of the bonds for *cash* redemption under this call will be found in Department Circular No. 666, dated July 21, 1941.

HENRY MORGENTHAU, Jr., Secretary of the Treasury.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, Washington, May 14, 1945.

Additional copies of this circular will be furnished upon request.

ALLAN SPROUL, President.

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