

## 1983 No. 328

## RATES

## Rates (Payment by Instalments) Order (Northern Ireland) 1983

Made . . . . . 24th October 1983

Coming into operation . . . . . 21st November 1983

To be laid before Parliament under paragraph 3(3) of Schedule 1  
to the Northern Ireland Act 1974

The Department of the Environment, in exercise of the powers conferred by Article 29((1A)(a) of the Rates (Northern Ireland) Order 1977(b) and now vested in it(c) and of every other power enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following Order:—

*Citation and commencement*

1. This Order may be cited as the Rates (Payment by Instalments) Order (Northern Ireland) 1983 and shall come into operation on 21st November 1983.

*Rateable value limits for payment by instalments*

2. For the purposes of paragraph (1A) of Article 29 of the Rates (Northern Ireland) Order 1977 (by virtue of which the occupier of a hereditament may not pay the rates on it by instalments if its rateable value is less than such sum or is more than such other sum as may be prescribed, unless it is a dwelling-house or used partly as a private dwelling) the sum first mentioned in that paragraph shall be £50 and the sum secondly so mentioned shall be £10,000.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of the Environment for Northern Ireland on 24th October 1983.

(L.S.)

J. M. Beckett

Assistant Secretary

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(a) Inserted by Article 6 of S.I. 1981/437 (N.I. 13)  
(b) S.I. 1977/2157 (N.I. 28)  
(c) See S.I. 1982/338 (N.I. 6) Article 5

## EXPLANATORY NOTE

*(This note is not part of the Order.)*

This Order prescribes the sums for the purposes of Article 29(1A) of the Rates (Northern Ireland) Order 1977. The effect, taken with Article 29(1A), is to exclude from the right to pay rates by instalments the occupiers of hereditaments whose rateable value is—

- (a) less than £50; or
- (b) more than £10,000.

The right of the occupiers of dwelling houses (and of hereditaments used partly for the purposes of a private dwelling) to pay rates by instalments is not affected by this Order.