

1972 No. 1692

RATING AND VALUATION

The Gas Boards (Rateable Values) Order 1972*Made* - - - 18th October 1972*Laid before Parliament* 19th October 1972*Coming into Operation* 9th November 1972

The Secretary of State for the Environment, being satisfied that by reason of a substantial change of circumstances it is expedient to make this order, after consultation with the Gas Council, with such associations of local authorities as appear to him to be concerned and with the local authority with whom consultation appears to him to be desirable, in exercise of powers conferred by paragraph 2(2) of Schedule 6 to the General Rate Act 1967(a), and now vested in him (b), and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, hereby makes the following order:—

Title, commencement and interpretation

1.—(1) This order may be cited as the Gas Boards (Rateable Values) Order 1972 and shall come into operation on the day following the day on which it has been approved by a resolution of each House of Parliament.

(2) The Interpretation Act 1889(c) shall apply for the interpretation of this order as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

Determination of the basic total of rateable values

2. In sub-paragraph (1) of paragraph 2 of Schedule 6 to the General Rate Act 1967 (which paragraph determines the basic total of rateable values of each of the Gas Boards respectively specified in column (1) of the subjoined table) for the amounts set out in column (2) there shall be substituted, for the year 1973-74 and subsequent years, the amounts specified in column (3).

(a) 1967 c. 9.

(b) S.I. 1970/1681 (1970 III, p. 5551).

(c) 1889 c. 63.

Gas Board	Basic total of rateable values		
	(1)	(2)	(3)
		£	£
Northern		522,892	1,314,410
North-Western		1,589,871	3,996,510
North-Eastern		657,498	1,652,774
East Midlands		1,234,176	3,102,388
West Midlands		1,341,188	3,371,387
Wales		288,915	726,255
Eastern		504,574	1,268,364
North Thames		1,158,164	2,911,314
South Eastern		1,355,082	3,406,313
Southern		511,517	1,285,817
South Western		476,683	1,198,253

Peter Walker,

Secretary of State for the Environment.

18th October 1972.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

This Order increases, for all Gas Boards, the basic totals of rateable values upon which are calculated the rateable values of the hereditaments which they are, under section 33 of the General Rate Act 1967, treated as occupying in rating areas. The Order comes into operation on 9th November 1972 and the increase is effective from 1st April 1973.

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