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PART III

GRANTS, &c. FOR RENEWAL OF PRIVATE SECTOR HOUSING CHAPTER IV

HOME REPAIR ASSISTANCE

Power to make further provision by regulations

- **109.**—(1) The Department may by regulations make provision as to—
 - (a) the manner of making an application for home repair assistance and the contents of such an application;
 - (b) the procedure for dealing with applications for home repair assistance and for ensuring that works are carried out to any standard specified in the regulations;
 - (c) the way in which the amount of home repair assistance to be given on any application is to be determined, and
 - (d) the taking into account (in such manner and to such extent as may be prescribed) of the financial circumstances of the applicant.
- (2) The Department may by regulations make provision extending or restricting the availability of home repair assistance, by reference to such description of persons, circumstances or other factors as the Department thinks fit.
- (3) Regulations under paragraph (2) may proceed wholly or in part by reference to the provisions relating to entitlement to housing benefit, or any other form of assistance, as they have effect from time to time.