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Security Commission: Appointments

Lord Bridge of Harwich was appointed Chairman of the Security Commission in succession to Lord Diplock in the spring of 1982. The Prime Minister's letter inviting him to take on the chairmanship was dated 5 March 1982, and Lord Bridge accepted the invitation in a letter dated 8 March 1982. Because of the conflict in the South Atlantic, however, the appointment, which was intended to run for a period of three years in the first instance, was not announced until 20 May 1982. Lord Bridge, who is 67, has carried a much heavier burden during his three years as Chairman than did any of his predecessors, and has indicated to me that he would prefer not to be invited to serve for another term. I do not think we need or should press him to do so: we have a very competent successor ready to take over. It would be a convenient date for Lord Bridge to hand over the reins on 1 May 1985.

2. The Security Commission's Report on the case of Michael John Bettaney is nearing completion, and should be with the Prime Minister before the end of this month. The Prime Minister has referred to the Commission the cases arising from charges brought against eight members of 9 Signal Regiment, but detailed work on this reference is unlikely to begin until the trial of the accused, which is due to start in April, has been completed; this will probably be in July 1985. The changeover could thus take place in May with little or no inconvenience to all concerned.

3. Lord Justice Griffiths, whose appointment as Member and Alternate Chairman of the Security Commission was also announced on 20 May 1982, is the obvious choice to succeed Lord Bridge as Chairman. Lord Bridge has expressed himself as cordially in favour of his appointment. Lord Justice Griffiths was invited by

the Prime Minister to serve on the 9 Signal Regiment case and to deputise as Chairman in Lord Bridge's absence. He has performed forcefully and effectively as a member of the Commission and as deputy Chairman. I have consulted colleagues in the Lord Chancellor's Department, the Home Office and the Security Service, all of whom are happy to endorse the proposal. If the Prime Minister is content to approve the appointment of Lord Justice Griffiths, the next step would be for me to sound him out informally about his willingness to serve. I have in fact no doubt about his answer.

4. Concurrent with his appointment as Chairman of the Security Commission, Lord Bridge was also appointed as judicial monitor for interception. I understand that he had indicated his intention to relinquish this post also but, with the Home Secretary's consent, has agreed to stay on until the Interception of Communications Bill has become law. It has been suggested that Lord Justice Griffiths should succeed Lord Bridge in this capacity also. But as the two appointments, if approved, seem likely to be announced at different times, it is not necessary to seek the Prime Minister's approval at this stage.

5. If Lord Justice Griffiths were to be appointed Chairman this would leave a vacancy for a Member and Alternate Chairman. Following consultation, again with the Lord Chancellor's Department, the Home Office and the Security Service, two possible candidates have emerged: Lord Justice Lloyd, who is at present Chairman of The Three Advisers, or Lord Justice May. (Who's Who extracts are attached.) In my judgment either would be good: Lord Justice Lloyd is perhaps the more intelligent and sensitive of the two, but perhaps also the more mercurial; Lord Justice May is more the sound and dependable "workhorse". I think it would be right to consult Lord Justice Griffiths about the choice, and this I shall do, if the Prime Minister is content, when I sound him out about his own position. I should, however, be grateful to know whether the Prime Minister has any preference

as between the Lord Justices Lloyd and May. Thereafter it will be necessary to let the Leader of the Opposition know and seek his comments before any announcement is made.

6. To complete the picture, the terms of appointment of General Sir Hugh Beach and Air Chief Marshal Sir Alasdair Steedman as members of the Commission expire on 31 August 1985. Sir Hugh Beach has accepted the Prime Minister's invitation to serve on the 9 Signal Regiment inquiry which, as I have explained, is unlikely to begin in earnest until mid-summer, in which case it will probably run well into 1986. Sir Alasdair Steedman has just completed his first inquiry and has, I understand, been a fully effective member. Subject again to any views which Lord Justice Griffiths may have, I recommend that both should be reappointed for a further period of three years, though it will not be necessary to make an announcement to this effect until later in the year.

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21 February 1985

- LLEWELYN-DAVIES OF HASTOE**, Baroness *cr* 1967, of Hastoe (Life Peer); Patricia Llewelyn-Davies, PC 1975; Opposition Chief Whip, House of Lords, 1973-74 and 1979-82; b 16 July 1915; d of Charles Percy Parry and Sarah Gertrude Parry (née Hamilton); m 1943, Richard Llewelyn-Davies (later Baron Llewelyn-Davies) (d 1981); three d. *Educ*: Liverpool Coll., Hovton; Girton Coll., Cambridge (Hon. Fellow, 1979). Civil Servant, 1940-51 (Min. of War Transp., FO, Air Min., CRO). Contested (Lab) Wolverhampton S-W, 1951, Wandsworth Cent., 1955, 1959. A Baroness-in-Waiting (Govt Whip), 1969-70; Dep. Opposition Chief Whip, House of Lords, 1972-73; Captain of the Gentlemen at Arms (Govt Chief Whip), 1974-79; Principal Dep. Chm. of Ctee and Chm., Select Ctee on European Communities, House of Lords, 1982-. Hon. Sec., Lab. Parly Assoc., 1964-69. Chm., Women's National Cancer Control Campaign, 1972-75; Member: Bd of Govt. Hosp. for Sick Children, Gt Ormond Street, 1955-67 (Chm. Bd, 1967-69); Court, Univ. of Sussex, 1967-69, Dir. Africa Educational Trust, 1960-69. Co-Chm., Women's Nat. Commn, 1976-79. *Address*: 36 Parkhill Road, NW3. T: 01-485 6576.
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- LLOYD**, *see* Geoffrey-Lloyd.
- LLOYD**, 2nd Baron, *cr* 1925, of Dolobran; Alexander David Frederick Lloyd, MBE 1945; DL; Captain Welsh Guards (Reserve); Director: Lloyds Bank Ltd, 1957-81; Lloyds Bank International, 1974-78; Lloyds Bank Unit Trust Managers, 1974-81; Beehive Life Insurance, 1974-81; Grindlays Bank Ltd, 1961-74 (Vice-Chairman, 1970-74); Chairman: National Bank of New Zealand, 1970-77 (Deputy Chairman, 1969-70); London Board, National Bank of New Zealand Ltd, 1978-81; b 30 Sept. 1912; *os* of 1st Baron and Hon. Blanche (d 1969) (late Maid of Honour to Queen Alexandra), d of late Hon. F. C. Lascelles; s father, 1941; m 1942, Lady Victoria Jean Marjorie Mabel Ogilvy, *d* of 11th Earl of Airlie, two d (one s dead). *Educ*: Eton; Cambridge (MA). Served in British Council prior to War of 1939-45; served War of 1939-45 in Palestine, Syria and NW Europe. Pres. Navy League, 1948-51; Mem. LCC, 1949-51. Lord in Waiting to King George VI, Oct. 1951-Feb. 1952, to the Queen until Dec. 1952; Jt Under-Sec. of State for Home Dept with responsibility for Welsh Affairs, Nov. 1952-Oct. 1954; Parliamentary Under-Sec. of State for the Colonies, Oct. 1954-Jan. 1957. Chairman: Grindlays Bank (Uganda), 1969-74; Banque Grindlay Internat. au Zaïre, 1970-74; Grindlays Internat. Finance (Kenya), 1970-74; Director: Addis Ababa Bank, 1961-74; Nat. & Grindlays Finance & Devel. Corp., 1961-74; Nat. & Grindlays Holdings Ltd, 1969-74. Mem., White Fish Authority and Herring Bd, 1963-69. Pres. Commonwealth and British Empire Chambers of Commerce, 1957-61. Pres. of Governors, London Sch. of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, DL Herts 1963. *Recreations*: shooting, fishing, music, reading. *Address*: Clouds Hill, Ottery, Hitchin, Herts. T: Ottery 350. *Club*: White's.
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- LLOYD OF KILGERAN**, Baron *cr* 1973 (Life Peer), of Llanwenog, Cardigan; Rhys Gertan Lloyd, CBE 1953; QC 1961; JP; Barrister-at-law; s of late J. G. Lloyd, Kilgeran, Pembrokehire; m Phyllis, d of late Ronald Shepherd, JP, Hantr; two d. *Educ*: Sloane Sch.; Selwyn Coll., Cambridge (science scholar). MA Cantab; BSc London. Wartime service in scientific research Departments of Air Ministry and MAP, 1939-46. Royal Comm on Awards to Inventors, 1946. Contested (L) Anglesey, General Election, 1959. In practice at Patent Bar, 1946-68. Director: Strayfield Ltd; Morgan Marine Ltd. Chairman: Education Trust; Branwood (John Ruskin) Trust. Mem., Sainsbury Ctee on NHS, 1965-67. Chm., Inst. of Sports Medicine, 1977-81. Vice-Chairman: Victoria League, 1975; Parly and Scientific Ctee, 1978-. House of Lords Select Ctee on Science and Technology, 1980-; European Communities Ctee, 1975-81; Parly Ctee on Information Technology, 1978-. Pres., Welsh Liberal Party, 1971-74; Pres., UK Liberal Party, 1973-74. h Treas., 1977-83; Liberal Whip, and delegate, Council of Europe and WEU, 1973-75. Pres., Inst. of Patentees and Inventors, 1975-. Hon. Fellow, Selwyn Coll., Cambridge, 1967-. JP Surrey, 1954. *Publications*: *Keryu on Trade Marks*, 8th edn. 1960; Halsbury's Trade Marks and Designs, 3rd edn. 1962. *Address*: 15 Haymeads Drive, Esher, Surrey. *Club*: Reform, Royal Commonwealth, City Livery, National Liberal.
- LLOYD**, Rev. (Albert) Kingsley; President of the Conference of the Methodist Church, 1964; b 1903; s of Rev. Albert Lloyd; m 1926, Ida Marcus (née Cardidge) (d 1969); one s one d; 2nd, 1972, Katharine G., d of A. G. L. Ives, *qv*. *Educ*: Kingswood Sch., Bath; Richmond Coll., Surrey (Unversity of London). Methodist Circuit Minister: London, Bedford, Cambridge, 1926-52. Chm., London N Dist, 1951-53. Secretary, Dept of Connexional Funds of the Methodist Church, 1952-69. *Westley Historical Soc. Lectr.*, 1968. *Recreation*: gardening. *Address*: 13 High Street, Orwell, Royston, Herts.
- LLOYD**, Hon. Sir Anthony (John Leslie), Kt 1978; DL; Hon. Mr Justice Lloyd; Judge of the High Court of Justice, Queen's Bench Division, since 1978; b 9 May 1929; *os* of late Edward John Boydell Lloyd and Leslie Johnston Fleming; m 1960, Jane Helen Violet, *er* d of C. W. Shelford, Chislev Place, Lewes, Sussex. *Educ*: Eton (Schol.); Trinity Coll., Cambridge (MA, Schol.). 1st cl. Classical Tripos Pt I; 1st cl. with distinction Law Tripos Pt I. National Service, 1st Bn Coldstream Guards, 1948, Montague Butler Press, 1950; Sir William Browne Medal, 1951. Choate Fellow, Harvard, 1952. Fellow of Peterhouse, 1953 (Hon. Fellow of Peterhouse, 1981); Fellow of Eton, 1974. Called to Bar, Inner Temple, 1955; QC 1967; Benchr, 1978. Attorney-General to HRH The Prince of Wales, 1969-77. Mem., Criminal Law Revision Ctee, 1981-. Vice-Pres., British Maritime Law Assoc., 1983-. Trustee: Crafts Centre of Great Britain, 1967-72; Smiths Chariry, 1978; Glydebourne Arts Trust, 1973 (Chm., 1975); Dir. RAM, 1979-. Mem., Top Salaries Review Body, 1971-77. Chm., Chichester Diocesan Bd of Finance and Mem., Bishop's Council, 1972-76; Governor: West London Coll., 1970-74; Polytechnic of the South Bank, 1971-73. DL E Sussex, 1983. *Recreations*: music, carpentry; formerly running (ran for Cambridge in M. White Carv. 1950). *Address*: 68 Strand-on-the-Green, Chiswick, W4. P. 01-994 7790; Ludlay, Berwick, East Sussex. T: Alfriston 870204. *Club*: Brook's.
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- LLOYD**, Bernard Dean, FRVA; IPFA; City Treasurer, Birmingham, since b 23 March 1923; s of Stanley Lloyd and Eva Mary Lloyd; m 1955, Margaret Taylor; one s one d. *Educ*: Cardiff High Sch. CIPFA 1949; FRVA 1951. Served War, R.N., 1942-46. City Treasurer's and Controller's Dept, Cardiff, 1940-42 and 1946-48; Accountancy Asst., Borough Treasurer's Dept, Ipswich, 1948-52; Technical Asst., Treasurer's Dept, Birmingham, 1952-72. *Publ.*: Treasurer, Birmingham, 1972-80. Chm., LAMSAC Computer Panel, 1980-. *Publications*: articles in professional jls. *Recreations*: reading, painting. *Address*: Blossomfield Road, Solihull, West Midlands B91 1TF. T: 052-88 5431.
- LLOYD**, Dr Brian Beynon, CBE 1983; Chairman of Directors, Oxford Gallery, since 1967; b 23 Sept. 1920; s of David John Lloyd, MA Oxon and Olwen (née Beynon); m 1949, Reinhold Johanna Engeroff; four s three d. *Educ*: Newport High Sch.; Winchester Coll., Balliol Coll., Oxford (Domus and Frazer Schol.), Special Cantab. BSc (War) Degree in Chem., 1940; took degrees BA and MA, 1948. *Publications*: Williams Schol. and cl. I in Physiology, 1948; DSc 1969. *Research*: Nutrition Survey after registration as conscientious objector, 1941; Post-Operative Biochem. SHAFET Nutrition Survey Team, Leiden, 1945; Nutrition Survey Group, Düsseldorf, 1946. Fellow of Magdalen by exam. in Physiology, 1948-52, by special election, 1952-70; Senior Tutor, 1963-64; Vice-Pres., 1964 and 1968; Emeritus Fellow, 1970; Senior Research Officer, Inst. Libros, Univ. of Oxford, 1948-70; Senior Proctor, 1960-61; Dir. Oxford Publications,
- 1970-80. Chairman: CN Educ Council, 1979-82; Educ. Council of Drugs, 1978-81. Vis. Chm. of Govt. Oxford, 1964-65, Section X, 1969. Chm. of Govt. Oxford, Boon Soc., 1973-81; Oxon Analysis Apparatus, 1969; 1962; Cerebrospinal Fluid in physiological and biochem. hemoglobin, the analysis apparatus. *Address*: High Wall, P. L. See also Sir J. P. D. L.
- LLOYD**, (Charles) Christian; CSJ and M. Youg; *Educ*: Marlborough; Litt. Quebec, 1930-34; Royal. Prof. of History, 1962-66; Editor, *The Mariner's Miscellany*, 1949; The Nation and William Dampier, 1966; Admiralty, 1970; The Searge and Napoleon in Egypt, 1971; History, 1976; English Co. Lions Wood, Dern Lane. H Travellers.
- LLOYD**, Charles Williams; Sept. 1915; s of late Charles 1939, Doris Ethel, d of late d (d dead). *Educ*: St Olave's; Buckhurst Hill Sch., 1938-. Asst. Master Gresham's Sch., near Preston, 1951-63; Head, Maritime Museum, 1969. *Address*: Stanhope, NT. T: Eastbourne 20257.
- LLOYD**, Christopher; *see* L.
- LLOYD**, Christopher, VMH; regular gardening correspondence of late Nathaniel Lloyd at Broadstairs, Kent; Rugby School, Wye Coll., Univ. of London; Wye Coll., 1939; Hornculture, Wye Coll., 1939; Duxter and started Nursery in The Mixed Border, 1957; Glen Small Gardens, 1965; Hardy P. 1969; The Well-Tempered Adventurous Gardener, 1983; contributor to gardening magazines. *Recreations*: walking, piano; *Address*: Great Duxter, Northants, 1107.
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- LLOYD**, Maj.-Gen. Cyril, CB; *sen*: psc Director-General, Ctr. consultant, since 1968; President, Certificate of Education, since 1971. A. H. Lloyd. *Educ*: Brighton Grammar Class in Mathematics, Physics and Maths; MRST; Lecturer and Tutor, Territorial (RA), 1929-39; Major, Canadian Army, 1940-42. despatch: a Dep. Chief of Staff, 21 despatches, CBE), 1944-45; Dir. 1948-49; Member: Council of Boy Scouts, 1961-64; Cent. Techn. Institutions, 1962-64; Ctr. Ctee on Educ in Colonies, 1962-64; Lecturer on Technical and Vocational Training for Overseas Countries,

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**MAXWELL SCOTT, Sir Michael Fergus**, 13th Bt cr 1642; b 23 July 1921; s of Rear-Adm. Malcolm Raphael Joseph Maxwell Scott, DSO (d 1943), and Fearga Victoria Mary (d 1969) e d of Rt Hon. Sir Nicholas Roderick O'Connor, PC, GCB, GCMG; s to baronetcy of kinsman, Sir Ralph (Raphael) Stanley De Marie Haggerston, 1972; m 1963, Deirdre Moira, d of late Alexander McKechnie; two s one d. Educ: Ampleforth; Trinity College, Cambridge. Publication: Stories of Famous Scientists, 1965. Recreations: sailing, fishing, gardening. Heir: s Dominic James Maxwell Scott, b 22 July 1968. Address: 10 Evelyn Mansions, Carlisle Place, SW1. T: 01-828 0333. Club: Army and Navy.

**MAY, family name of Baron May.**

**MAY, 3rd Baron**, cr 1935, of Weybridge; Michael St John May; 3rd Bt, cr 1931; late Lieut, Royal Corps of Signals; b 26 Sept. 1931; o s of 2nd Baron May and d of George Ricardo Thomas; s father 1950; m 1st, 1958, Dorothea Catherine Ann (marr. diss. 1963), d of Charles McCarthy, Boston, USA; 2nd, 1963, Jillian Mary, d of Albert Edward Shipton, Beggars Barn, Shutford, Oxon; one s one d. Educ: Wycliffe Coll., Stonehouse, Glou; Magdalene Coll., Cambridge. 2nd Lieut, Royal Signals, 1950. Recreations: flying, travel. Heir: s Hon. Jasper Bertram St John May, b 24 Oct. 1965. Address: Gauthers Barn, Sibford Gower, Oxon.

**MAY, Anthony Tristram Kenneth**, QC 1979; b 9 Sept. 1940; s of Kenneth Sibley May and Joan Marguerite (née Oldaker); m 1968, Stella Gay Pattison; one s two d. Educ: Bradfield Coll.; Worcester Coll., Oxford (Trevelyan Scholar 1960. Hon. Scholar 1962; MA). Inner Temple Scholar, 1965; called to the Bar, 1967. Jun. Counsel to DoE for Land Comm Act Matters, 1972. Chm., Guildford Choral Soc. Recreations: gardening, music, books. Address: 11 King's Bench Walk, Temple, EC4Y 7EQ. T: 01-353 9281.

**MAY, Prof. Brian Albert**; Head, National College of Agricultural Engineering, since 1976; Professor of Environmental Control and Processing, since 1975, and Dean, Faculty of Agricultural Engineering, Food Production and Rural Land Use, since 1977, Cranfield Institute of Technology, b 2 June 1936; s of Albert Robert and Eileen May; m 1961, Brenda Ann Smith; three s. Educ: Faversham Grammar Sch.; Aston Univ., Birmingham. Design Engineer, Massey Ferguson, 1958-63; National College of Agricultural Engineering; Lectr., 1963-68; Sen. Lectr., 1968-72; Principal Lectr., 1972-75; Head of Environmental Control and Processing Dept., 1972-75. Publications: Power on the Land, 1974; papers in agric and enrg jls. Recreations: cricket, gardening, reading. Address: Fairfield Greenway, Campton Shefford, Beds SG17 5BN. T: Hitchin 813451. Club: Farmers'.

**MAY, Charles Alan Maynard**, FEng, FIEE, FBCS; Director of Research, British Telecom (formerly Post Office), since 1975; b 14 April 1924; s of late Cyril P. May and Katharine M. May; m 1947, Daphne, o d of late Bertram Carpenter; one s two d. Educ: The Grammar Sch., Ulverston, Cumbria; Christ's Coll., Cambridge (Mech. Sciences tripos 1944, MA), CEng, FIEE 1967; FBCS 1968. Served REME and Indian Army, 1944-47. Entered Post Office Engrg Dept., 1948; Head of Electronic Switching Gp, 1956; Staff Engr, Computer Engrg Br., 1966; Dep. Dir (Engrg), 1970. Dir, SIRA Technology Ltd, 1982-; Chm., IEE Electronics Div Bd, 1977-78; Member: Council, IEE, 1970-72 and 1976-80; BBC Engrg Adv. Cttee, 1978-; Adv. Cttee on Calibration and Measurement, 1978-83; Adv. Cttee, Dept of Electronic and Electrical Engrg, Sheffield Univ., 1979-82; Communications Systems Adv. Panel, Council of Educnl Technology, 1980-83; Ind. Adv. Bd, Sch. of Engr. and Applied Scis. Sussex Univ., 1981-; Council, ERA Technology, 1983-; Graham Young Lectr., Glasgow Univ., 1979. Via. Examr, Imperial Coll., Univ. of London, 1980-82; External Examr, NE London Polytechnic, 1982-; Governor, Suffolk Coll. of Higher and Further Educn, 1980-; Publications: contribs on telecommunications to learned jls. Recreations: gardening, camping, playing the piano. Address: Sherbourne, Glendene Avenue, East Horsley, Leatherhead, Surrey KT24 5AY. T: East Horsley 2521.

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**MAY, Graham**; retired from Civil Service, 1981; b 15 Dec. 1923; s of Augustus May; m 1952, Marguerite Lucy Griffin; four s. Educ: Gravesend Cow / Sch. for Boye; Balliol Coll., Oxford (BA). War Service, Royal Artillery, 1942-46. Asst Principal, Min. of Works, 1948, Principal 1952; seconded to Treasury, 1961-63; Asst Sec., MPBW, 1963; Under Sec., DoE, 1972-81. Address: 2 West Cross, Tenterden, Kent TN30 6JL.

**MAY, Harry Blight**, MD, FRCP, retired; Director of Clinical Laboratories, The London Hospital, 1946-74; Consultant Pathologist to Royal Navy, 1950-74; b 12 Nov. 1908; s of John and Isobel May, Plymouth, Devon; m 1949, Dorothy Quartermaine; no c. Educ: Devonport; St John's Coll., Cambridge (Scholar). 1st cl. Natural Science Tripos, 1929. Postgraduate study Harvard Medical Sch., 1936. Dean, Faculty of Medicine, Univ. of London, 1960-64; Dean of Med. and Dental Sch., The London Hosp. Med. Coll., 1953-68; Mem. Senate, Univ. of London; Mem. Governing Body, Royal Veterinary Coll.; Examiner, Royal College of Physicians of London and Univ. of Oxford. Publications: Clinical Pathology (6th edn), 1951; papers on Antibacterial Agents and other medical subjects. Address: 3 Littlewood, Littleworth Road, Esher, Surrey. T: Esher 62394.

**MAY, John**; Councillor, Tyne and Wear County Council, since 1974 (Vice-Chairman, 1978-79, Chairman, 1979-80); b 24 May 1912; s of William and Sara May; m 1939, Mary Peacock (d 1980); two s. Educ: Holystone Council Sch., Newcastle upon Tyne. Councillor: Seaton Valley UDC, 1949-74 (Chm., 1963-64 and 1972-73); Northumberland CC, 1970-74; Tyne and Wear County Council: Chairman, Transport Cttee, 1980- (Vice-Chm., 1977-80). Address: 7 Etal Close, Shiremoor, Newcastle upon Tyne, Tyne and Wear. T: Whitley Bay 533204.

**MAY, Rt. Hon. Sir John (Douglas)**, Kt 1972; PC 1982; Rt. Hon. Lord Justice May; a Lord Justice of Appeal, since 1982; b 28 June 1923; s of late E. A. G. May, Shanghai, and of Mrs May, Whitelands House, SW3; m 1958, Mary, e d of Sir Owen Morshead, GCVO, KCB, DSO, MC, and Paquita, d of J. G. Hagemeyer; two s one d. Educ: Clifton Coll.; Balliol Coll., Oxford. Lieut (SpSc) RNVr, 1944-46. Barrister-at-Law, Inner Temple, 1947, Master of the Bench, 1972; QC 1965; Recorder of Maidstone, 1971; Leader, SE Circuit, 1971; Presiding Judge, Midland and Oxford Circuit, 1973-77; a Judge of the High Ct, Queen's Bench Division, 1972-82; a Judge of the Employment Appeal Tribunal, 1978-82. Mem., Parole Bd, 1977-80, Vice-Chm., 1980; Chm., Inquiry into UK Prison Services, 1978-79. Address: c/o Royal Courts of Justice, Strand, WC2. Club: Vincent's (Oxford).

**MAY, John Otto**, CBE 1962 (OBE 1949); HM Diplomatic Service; retired; b 21 April 1913; s of late Otto May, FRCP, MD; m 1939, Maureen McNally, one d. Educ: Sherborne; St John's Coll., Cambridge. Appnt to Dept of Oversea Trade, 1937. Private Sec. to Comptroller-General, 1939; Asst Commercial Secretary, Copenhagen, 1939; Helsinki, 1940; Ministry of Economic Warfare (Representative in Caracas), 1942-44; First Sec. (Commercial): Rome, 1945, Bucharest, 1948; Foreign Office, 1950-53; First Sec., Helsinki, 1954. Acted as Chargé d'Affaires in 1954, 1955, and 1956; Counsellor (Commercial) and Consul-General, HM Embassy, Athens, 1957-60; Consul-General: Genoa, 1960-65; Rotterdam, 1965-68; Gothenburg, 1968-72. Coronation Medal, 1953. Recreations: travel, photography, walking, philately. Address: 6 Millhedge Close, Cobham, Surrey KT11 3BE. T: Cobham 4645. Club: United Oxford & Cambridge University.

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MR BUTLER

Security Commission Appointments

--- Thank you for your minute of 20 May confirming that  
Thursday 6 June is acceptable for the announcement of the new  
--- appointments to the Security Commission. I attach a draft  
press notice, as agreed.

2. The Prime Minister may wish to confirm the changes to the  
--- Leader of the Opposition and inform him of the date of the  
announcement. A draft letter for this purpose is attached.

ROBERT ARMSTRONG

3 June 1985

DRAFT LETTER FROM THE PRIME MINISTER TO THE LEADER OF  
THE OPPOSITION

Lord Griffiths of Govilon (formerly Lord Justice Griffiths) has accepted my invitation to serve as Chairman of the Security Commission in succession to Lord Bridge and Lord Justice Lloyd has agreed to serve as member and alternate Chairman.

An announcement of these appointments will be made from here on 6 June.

DRAFT PRESS NOTICE

The Rt Honourable the Lord Griffiths of Govilon has been appointed Chairman of the Security Commission in succession to The Right Honourable the Lord Bridge of Harwich, the three year term of whose appointment expired on 1 May 1985.

The Rt Honourable Lord Justice Lloyd has been appointed to the Commission as member and alternate Chairman.

NOTE FOR EDITORS

The members of the Security Commission are now Lord Griffiths (Chairman), Lord Justice Lloyd, Lord Allen of Abbeydale, Sir Alan Cottrell, General Sir Hugh Beach, Air Chief Marshal Sir Alasdair Steedman and Sir Michael Palliser. They form a panel of seven from whom three or four, including the Chairman, are normally selected on each occasion when the Commission is invited to investigate a suspected breach of security.

Lord Bridge, 68, has been a Lord of Appeal in Ordinary since 1980. Educated at Marlborough College, he became a Barrister at Inner Temple in 1947, and has been a Judge of High Court, Queen's Bench Division, 1968-75; Presiding Judge, Western Circuit, 1972-74; and a Lord Justice of Appeal 1975-80. He has been a member of the Security Commission since 1977 and Chairman since 1982.

Lord Griffiths of Govilon has recently been appointed a Lord of Appeal in Ordinary. He was born in 1923 and educated at Charterhouse and St John's College, Cambridge. Since becoming a Barrister at Inner Temple in 1949 he has been Recorder of Margate (1962-64) a Judge of the High Court of Justice, Queen's Bench Division, 1971-80; and a Lord Justice of Appeal, 1980-85/ He has been a member and alternate Chairman of the Security Commission since 1982.



Lord Justice Lloyd, 56, was appointed a Lord Justice of Appeal in 1984. Educated at Eton and Trinity College, Cambridge, he was called to the Bar, Inner Temple in 1955. He was appointed Attorney-General to HRH the Prince of Wales in 1976 and was a Judge of the High Court of Justice, Queen's Bench Division 1978-84. [Lord Justice Lloyd is also the Chairman of The Three Advisers, who hear appeals in security cases.]

## BACKGROUND NOTE FOR PRESS OFFICE

The Security Commission has examined and reported on the following cases -

|               |   |                                   |
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| June 1965     | Mr F C Bossard and Staff Sergeant P S Allen | (Cmnd 2722)                       |
| July 1966     | Sq Ldr P J Reen                             | (Cmnd 3151)                       |
| June 1967     | Miss H Keenan                               | (Cmnd 3365)                       |
| November 1968 | Chief Technician D R Britten                | (Cmnd 3856)                       |
| January 1969  | Mr C E Bland                                | (Cmnd 3892)                       |
| May 1973      | Sub Lt D J Bingham and Mr L M Hinchliffe    | (Cmnd 5362)                       |
| July 1973     | Earl Jellicoe and Lord Lambton              | (Cmnd 5367)                       |
| May 1981      | Mr J B Wagstaff                             | (Cmnd 8325)                       |
| May 1983      | Mr G A Prime                                | (Cmnd 8876)                       |
| July 1983     | Miss R J Ritchie                            | (Hansard 28 July<br>cols 517-523) |

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| March 1984 | Lance Corporal P L Aldridge | (Cmnd 9212) |
| May 1985   | Mr M J Bettaney             | (Cmnd 9514) |

In addition the Security Commission was invited in March 1981 to report on security procedures and practices in the public service. The Government's statement on this report was published as a White Paper in May 1982 (Cmnd 8540).

IN CONFIDENCE



HOUSE OF COMMONS  
LONDON SW1A 0AA

The Office of the Leader of  
the Opposition

25 April 1985

*Dear Prime Minister,*

Thank you for your letter of 19 April 1985.

I have no objection either to the appointment of Lord Justice Griffiths to replace Lord Bridge of Harwich as Chairman of the Security Commission or Lord Justice Lloyd as Alternate Chairman in place of Lord Justice Griffiths.

*Yours sincerely*  
*Nail Kinnock*

The Rt. Hon. Margaret Thatcher P.M.



Prime Minister

Letter to Mr.

Kinnock attached for

your signature. We

do consult the leader of the Opposition about the Chairmanship only.

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MR BUTLER

Security Commission Appointments

Lord Justice Lloyd has indicated that he would be willing to accept membership of the Security Commission if so invited. The next step is for the Prime Minister to write to the Leader of the Opposition seeking his agreement to the appointment of Lord Justice Griffiths as Chairman of the Security Commission and Lord Justice Lloyd as Alternate Chairman and Member.

I attach a draft.

2. When Mr Kinnock has replied the way will be clear for the Prime Minister to send formal letters of appointment to Lord Justice Griffiths and Lord Justice Lloyd. I shall supply draft letters at the appropriate time.

*RA*

ROBERT ARMSTRONG

18 April 1985

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MR BUTLER

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Security Commission Appointment

Lord Justice Griffiths is willing to succeed Lord Bridge as Chairman of the Security Commission.

2. I have discussed with Lord Justice Griffiths who should succeed him as the other judicial Member and Alternate Chairman. He has a clear preference for Lord Justice Lloyd, partly on merits and partly because, while Lord Justice May is a little older than Lord Justice Griffiths, Lord Justice Lloyd is six years younger and would thus be more credible as an Alternate Chairman and as a potential successor.

3. Lord Bridge thinks that Lord Justice Lloyd would be the more suitable of the two.

4. It would be one advantage about taking Lord Justice Lloyd that he is already Chairman of the Three Advisers (who advise you on appeals against refusals of positive vetting clearances) and is thus already to some extent involved in security matters.

5. The Lord Chancellor and the Home Secretary are content that either Lord Justice Lloyd or Lord Justice May should be invited.

6. If the Prime Minister is content, I will now sound out Lord Justice Lloyd.

REA

ROBERT ARMSTRONG

1 April 1985

DRAFT LETTER

ADDRESSEE'S REFERENCE .....

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| <p>TO<br/>Lord Bridge</p> <p>(FULL POSTAL ADDRESS)</p> | <p>ENCLOSURES</p> | <p>COPIES TO BE SENT TO</p> <p>(FULL ADDRESSES, IF NECESSARY)</p> |
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LETTER DRAFTED FOR SIGNATURE BY ..... Prime Minister  
(NAME OF SIGNATORY)

I wrote to you on 5 March 1982 formally inviting you to take up the appointment as the judicial monitor for the interception of communications for a period of three years in the first instance.

I am deeply grateful to you for your work as monitor since then. As you know, we are now in the midst of a particularly testing period in the field of interception, with the Bill likely to come under searching Parliamentary and public scrutiny. It is particularly important that during this period the role of monitor should continue to be undertaken by someone with your experience and integrity. I understand that, even though you would not wish to continue as Chairman of the Security Commission, you would be willing to continue as monitor until the proposed statutory Commissioner is appointed to undertake a similar task when the Bill becomes law.

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LANA

I am therefore writing to invite you to continue in post as monitor of the interception arrangements described in the 1980 White Paper for a further period of up to a year, on the understanding that the duties involved will become the responsibility of the statutory Commissioner thereafter from the date of his appointment. With one addition, your terms of reference will continue to be those set out in Viscount Whitelaw's statement of 1 April 1980:

"To review on a continuing basis the purposes, procedures, conditions and safeguards governing the interception of communications on behalf of the police, HM Customs and Excise and the Security Service, as set out in Cmnd Paper 7873; and to report to the Prime Minister."

I understand that

The one addition, which you have very kindly agreed to undertake, is the monitoring, on a similar basis, of any interception undertaken in accordance with the second half of paragraph 12(d) of the 1985 White Paper (Cmnd 9438), ie that of external communications selected by reference to particular addresses in the UK for the purposes of preventing and detecting acts of terrorism.

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