Vote on Account 2006-07

for the year ending 31 March 2007

National Audit Office

Presented by the Chairman of the Public Accounts Commission Ordered by the House of Commons to be printed 17 November 2005

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INTRODUCTION

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NATIONAL AUDIT OFFICE

- 1. Under section 4 of the National Audit Act 1983 the Public Accounts Commission is required to lay before the House of Commons annual estimates in respect of the National Audit Office prepared by the Comptroller and Auditor General. Statutory authority for the issue of a sum from the Consolidated Fund equal to the Vote on Account will be sought in the winter Consolidated Fund Bill.
- 2. The Vote on Account provides resources and cash to allow existing services to continue in the early months of the coming financial year, pending Parliament's consideration of the National Audit Office's Main Estimate for 2006-07. The National Audit Office's Main Estimates for 2006-07 will be presented around the start of that financial year. Parliament normally authorises the provision sought there towards the end of July, when the Appropriation Act is passed.
- 3. The Vote on Account provision for the National Audit Office is based on the standard 45 per cent of the amounts already voted for the corresponding services in the current year. This should be sufficient to ensure that the provision made for the service is not exhausted before the Appropriation Act is passed in the summer, but not so high as to pre-judge Parliament's consideration of the main Supply Estimate.
- 4. This Vote on Account in respect of the National Audit Office is presented today by the Chairman of the Public Accounts Commission in HC 468

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NATIONAL AUDIT OFFICE

Total Net Resource Requirement £29,573,000

Total Net Cash Requirement £29,362,000

Amount required for a **VOTE ON ACCOUNT** for the year ending 31 March 2007 in respect of the National Audit Office.

HOUSE OF COMMONS

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		2005-06	2006-07	2005-06	2006-07
Rfi	R Service	Total Net Resources to date on which provision on account is based	Required on account	Total Net Cash Requirement to date on which provision on account is based	Required on account
		£000	£000	£000	£000
	National Audit Office				
1	Providing independent assurated Parliament and other organisations on the management of public resources.		29,573	65,250	29,362

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