

1987 No. 275 (S. 14)

**LOCAL GOVERNMENT, SCOTLAND**

**The Rate Support Grant (Scotland) Order 1987**

*Approved by the House of Commons*

*Made - - - - - 2nd February 1987*

*Laid before the House of  
Commons 4th February 1987*

*Coming into force 19th February 1987*

In exercise of the powers conferred upon me by the enactments set out in Schedule 1 to this Order and of all other powers enabling me in that behalf, and after consultation with such associations of local authorities as appear to me to be concerned and with the consent of the Treasury, I hereby make the following Order:

**Title, commencement and interpretation**

1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Rate Support Grant (Scotland) Order 1987 and shall come into force on the day after the day on which it is approved by a resolution of the House of Commons.

(2) In this Order—

“the 1963 Act” means the Local Government (Financial Provisions) (Scotland) Act 1963(a);

“the 1966 Act” means the Local Government (Scotland) Act 1966(b);

“the 1973 Act” means the Local Government (Scotland) Act 1973(c);

“the 1975 Act” means the Local Government (Scotland) Act 1975(d);

“the 1982 Act” means the Local Government and Planning (Scotland) Act 1982(e);

“the 1984 Act” means the Rating and Valuation (Amendment) (Scotland) Act 1984(f);

“the 1985 No. 4 Order” means the Rate Support Grant (Scotland) (No. 4) Order 1985(g);  
and

“the 1986 Order” means the Rate Support Grant (Scotland) Order 1986(h).

**Aggregate grants for 1987-88**

2.—(1) The estimated aggregate amount of the rate support grants for the year 1987-88, as determined in accordance with the provisions of section 2(2) of the 1966 Act, is hereby fixed and prescribed as £1,896,760,000.

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- (a) 1963 c.12.  
(b) 1966 c.51.  
(c) 1973 c.65.  
(d) 1975 c.30.  
(e) 1982 c.43.  
(f) 1984 c.31.  
(g) S.I. 1986/140.  
(h) S.I. 1986/165.

(2) The amounts of the needs element and the domestic element and the estimated amount of the resources element of the rate support grants for the year 1987-88 shall be the amounts set out in the following table:-

	£
Amount of the needs element	1,608,560,000
Amount of the domestic element	91,100,000
Estimated amount of the resources element	197,100,000

#### **Apportionment of the needs element for 1987-88**

3. There shall be apportioned to each local authority set out in column 1 of the table in Schedule 2 to this Order the amount of the needs element for the year 1987-88 set out in column 2 of that table opposite to the name of that authority.

#### **Domestic rate reduction for 1987-88**

4. The amount prescribed for the year 1987-88 for the purposes of section 7(1) of the 1966 Act (reduction of rates on dwellings by reference to the domestic element) shall be 7 pence in the pound, being the amount which in my opinion corresponds to the amount of the domestic element for that year, as prescribed by article 2(2) of this Order.

#### **Weighted population and national standard amount per head for 1987-88**

5. For the purposes of section 9(3) of the 1963 Act (definition of standard penny rate product) the weighted population of an area for the year 1987-88 shall be the total population of the area as first estimated by the Registrar General of Births, Deaths and Marriages in Scotland in relation to 30th June 1985(a) and the national standard amount per head for the year 1987-88 shall be such as will result as nearly as may be in the distribution of the whole of the resources element for that year.

#### **Redetermined estimated aggregate grants for 1986-87**

6. The estimated aggregate amount of the rate support grants for the year 1986-87 (which was fixed as £1,636,083,991 by article 2 of the 1986 Order), as redetermined in accordance with the provisions of section 2(2) of the 1966 Act, is hereby fixed and prescribed as £1,636,183,991.

#### **Variation of needs element for 1986-87 and its apportionment**

7. The amount of the needs element for the year 1986-87, which was varied to £1,359,583,991 by article 3 of the 1986 Order, is hereby further varied to £1,360,583,991.

8. There shall be apportioned to each local authority set out in column 1 of the table in Schedule 3 to this Order the amount of the needs element for the year 1986-87 set out in column 2 of that table opposite to the name of that authority.

#### **Variation of resources element for 1986-87**

9. The estimated amount of the resources element for the year 1986-87, which was prescribed as £185,200,000 by article 2(2) of the 1985 No. 4 Order, is hereby varied to £184,300,000.

#### **Redetermined estimated aggregate grants for 1985-86**

10. The estimated aggregate amount of the rate support grants for the year 1985-86 (which was fixed as £1,692,749,142 by article 5 of the 1986 Order), as redetermined in accordance with the provisions of section 2(2) of the 1966 Act, is hereby fixed and prescribed as £1,700,108,228.

#### **Variation of needs element for 1985-86 and its apportionment**

11. The amount of the needs element for the year 1985-86, which was varied to £1,383,949,142 by article 6 of the 1986 Order, is hereby further varied to £1,391,308,228.

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(a) See the Registrar General Scotland Annual Report 1985 (HMSO No. 131).

12. There shall be apportioned to each local authority set out in column 1 of the table in Schedule 4 to this Order the amount of the needs element for the year 1985-86 set out in column 2 of that table opposite to the name of that authority.

**Redetermined estimated aggregate grants for 1984-85**

13. The estimated aggregate amount of the rate support grants for the year 1984-85 (which was fixed as £1,671,517,328 by article 11 of the 1985 No. 4 Order), as redetermined in accordance with the provisions of section 2(2) of the 1966 Act, is hereby fixed and prescribed as £1,671,736,538.

**Variation of needs element for 1984-85 and its apportionment**

14. The amount of the needs element for the year 1984-85 which was varied to £1,442,117,328 by article 12 of the 1985 No. 4 Order, is hereby further varied to £1,442,336,538.

15. There shall be apportioned to each local authority set out in column 1 of the table in Schedule 5 to this Order the amount of needs element for the year 1984-85 set out in column 2 of that table opposite to the name of that authority which amounts are, in total, £1,440,036,538.

**Revocation**

16. Article 4 of, and Schedule 2 to, the 1986 Order (which made provision for the apportionment of the needs element for 1986-87), article 7 of, and Schedule 3 to, that Order (which made provision for the apportionment of the needs element for 1985-86) and article 13 of, and Schedule 4 to, the 1985 No. 4 Order (which made provision for the apportionment of the needs element for 1984-85) are hereby revoked.

New St. Andrew's House, Edinburgh  
28th January 1987

*Malcolm Rifkind*  
One of Her Majesty's Principal  
Secretaries of State

We consent,

2nd February 1987

*Peter Lloyd*  
*Mark Lennox-Boyd*  
Two of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury

## SCHEDULE 1

(1) <i>Relevant enactment conferring power</i>	(2) <i>Relevant amending enactment</i>	(3) <i>Relevant provision of this Order</i>
Section 9(5) of the 1963 Act.	Section 13 of the 1966 Act. Paragraph 24 of Part II of Schedule 6 to the 1975 Act.	Article 5.
Section 2(4) of the 1966 Act.	Paragraph 1 of Schedule 2 to the 1975 Act.	Article 2(2).
Section 3 of the 1966 Act.	Section 120(1)(a) of the 1973 Act. Paragraph 2 of Schedule 2 to the 1975 Act. Paragraph 6 of Schedule 3 to the 1982 Act.	Articles 2(1), 6, 10 and 13.
Sections 4 and 45(2) of the 1966 Act.	Section 3 of and paragraph 7 of Schedule 3 to the 1982 Act.	Articles 7, 9, 11, 14 and 16.
Paragraph 3, as read with paragraph 3A, of Part I of Schedule 1 to the 1966 Act.	Paragraph 5(b) of Schedule 2 to the 1975 Act. Section 1(1) of the 1984 Act.	Articles 3, 8, 12, 15 and Schedules 2, 3, 4 and 5.
Paragraph 1 of Part III of Schedule 1 to the 1966 Act.	Paragraph 7 of Schedule 2 to the 1975 Act.	Article 4.

## SCHEDULE 2

Article 3

### APPORTIONMENT OF NEEDS ELEMENT 1987-88

(1) <i>Authority</i>	(2) <i>Amount £</i>
<i>Regional Councils</i>	
Borders	32,105,330
Central	69,323,590
Dumfries and Galloway	44,173,290
Fife	91,312,733
Grampian	137,202,042
Highland	80,804,146
Lothian	172,936,521
Strathclyde	715,092,141
Tayside	104,991,270
<i>District Councils</i>	
Berwickshire	213,835
Ettrick and Lauderdale	383,018
Roxburgh	887,561
Tweeddale	166,888
Clackmannan	549,295
Falkirk	1,650,467
Stirling	933,493
Annandale and Eskdale	413,507
Nithsdale	657,168
Stewartry	265,232
Wigtown	349,710

(1) <i>Authority</i>	(2) <i>Amount</i> £
Dunfermline	1,485,223
Kirkcaldy	1,953,516
North East Fife	759,010
Aberdeen City	4,180,520
Banff and Buchan	958,713
Gordon	806,970
Kincardine and Deeside	537,904
Moray	977,378
Badenoch and Strathspey	120,125
Caithness	478,375
Inverness	676,472
Lochaber	284,064
Nairn	117,071
Ross and Cromarty	1,028,758
Skye and Lochalsh	237,359
Sutherland	405,867
East Lothian	944,896
Edinburgh City	12,513,104
Midlothian	936,546
West Lothian	1,631,730
Argyll and Bute	2,630,941
Bearsden and Milngavie	559,180
Clydebank	3,075,044
Clydesdale	669,933
Cumbernauld and Kilsyth	724,204
Cumnock and Doon Valley	912,041
Cunninghame	1,932,617
Dumbarton	1,006,527
East Kilbride	942,090
Eastwood	638,522
Glasgow City	42,525,369
Hamilton	1,237,428
Inverclyde	2,453,304
Kilmarnock and Loudoun	1,012,858
Kyle and Carrick	1,379,049
Monklands	2,470,557
Motherwell	2,354,567
Renfrew	4,396,435
Strathkelvin	1,111,105
Angus	1,084,667
Dundee City	5,741,682
Perth and Kinross	1,407,344
<i>Islands Councils</i>	
Orkney	9,247,635
Shetland	10,925,602
Western Isles	22,676,461

## APPORTIONMENT OF NEEDS ELEMENT 1986-87

(1) <i>Authority</i>	(2) <i>Amount</i> £
<i>Regional Councils</i>	
Borders	29,323,241
Central	62,885,461
Dumfries and Galloway	40,268,343
Fife	79,847,952
Grampian	126,200,331
Highland	75,957,220
Lothian	140,814,750
Strathclyde	580,784,554
Tayside	97,678,811
<i>District Councils</i>	
Berwickshire	195,923
Ettrick and Lauderdale	355,587
Roxburgh	870,401
Tweeddale	155,344
Clackmannan	522,248
Falkirk	1,541,190
Stirling	313,713
Annandale and Eskdale	386,290
Nithsdale	613,258
Stewartry	244,756
Wigtown	324,781
Dunfermline	1,396,520
Kirkcaldy	1,918,512
North East Fife	707,474
Aberdeen City	2,638,132
Banff and Buchan	895,500
Gordon	739,899
Kincardine and Deeside	412,947
Moray	799,862
Badenoch and Strathspey	109,959
Caithness	456,268
Inverness	629,465
Lochaber	278,416
Nairn	108,750
Ross and Cromarty	1,000,356
Skye and Lochalsh	230,218
Sutherland	397,898
East Lothian	869,452
Edinburgh City	289,829
Midlothian	564,651
West Lothian	1,271,240
Argyll and Bute	2,583,256
Bearsden and Milngavie	546,625
Clydebank	2,712,070
Clydesdale	573,021

(1) <i>Authority</i>	(2) <i>Amount</i> £
Cumbernauld and Kilsyth	662,971
Cumnock and Doon Valley	666,144
Cunninghame	1,636,194
Dumbarton	648,397
East Kilbride	865,567
Eastwood	597,377
Glasgow City	34,491,402
Hamilton	1,160,494
Inverclyde	1,935,430
Kilmarnock and Loudoun	507,623
Kyle and Carrick	1,217,424
Monklands	2,255,479
Motherwell	2,307,889
Renfrew	3,723,983
Strathkelvin	1,049,427
Angus	1,014,292
Dundee City	4,670,768
Perth and Kinross	1,295,184
<i>Islands Councils</i>	
Orkney	7,592,938
Shetland	10,045,627
Western Isles	20,824,907

#### SCHEDULE 4

Article 12

#### APPORTIONMENT OF NEEDS ELEMENT 1985-86

(1) <i>Authority</i>	(2) <i>Amount</i> £
<i>Regional Councils</i>	
Borders	26,816,364
Central	59,613,657
Dumfries and Galloway	35,235,557
Fife	75,875,090
Grampian	121,203,862
Highland	70,514,161
Lothian	158,939,636
Strathclyde	623,800,433
Tayside	91,378,650
<i>District Councils</i>	
Berwickshire	180,478
Ettrick and Lauderdale	326,658
Roxburgh	965,631

(1) <i>Authority</i>	(2) <i>Amount</i> £
Tweeddale	141,209
Clackmannan	233,688
Falkirk	1,636,010
Stirling	847,880
Annandale and Eskdale	351,308
Nithsdale	514,800
Stewartry	115,790
Wigtown	297,607
Dunfermline	1,335,903
Kirkcaldy	2,064,639
North East Fife	688,098
Aberdeen City	3,523,437
Banff and Buchan	730,967
Gordon	610,569
Kincardine and Deeside	427,525
Moray	720,042
Badenoch and Strathspey	100,556
Caithness	486,685
Inverness	488,571
Lochaber	309,050
Nairn	98,630
Ross and Cromarty	1,263,378
Skye and Lochalsh	223,790
Sutherland	357,094
East Lothian	870,004
Edinburgh City	9,566,739
Midlothian	512,259
West Lothian	1,116,975
Argyll and Bute	2,575,310
Bearsden and Milngavie	607,354
Clydebank	2,095,956
Clydesdale	611,848
Cumbernauld and Kilsyth	546,663
Cumnock and Doon Valley	682,700
Cunninghame	1,185,275
Dumbarton	853,477
East Kilbride	889,691
Eastwood	575,477
Glasgow City	31,804,085
Hamilton	214,962
Inverclyde	1,976,362
Kilmarnock and Loudoun	1,011,967
Kyle and Carrick	1,183,733
Monklands	2,124,931
Motherwell	2,007,042
Renfrew	2,393,715
Strathkelvin	1,151,538
Angus	982,510
Dundee City	4,552,965



(1) <i>Authority</i>	(2) <i>Amount</i> £
Perth and Kinross	1,252,076
<i>Islands Councils</i>	
Orkney	7,459,314
Shetland	9,961,998
Western Isles	18,123,899

**SCHEDULE 5**  
**APPORTIONMENT OF NEEDS ELEMENT 1984-85**

Article 15

(1) <i>Authority</i>	(2) <i>Amount</i> £
<i>Regional Councils</i>	
Borders	25,558,996
Central	64,944,416
Dumfries and Galloway	33,419,058
Fife	74,084,917
Grampian	119,540,756
Highland	66,913,532
Lothian	168,817,955
Strathclyde	643,345,094
Tayside	88,129,308
<i>District Councils</i>	
Berwickshire	318,953
Ettrick and Lauderdale	669,381
Roxburgh	695,896
Tweeddale	248,509
Clackmannan	995,233
Falkirk	3,048,781
Stirling	1,202,476
Annandale and Eskdale	600,790
Nithsdale	990,469
Stewartry	397,994
Wigtown	524,799
Dunfermline	2,667,531
Kirkcaldy	3,626,230
North East Fife	1,375,941
Aberdeen City	5,504,703
Banff and Buchan	1,749,273
Gordon	1,423,608
Kincardine and Deeside	832,392
Moray	1,614,640
Badenoch and Strathspey	205,041
Caithness	464,671
Inverness	794,371

(1) <i>Authority</i>	(2) <i>Amount</i> £
Lochaber	446,830
Nairn	141,535
Ross and Cromarty	978,514
Skye and Lochalsh	221,573
Sutherland	310,156
East Lothian	1,315,158
Edinburgh City	6,601,217
Midlothian	1,108,356
West Lothian	2,586,591
Argyll and Bute	2,034,939
Bearsden and Milngavie	1,022,037
Clydebank	1,748,972
Clydesdale	1,213,497
Cumbernauld and Kilsyth	1,316,956
Cumnock and Doon Valley	1,110,728
Cunninghame	2,724,130
Dumbarton	1,505,228
East Kilbride	1,751,701
Eastwood	930,284
Glasgow City	31,552,557
Hamilton	1,535,568
Inverclyde	2,542,744
Kilmarnock and Loudoun	1,952,872
Kyle and Carrick	2,382,325
Monklands	2,631,792
Motherwell	3,573,036
Renfrew	4,358,739
Strathkelvin	1,930,764
Angus	1,955,642
Dundee City	3,886,080
Perth and Kinross	2,515,804
<i>Islands Councils</i>	
Orkney	7,690,279
Shetland	10,243,710
Western Isles	17,510,510

## EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

**This Order—**

- (a) In relation to the year 1987-88—**
  - (i) fixes the estimated aggregate amount of the rate support grants payable under Part I of the Local Government (Scotland) Act 1966 to regional, islands and district councils in Scotland, and prescribes the division of this amount among the needs element, the domestic element and the estimated resources element (article 2);**
  - (ii) prescribes the amount in the pound by which rating authorities are to reduce the rate in the pound which they would otherwise levy on dwellinghouses in their areas so as to take account of the amount of domestic element for the year (article 4); and**
  - (iii) prescribes matters relating to the distribution of the needs and resources elements of rate support grants among local authorities (articles 3 and 5);**
- (b) In relation to the year 1986-87—**
  - (i) redetermines the estimated aggregate amount of the rate support grants and varies the amount of the needs element and the estimated amount of the resources element payable for that year (articles 6, 7 and 9);**
  - (ii) varies the needs element distribution (article 8); and**
  - (iii) revokes article 4 of, and Schedule 2 to, the Rate Support Grant (Scotland) Order 1986 (article 16);**
- (c) In relation to the year 1985-86—**
  - (i) redetermines the estimated aggregate amount of the rate support grants and varies the amount of the needs element payable for that year (articles 10 and 11);**
  - (ii) varies the needs element distribution (article 12); and**
  - (iii) revokes article 7 of, and Schedule 3 to, the Rate Support Grant (Scotland) Order 1986 (article 16);**
- (d) In relation to the year 1984-85—**
  - (i) redetermines the estimated aggregate amount of the rate support grants and varies the amount of the needs element payable for that year (articles 13 and 14);**
  - (ii) varies the needs element distribution (article 15); and**
  - (iii) revokes article 13 of, and Schedule 4 to, the Rate Support Grant (Scotland) (No. 4) Order 1985 (article 16).**