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BUILDING APPROVALS : AUSTRALIA, FEBRUARY, 1964

1. Statistics of building approvals have been compiled from (a) permits issued by local government authorities in the areas subject to building control by these authorities, and (b) contracts let or work commenced and day labour projects authorized by governmental authorities. They relate only to approvals for buildings, as distinct from the construction of roads, bridges, railways, earth works, water storage, etc. Values shown represent the estimated cost when completed (excluding cost of land) of new buildings and alterations and additions to existing buildings. Additions of £5,000 and over are included with new buildings in all States, except New South Wales, where they are included in "alterations and additions". Building is classified as "Private" or "Government" according to ownership.

2. For purposes of comparison, it should be borne in mind that the volume of building approvals is affected from month to month by the number of large projects such as blocks of flats and multi-storey office buildings approved in particular months and also by the administrative arrangements of local government and semi-governmental authorities.

3. During February, 1964, approvals were granted for the construction of 8,748 new houses and flats valued at £30,338,000. The total number of individual living units approved for the three months ended February, 1964, was 24,144 valued at £82,418,000 compared with 18,816 units valued at £63,973,000 for the three months ended February, 1963. New buildings, other than houses and flats, valued at £16,209,000 and alterations and additions valued at £7,270,000 were approved during February, 1964. The total value of all building approved during the three months ended February, 1964, was £161,581,000 which was £23,900,000 more than the value for the three months ended February, 1963, and £38,113,000 more than that for the three months ended February, 1962.

4. The following tables show further details of building approvals for February, 1964 in comparison with details for earlier months.

TABLE 1. - BUILDING APPROVALS : AUSTRALIA

| Period                                                                           | Private |         |         | Government |         |         | Total   |         |         |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------|---------|---------|------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
|                                                                                  | 1961-62 | 1962-63 | 1963-64 | 1961-62    | 1962-63 | 1963-64 | 1961-62 | 1962-63 | 1963-64 |
| NUMBER OF NEW HOUSES AND FLATS APPROVED : AUSTRALIA<br>(Individual living units) |         |         |         |            |         |         |         |         |         |
| July                                                                             | 5,818   | 7,167   | 7,656   | 1,197      | 1,106   | 1,809   | 7,015   | 8,273   | 9,465   |
| August                                                                           | 6,950   | 7,338   | 8,120   | 775        | 920     | 1,421   | 7,725   | 8,258   | 9,541   |
| September                                                                        | 5,540   | 6,631   | 8,161   | 1,483      | 2,354   | 2,123   | 7,023   | 8,985   | 10,284  |
| October                                                                          | 6,066   | 7,076   | 8,758   | 1,099      | 1,200   | 1,264   | 7,165   | 8,276   | 10,022  |
| November                                                                         | 6,394   | 6,697   | 8,123   | 1,014      | 1,187   | 1,133   | 7,408   | 7,884   | 9,256   |
| December                                                                         | 4,397   | 4,780   | 6,518   | 1,531      | 694     | 1,411   | 5,928   | 5,474   | 7,929   |
| January                                                                          | 4,842   | 5,457   | 6,637   | 517        | 468     | 830     | 5,359   | 5,925   | 7,467   |
| February                                                                         | 5,551   | 6,208   | 7,539   | 921        | 1,209   | 1,209   | 6,472   | 7,417   | 8,748   |
| Three months ended February                                                      | 14,790  | 16,445  | 20,694  | 2,969      | 2,371   | 3,450   | 17,759  | 18,816  | 24,144  |
| March                                                                            | 6,474   | 6,807   |         | 1,005      | 1,140   |         | 7,479   | 7,947   |         |
| April                                                                            | 5,781   | 6,594   |         | 1,443      | 1,703   |         | 7,224   | 8,297   |         |
| May                                                                              | 6,723   | 7,867   |         | 1,772      | 1,319   |         | 8,495   | 9,186   |         |
| June                                                                             | 6,094   | 6,852   |         | 1,404      | 1,615   |         | 7,498   | 8,467   |         |
| Year ended June                                                                  | 70,630  | 79,474  |         | 14,161     | 14,915  |         | 84,791  | 94,389  |         |
| VALUE OF NEW HOUSES AND FLATS APPROVED : AUSTRALIA<br>(£'000)                    |         |         |         |            |         |         |         |         |         |
| July                                                                             | 19,498  | 24,542  | 27,041  | 3,323      | 3,018   | 5,674   | 22,821  | 27,560  | 32,715  |
| August                                                                           | 23,891  | 25,917  | 28,524  | 2,362      | 2,532   | 4,159   | 26,253  | 28,449  | 32,683  |
| September                                                                        | 18,732  | 22,759  | 28,711  | 4,369      | 5,361   | 6,314   | 23,101  | 28,120  | 35,025  |
| October                                                                          | 20,615  | 24,197  | 29,937  | 3,143      | 3,361   | 3,764   | 23,758  | 27,558  | 33,701  |
| November                                                                         | 21,485  | 22,974  | 28,759  | 3,045      | 3,507   | 3,232   | 24,530  | 26,481  | 31,991  |
| December                                                                         | 14,721  | 16,684  | 22,661  | 4,319      | 2,003   | 4,197   | 19,040  | 18,687  | 26,858  |
| January                                                                          | 16,360  | 19,109  | 22,785  | 1,604      | 1,334   | 2,437   | 17,964  | 20,443  | 25,222  |
| February                                                                         | 18,855  | 21,248  | 26,734  | 2,536      | 3,595   | 3,604   | 21,391  | 24,643  | 30,338  |
| Three months ended February                                                      | 49,936  | 57,041  | 72,180  | 8,459      | 6,932   | 10,238  | 58,395  | 63,973  | 82,418  |
| March                                                                            | 21,870  | 23,231  |         | 2,836      | 3,310   |         | 24,706  | 26,541  |         |
| April                                                                            | 19,465  | 22,723  |         | 4,011      | 5,428   |         | 23,476  | 28,151  |         |
| May                                                                              | 22,964  | 27,441  |         | 4,541      | 3,870   |         | 27,505  | 31,311  |         |
| June                                                                             | 20,838  | 23,517  |         | 3,909      | 4,705   |         | 24,747  | 28,222  |         |
| Year ended June                                                                  | 239,294 | 274,342 |         | 39,998     | 42,024  |         | 279,292 | 316,366 |         |

TABLE 1. - BUILDING APPROVALS : AUSTRALIA (continued)

| Period                                                             | Private |         |         | Government |         |         | Total   |         |         |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------|---------|---------|---------|------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
|                                                                    | 1961-62 | 1962-63 | 1963-64 | 1961-62    | 1962-63 | 1963-64 | 1961-62 | 1962-63 | 1963-64 |
| VALUE OF OTHER NEW BUILDINGS APPROVED : AUSTRALIA<br>(£'000)       |         |         |         |            |         |         |         |         |         |
| July                                                               | 8,720   | 16,610  | 12,491  | 5,393      | 10,995  | 7,245   | 14,113  | 27,605  | 19,736  |
| August                                                             | 14,745  | 14,844  | 15,645  | 6,193      | 4,699   | 10,630  | 20,938  | 19,543  | 26,275  |
| September                                                          | 12,156  | 9,977   | 15,265  | 11,201     | 9,827   | 13,607  | 23,357  | 19,804  | 28,872  |
| October                                                            | 7,888   | 14,745  | 13,191  | 11,496     | 7,942   | 11,628  | 19,384  | 22,687  | 24,819  |
| November                                                           | 15,142  | 11,964  | 13,938  | 7,650      | 8,831   | 6,322   | 22,792  | 20,795  | 20,260  |
| December                                                           | 9,854   | 10,829  | 10,170  | 6,881      | 5,096   | 8,874   | 16,735  | 15,925  | 19,044  |
| January                                                            | 8,295   | 11,438  | 8,609   | 6,548      | 13,055  | 15,759  | 14,843  | 24,493  | 24,368  |
| February                                                           | 11,693  | 9,365   | 9,651   | 6,115      | 6,492   | 6,558   | 17,808  | 15,857  | 16,209  |
| Three months<br>ended February                                     | 29,842  | 31,632  | 28,430  | 19,544     | 24,643  | 31,191  | 49,386  | 56,275  | 59,621  |
| March                                                              | 11,908  | 11,997  |         | 9,313      | 7,052   |         | 21,221  | 19,049  |         |
| April                                                              | 11,525  | 11,416  |         | 8,514      | 11,240  |         | 20,039  | 22,656  |         |
| May                                                                | 15,663  | 13,864  |         | 5,220      | 11,517  |         | 20,883  | 25,381  |         |
| June                                                               | 8,873   | 12,502  |         | 7,585      | 9,354   |         | 16,458  | 21,886  |         |
| Year ended<br>June                                                 | 136,462 | 149,551 |         | 92,109     | 106,130 |         | 228,571 | 255,681 |         |
| VALUE OF ALTERATIONS AND ADDITIONS APPROVED : AUSTRALIA<br>(£'000) |         |         |         |            |         |         |         |         |         |
| July                                                               | 5,568   | 6,627   | 7,104   | 1,189      | 746     | 533     | 6,757   | 7,373   | 7,637   |
| August                                                             | 6,774   | 7,426   | 7,456   | 648        | 386     | 679     | 7,422   | 7,812   | 8,135   |
| September                                                          | 6,277   | 7,580   | 6,542   | 484        | 944     | 555     | 6,761   | 8,524   | 7,097   |
| October                                                            | 6,124   | 7,850   | 8,258   | 467        | 566     | 523     | 6,591   | 8,416   | 8,781   |
| November                                                           | 6,530   | 6,739   | 7,180   | 356        | 597     | 749     | 6,886   | 7,336   | 7,929   |
| December                                                           | 4,020   | 4,881   | 5,498   | 202        | 818     | 497     | 4,222   | 5,699   | 5,995   |
| January                                                            | 4,682   | 5,052   | 5,694   | 1,148      | 675     | 583     | 5,830   | 5,727   | 6,277   |
| February                                                           | 5,178   | 5,454   | 6,594   | 457        | 553     | 676     | 5,635   | 6,007   | 7,270   |
| Three months<br>ended February                                     | 13,880  | 15,387  | 17,786  | 1,807      | 2,046   | 1,756   | 15,687  | 17,433  | 19,542  |
| March                                                              | 7,041   | 6,167   |         | 907        | 705     |         | 7,948   | 6,872   |         |
| April                                                              | 5,418   | 6,548   |         | 583        | 417     |         | 6,001   | 6,965   |         |
| May                                                                | 6,344   | 7,446   |         | 908        | 641     |         | 7,252   | 8,087   |         |
| June                                                               | 5,513   | 6,492   |         | 1,287      | 818     |         | 6,800   | 7,310   |         |
| Year ended<br>June                                                 | 69,469  | 78,262  |         | 8,636      | 7,866   |         | 78,105  | 86,128  |         |
| TOTAL VALUE OF BUILDING APPROVED : AUSTRALIA<br>(£'000)            |         |         |         |            |         |         |         |         |         |
| July                                                               | 33,786  | 47,779  | 46,636  | 9,905      | 14,759  | 13,452  | 43,691  | 62,538  | 60,088  |
| August                                                             | 45,410  | 48,187  | 51,625  | 9,203      | 7,617   | 15,468  | 54,613  | 55,804  | 67,093  |
| September                                                          | 37,165  | 40,316  | 50,518  | 16,054     | 16,132  | 20,476  | 53,219  | 56,448  | 70,994  |
| October                                                            | 34,627  | 46,792  | 51,386  | 15,106     | 11,869  | 15,915  | 49,733  | 58,661  | 67,301  |
| November                                                           | 43,157  | 41,677  | 49,877  | 11,051     | 12,935  | 10,303  | 54,208  | 54,612  | 60,180  |
| December                                                           | 28,595  | 32,394  | 38,329  | 11,402     | 7,917   | 13,568  | 39,997  | 40,311  | 51,897  |
| January                                                            | 29,337  | 35,599  | 37,088  | 9,300      | 15,064  | 18,779  | 38,637  | 50,663  | 55,867  |
| February                                                           | 35,726  | 36,067  | 42,979  | 9,108      | 10,640  | 10,838  | 44,834  | 46,707  | 53,817  |
| Three months<br>ended February                                     | 93,658  | 104,060 | 118,396 | 29,810     | 33,621  | 43,185  | 123,468 | 137,681 | 161,581 |
| March                                                              | 40,819  | 41,395  |         | 13,056     | 11,067  |         | 53,875  | 52,462  |         |
| April                                                              | 36,408  | 40,687  |         | 13,108     | 17,085  |         | 49,516  | 57,772  |         |
| May                                                                | 44,971  | 48,751  |         | 10,669     | 16,028  |         | 55,640  | 64,779  |         |
| June                                                               | 35,224  | 42,511  |         | 12,781     | 14,907  |         | 48,005  | 57,418  |         |
| Year ended<br>June                                                 | 445,225 | 502,155 |         | 140,743    | 156,020 |         | 585,968 | 658,175 |         |

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TABLE 2. - BUILDING APPROVALS : STATES

(Private and Government)

| Period                                                               | N.S.W. | Vic.   | Q'ld.  | S.A.   | W.A.  | Tas.  | N.T. | A.C.T. | Aust.  |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|-------|-------|------|--------|--------|
| NUMBER OF NEW HOUSES AND FLATS APPROVED<br>(Individual living units) |        |        |        |        |       |       |      |        |        |
| Year - 1961-62                                                       | 32,640 | 21,405 | 10,752 | 8,536  | 6,883 | 2,644 | 471  | 1,460  | 84,791 |
| 1962-63                                                              | 34,700 | 26,022 | 10,428 | 10,776 | 7,466 | 2,644 | 423  | 1,930  | 94,389 |
| 1962 - January                                                       | 2,234  | 1,217  | 684    | 484    | 426   | 149   | 42   | 123    | 5,359  |
| February                                                             | 2,121  | 1,857  | 828    | 675    | 660   | 183   | 81   | 67     | 6,472  |
| March                                                                | 2,733  | 1,966  | 973    | 629    | 722   | 293   | 60   | 103    | 7,479  |
| April                                                                | 3,199  | 1,614  | 901    | 670    | 494   | 200   | 24   | 122    | 7,224  |
| May                                                                  | 3,131  | 2,013  | 940    | 1,300  | 603   | 238   | 31   | 239    | 8,495  |
| June                                                                 | 2,711  | 2,077  | 1,222  | 602    | 486   | 215   | 43   | 142    | 7,498  |
| July                                                                 | 3,211  | 2,306  | 898    | 763    | 616   | 237   | 10   | 232    | 8,273  |
| August                                                               | 3,318  | 2,108  | 960    | 802    | 592   | 210   | 70   | 198    | 8,258  |
| September                                                            | 2,862  | 2,115  | 786    | 2,239  | 583   | 234   | 23   | 143    | 8,985  |
| October                                                              | 2,829  | 2,639  | 948    | 695    | 765   | 222   | 93   | 85     | 8,276  |
| November                                                             | 2,963  | 2,417  | 852    | 690    | 489   | 229   | 23   | 221    | 7,884  |
| December                                                             | 2,137  | 1,602  | 604    | 447    | 428   | 141   | 28   | 87     | 5,474  |
| 1963 - January                                                       | 2,355  | 1,552  | 658    | 561    | 489   | 202   | 6    | 102    | 5,925  |
| February                                                             | 2,734  | 1,938  | 938    | 681    | 602   | 229   | 39   | 256    | 7,417  |
| March                                                                | 2,720  | 2,191  | 1,091  | 730    | 682   | 303   | 29   | 201    | 7,947  |
| April                                                                | 3,059  | 2,623  | 828    | 741    | 735   | 183   | 21   | 107    | 8,297  |
| May                                                                  | 3,400  | 2,581  | 997    | 969    | 755   | 258   | 32   | 194    | 9,186  |
| June                                                                 | 3,112  | 1,950  | 868    | 1,458  | 730   | 196   | 49   | 104    | 8,467  |
| July                                                                 | 3,108  | 2,390  | 1,001  | 1,690  | 716   | 206   | 112  | 242    | 9,465  |
| August                                                               | 3,607  | 2,473  | 1,333  | 799    | 875   | 222   | 49   | 183    | 9,541  |
| September                                                            | 3,995  | 2,913  | 1,125  | 998    | 854   | 253   | 47   | 99     | 10,284 |
| October                                                              | 3,464  | 3,056  | 1,119  | 835    | 1,000 | 298   | 17   | 233    | 10,022 |
| November                                                             | 3,884  | 2,490  | 962    | 808    | 680   | 255   | 41   | 136    | 9,256  |
| December                                                             | 2,962  | 2,233  | 843    | 925    | 628   | 210   | 31   | 97     | 7,929  |
| 1964 - January                                                       | 3,229  | 1,807  | 816    | 695    | 535   | 166   | 99   | 120    | 7,467  |
| February                                                             | 3,230  | 2,627  | 979    | 735    | 705   | 219   | 56   | 197    | 8,748  |

VALUE OF NEW HOUSES AND FLATS APPROVED  
(£'000)

|                |         |        |        |        |        |       |       |       |         |
|----------------|---------|--------|--------|--------|--------|-------|-------|-------|---------|
| Year - 1961-62 | 104,124 | 75,213 | 32,776 | 27,976 | 21,711 | 8,475 | 1,925 | 7,092 | 279,292 |
| 1962-63        | 111,985 | 93,134 | 33,635 | 34,035 | 24,102 | 8,678 | 1,912 | 8,885 | 316,366 |
| 1962 - January | 7,470   | 4,218  | 2,066  | 1,583  | 1,369  | 453   | 193   | 612   | 17,964  |
| February       | 6,800   | 6,527  | 2,534  | 2,233  | 2,015  | 633   | 290   | 359   | 21,391  |
| March          | 8,654   | 6,953  | 2,948  | 2,259  | 2,177  | 917   | 259   | 539   | 24,706  |
| April          | 9,844   | 5,661  | 2,764  | 2,337  | 1,595  | 613   | 73    | 589   | 23,476  |
| May            | 9,920   | 7,185  | 3,048  | 3,485  | 1,935  | 764   | 143   | 1,025 | 27,505  |
| June           | 8,483   | 7,068  | 3,721  | 2,205  | 1,638  | 717   | 213   | 702   | 24,747  |
| July           | 10,385  | 8,247  | 2,892  | 2,498  | 1,985  | 729   | 49    | 775   | 27,560  |
| August         | 10,702  | 7,809  | 3,086  | 2,833  | 2,060  | 707   | 294   | 958   | 28,449  |
| September      | 9,167   | 7,607  | 2,513  | 5,327  | 1,903  | 787   | 106   | 710   | 28,120  |
| October        | 8,971   | 9,097  | 3,056  | 2,407  | 2,367  | 772   | 386   | 502   | 27,558  |
| November       | 9,444   | 8,482  | 2,706  | 2,434  | 1,615  | 690   | 115   | 995   | 26,481  |
| December       | 7,098   | 5,660  | 1,905  | 1,560  | 1,423  | 444   | 139   | 458   | 18,687  |
| 1963 - January | 8,033   | 5,608  | 2,178  | 1,843  | 1,587  | 656   | 31    | 507   | 20,443  |
| February       | 8,735   | 7,033  | 2,950  | 2,331  | 1,859  | 758   | 147   | 1,030 | 24,843  |
| March          | 8,641   | 7,815  | 3,459  | 2,552  | 2,027  | 943   | 132   | 972   | 26,541  |
| April          | 9,652   | 9,612  | 2,688  | 2,541  | 2,389  | 626   | 127   | 516   | 28,151  |
| May            | 11,134  | 9,173  | 3,316  | 3,232  | 2,523  | 877   | 151   | 905   | 31,311  |
| June           | 10,023  | 6,991  | 2,886  | 4,477  | 2,364  | 689   | 235   | 557   | 28,222  |
| July           | 10,453  | 8,531  | 3,376  | 5,764  | 2,400  | 720   | 393   | 1,078 | 32,715  |
| August         | 11,802  | 9,048  | 4,292  | 2,854  | 2,766  | 822   | 231   | 868   | 32,683  |
| September      | 12,841  | 10,486 | 3,685  | 3,455  | 2,850  | 876   | 278   | 554   | 35,025  |
| October        | 11,277  | 10,780 | 3,600  | 2,947  | 3,137  | 1,004 | 74    | 882   | 33,701  |
| November       | 13,020  | 9,090  | 3,160  | 2,766  | 2,249  | 917   | 187   | 602   | 31,991  |
| December       | 9,560   | 7,937  | 2,813  | 3,098  | 2,104  | 712   | 152   | 482   | 26,858  |
| 1964 - January | 10,217  | 6,551  | 2,836  | 2,276  | 2,170  | 590   | 448   | 601   | 25,222  |
| February       | 10,846  | 9,266  | 3,252  | 2,627  | 2,403  | 743   | 322   | 879   | 30,338  |

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TABLE 2. - BUILDING APPROVALS : STATES (continued)

(Private and Government)

| Period                                                                                 | N.S.W.  | Vic.    | Q'd.   | S.A.   | W.A.   | Tas.   | N.T.  | A.C.T. | Aust.   |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------|---------|--------|--------|--------|--------|-------|--------|---------|
| VALUE OF OTHER NEW BUILDINGS APPROVED (£'000)<br>(Excluding Alterations and Additions) |         |         |        |        |        |        |       |        |         |
| Year - 1961-62                                                                         | 81,724  | 64,098  | 23,412 | 21,704 | 14,700 | 9,457  | 1,804 | 11,592 | 228,571 |
| 1962-63                                                                                | 89,632  | 71,037  | 30,709 | 23,527 | 14,956 | 9,198  | 2,715 | 13,907 | 255,681 |
| 1962 - January                                                                         | 6,295   | 5,306   | 1,072  | 722    | 589    | 650    | 127   | 82     | 14,843  |
| February                                                                               | 4,388   | 5,608   | 1,975  | 3,432  | 652    | 700    | 29    | 1,024  | 17,808  |
| March                                                                                  | 6,204   | 5,051   | 3,135  | 1,261  | 1,087  | 1,500  | 182   | 2,801  | 21,221  |
| April                                                                                  | 7,993   | 6,897   | 1,966  | 1,496  | 897    | 220    | 128   | 442    | 20,039  |
| May                                                                                    | 4,960   | 8,256   | 2,562  | 2,096  | 1,247  | 610    | 115   | 1,037  | 20,883  |
| June                                                                                   | 4,401   | 5,479   | 2,093  | 1,414  | 1,539  | 494    | 230   | 808    | 16,458  |
| July                                                                                   | 11,906  | 6,306   | 2,899  | 3,452  | 2,056  | 762    | 10    | 214    | 27,605  |
| August                                                                                 | 5,091   | 8,012   | 2,432  | 1,276  | 1,309  | 895    | 113   | 415    | 19,543  |
| September                                                                              | 7,296   | 6,716   | 1,675  | 2,360  | 938    | 513    | 186   | 120    | 19,804  |
| October                                                                                | 8,107   | 5,697   | 2,202  | 3,856  | 1,266  | 509    | 31    | 1,019  | 22,687  |
| November                                                                               | 9,602   | 4,358   | 1,546  | 1,316  | 869    | 516    | 218   | 2,370  | 20,795  |
| December                                                                               | 6,068   | 4,524   | 1,645  | 1,132  | 1,205  | 634    | 316   | 401    | 15,925  |
| 1963 - January                                                                         | 12,134  | 4,548   | 3,196  | 1,845  | 715    | 664    | 70    | 1,321  | 24,493  |
| February                                                                               | 3,788   | 4,984   | 2,309  | 1,381  | 1,077  | 624    | 715   | 979    | 15,857  |
| March                                                                                  | 4,320   | 6,505   | 2,819  | 2,234  | 1,930  | 695    | 125   | 421    | 19,049  |
| April                                                                                  | 6,533   | 5,896   | 3,537  | 1,498  | 1,307  | 1,511  | 90    | 284    | 22,656  |
| May                                                                                    | 6,581   | 9,071   | 3,895  | 1,263  | 1,178  | 939    | 265   | 2,189  | 25,381  |
| June                                                                                   | 8,206   | 4,420   | 2,554  | 1,914  | 1,106  | 936    | 576   | 2,174  | 21,886  |
| July                                                                                   | 6,528   | 5,418   | 3,038  | 1,728  | 1,291  | 502    | 33    | 1,198  | 19,736  |
| August                                                                                 | 12,030  | 4,782   | 3,022  | 903    | 4,238  | 733    | 23    | 544    | 26,275  |
| September                                                                              | 9,709   | 7,369   | 5,756  | 2,432  | 2,496  | 333    | 255   | 522    | 28,872  |
| October                                                                                | 6,534   | 5,938   | 2,905  | 4,306  | 4,174  | 531    | 93    | 338    | 24,819  |
| November                                                                               | 5,011   | 4,864   | 3,983  | 3,557  | 1,073  | 261    | 368   | 1,143  | 20,260  |
| December                                                                               | 5,265   | 3,906   | 3,230  | 2,892  | 2,610  | 375    | 267   | 499    | 19,044  |
| 1964 - January                                                                         | 7,601   | 6,612   | 2,509  | 4,877  | 1,514  | 603    | 147   | 505    | 24,368  |
| February                                                                               | 3,849   | 5,054   | 2,071  | 1,652  | 1,067  | 482    | 376   | 1,658  | 16,209  |
| TOTAL VALUE OF BUILDING APPROVED (£'000)<br>(Including Alterations and Additions)      |         |         |        |        |        |        |       |        |         |
| Year - 1961-62                                                                         | 225,414 | 157,648 | 64,520 | 56,386 | 39,833 | 18,903 | 3,942 | 19,322 | 585,968 |
| 1962-63                                                                                | 245,443 | 184,445 | 73,238 | 64,740 | 43,034 | 18,707 | 4,830 | 23,738 | 658,175 |
| 1962 - January                                                                         | 17,184  | 10,740  | 3,587  | 2,718  | 2,203  | 1,159  | 325   | 721    | 38,637  |
| February                                                                               | 13,662  | 13,664  | 5,165  | 6,117  | 2,929  | 1,428  | 332   | 1,537  | 44,834  |
| March                                                                                  | 19,280  | 13,511  | 6,920  | 4,186  | 3,545  | 2,557  | 459   | 3,417  | 53,875  |
| April                                                                                  | 20,637  | 14,024  | 5,569  | 4,381  | 2,752  | 897    | 207   | 1,049  | 49,516  |
| May                                                                                    | 17,970  | 17,114  | 6,471  | 6,541  | 3,585  | 1,477  | 315   | 2,167  | 55,640  |
| June                                                                                   | 16,140  | 14,410  | 6,531  | 4,171  | 3,451  | 1,286  | 481   | 1,535  | 48,005  |
| July                                                                                   | 26,078  | 16,326  | 6,572  | 6,523  | 4,359  | 1,556  | 72    | 1,052  | 62,538  |
| August                                                                                 | 19,784  | 17,652  | 6,408  | 4,647  | 3,779  | 1,685  | 429   | 1,420  | 55,804  |
| September                                                                              | 21,246  | 15,991  | 5,039  | 8,372  | 3,172  | 1,378  | 301   | 949    | 56,448  |
| October                                                                                | 21,401  | 16,818  | 6,182  | 6,860  | 4,017  | 1,373  | 439   | 1,571  | 58,661  |
| November                                                                               | 22,780  | 14,483  | 5,116  | 4,358  | 2,781  | 1,289  | 352   | 3,453  | 54,612  |
| December                                                                               | 16,383  | 11,321  | 4,083  | 3,117  | 2,886  | 1,117  | 470   | 934    | 40,311  |
| 1963 - January                                                                         | 22,968  | 11,523  | 5,970  | 4,177  | 2,596  | 1,380  | 113   | 1,936  | 50,663  |
| February                                                                               | 15,283  | 13,515  | 5,913  | 4,289  | 3,257  | 1,449  | 870   | 2,131  | 46,707  |
| March                                                                                  | 16,008  | 16,156  | 7,011  | 5,611  | 4,262  | 1,701  | 278   | 1,435  | 52,462  |
| April                                                                                  | 19,276  | 17,694  | 6,921  | 4,589  | 4,032  | 2,188  | 224   | 2,848  | 57,772  |
| May                                                                                    | 21,942  | 20,144  | 7,912  | 5,155  | 4,051  | 1,906  | 435   | 3,234  | 64,779  |
| June                                                                                   | 22,294  | 12,822  | 6,111  | 7,042  | 3,842  | 1,685  | 847   | 2,775  | 57,418  |
| July                                                                                   | 20,911  | 15,721  | 7,146  | 8,164  | 4,056  | 1,290  | 455   | 2,345  | 60,088  |
| August                                                                                 | 28,431  | 15,488  | 8,016  | 4,413  | 7,304  | 1,666  | 278   | 1,497  | 67,093  |
| September                                                                              | 25,741  | 19,561  | 10,437 | 6,507  | 5,656  | 1,339  | 568   | 1,185  | 70,994  |
| October                                                                                | 22,468  | 18,694  | 7,274  | 7,975  | 7,751  | 1,621  | 216   | 1,302  | 67,301  |
| November                                                                               | 22,318  | 15,746  | 7,816  | 6,935  | 3,653  | 1,279  | 583   | 1,850  | 60,180  |
| December                                                                               | 17,852  | 13,185  | 6,637  | 6,608  | 5,027  | 1,139  | 446   | 1,003  | 51,897  |
| 1964 - January                                                                         | 21,053  | 14,548  | 6,032  | 7,736  | 3,494  | 1,242  | 616   | 1,146  | 55,867  |
| February                                                                               | 18,563  | 15,998  | 5,928  | 4,860  | 3,866  | 1,287  | 708   | 2,607  | 53,817  |

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