
 STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1985 No. 433

VALUE ADDED TAX

**The Value Added Tax (Increase of Registration Limits)
Order 1985**

<i>Made</i> - - - - -	19th March 1985
<i>Laid before the House of Commons</i> -	19th March 1985
<i>Coming into Operation:</i>	
Articles 1 and 2 - - - - -	20th March 1985
Article 3 - - - - -	1st June 1985

The Treasury, in exercise of the powers conferred on them by paragraph 12 of Schedule 1 to the Value Added Tax Act 1983(a), hereby make the following Order:

1. This Order may be cited as the Value Added Tax (Increase of Registration Limits) Order 1985 and shall come into operation on the following dates:

Articles 1 and 2 - - - - -	20th March 1985
Article 3 - - - - -	1st June 1985

2. In paragraph 1 of Schedule 1(b) to the Value Added Tax Act 1983 (liability to be registered)—

- (a) for “£6,200” there shall be substituted “£6,500”, and
 (b) for “£18,700”, in each place, there shall be substituted “£19,500”.

3. In paragraph 2 of that Schedule (termination of liability to be registered)—

- (a) for “£18,700”, in both places, there shall be substituted “£19,500”, and
 (b) for “£17,700” there shall be substituted “£18,500”.

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of Her Majesty's Treasury.

19th March 1985.

(a) 1983 c.55.

(b) Schedule 1 was varied by S.I. 1984/342.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

This Order increases the VAT registration limit from £18,700 to £19,500 pa and the single quarterly limit from £6,200 to £6,500 with effect from 20th March 1985.

The Order also increases the limits for cancellation of registration with effect from 1st June 1985. The limit is increased from £18,700 to £19,500 where cancellation is sought on the basis of past taxable turnover and from £17,700 to £18,500 where it is sought on the basis of expected future taxable turnover.

The later date of implementation of the change in the cancellation limits is to allow time for potential applicants for deregistration to consider their positions and to make applications to their local VAT offices.

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