STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

# 1991 No. 160 (S. 15)

## **BUILDING AND BUILDINGS**

The Building (Forms) (Scotland) Regulations 1991

Made	28th January 1991
Laid before Parliament	18th February 1991
Coming into force	1st April 1991

The Secretary of State, in exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 24(1)(a) of the Building (Scotland) Act 1959(1) and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, hereby makes the following Regulations:

**1.**—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Building (Forms) (Scotland) Regulations 1991 and shall come into force on 1st April 1991.

(2) Any form referred to in these Regulations by number means the form so numbered in the Schedule hereto and any reference in these Regulations to the Act is a reference to the Building (Scotland) Act 1959.

**2.** The forms set out in the Schedule to these Regulations are hereby prescribed as the forms of any notice or other document which is required or authorised to be used under or for the purposes of the Act.

**3.** The Building (Forms) (Scotland) Regulations 1975(**2**) and the Building (Forms) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 1981(**3**) are hereby revoked.

St Andrew's House, Edinburgh 28th January 1991 James Douglas-Hamilton Parliamentary Under Secretary of State, Scottish Office

<sup>(</sup>**1**) 1959 c. 24.

<sup>(2)</sup> S.I.1975/548.

<sup>(</sup>**3**) S.I. 1981/1522.

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## FORM 1

## APPLICATION FOR RELAXATION OF BUILDING STANDARDS REGULATIONS

Building (Scotland) Act 1959, section 4

Before completing this form please read the Notes at the back

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This application State/	Council* (	see Note 1)	•••
1. APPLICANT		2. AGENT (if any)	
Name		Name	
Address		Address	
Post Code		Post Code	
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3. ADDRESS OF BU	ILDING	Tel No	<u> </u>
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### PART B

Regulation number and provision of the Technical Standards from which	or	Grounds for application
dispensation or relaxation is being sought	relaxation	
PART C (EXISTING BUILDINGS	S ONLY)	
6. State present use of building		
7. State proposed use of build	ling	
PART D (NEW BUILDINGS ONL	Y)	
8. State proposed use of build	ling	
PART E		
9. FIRE AUTHORITY		
Is the work being carried out at the request of the Fire Authority?	YES/NO*	
10. SECTION 10 NOTICE		
Has a notice under section 10 of the Building (Scotland) Act 1959 been served on you? (see note 5)	YES/NO*	
11. If so, give date of		

12. SECTION 11 NOTICE Has a notice under section 11 of the Building (Scotland) Act	YES/NO*
1959 been served on you? (see note 5)	
13. If so, give date of notice	
14. BUILDING WARRANT	
Has an application for a building warrant been made?	YES/NO*
If so, please give date of application and reference number	
15. LISTED BUILDING	
Is the building listed as being of special architectural or historic interest, or in a conservation area? (If in doubt the planning authority can advise)	YES/NO*
16. If so, please state category	
PART F	
17. I/We* apply for a direction disp provisions of the Building Standards	ensing with or relaxing those Regulations set out above [in

provisions of the Building Standards Regulations set out above [in accordance with any necessary plans (including drawings, specifications and other particulars) submitted with the application]\*. (See note 6).

Signature of applicant/agent\*

Date

\*Delete as appropriate

PART G

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#### NOTES

1. Where on application it appears to the Secretary of State or the local authority that it is unreasonable that any provision of the building standards regulations should apply to any particular building, the Secretary of State or the local authority may give a direction relaxing that provision in relation to that building. If you are in doubt to whom your application should be addressed, you should seek advice from your local authority. If your application is to be addressed to the Secretary of State, a copy must also be sent to the local authority.

2. Applications to the local authority should be sent to the address shown at Part G of the form. The local authority can advise you where applications to the Secretary of State should be sent.

3. If the local authority refuse to dispense with or relax the regulations or apply conditions to a relaxation which you find unacceptable you may appeal to the Secretary of State against their decision. You must appeal within 28 days from the local authority's decision by completing Form 3 and sending it to the Secretary of State (see note 2).

4. If the local authority do not give a decision within 2 months of you making the application you may appeal to the Secretary of State following the procedure in note 3.

5. Section 10 of the Building (Scotland) Act 1959 gives powers to the local authority to remove or make a building conform to the building standards regulations where the building was constructed without a warrant, in contravention of the conditions of the warrant, or where the life of a limited life building has expired. Section 11 gives power to the local authority to require buildings to conform to the building standards regulations.

6. The local authority can advise you on what plans, drawings, specifications and other particulars should accompany your application.

FORM 2

#### RELAXATION DIRECTION

#### Building (Scotland) Act 1959, section 4

This direction is given by \_\_\_\_\_ Council in connection with the application by \_\_\_\_\_ Council in dated \_\_\_\_\_ requesting dispensation or relaxation of provisions of the Building Standards (Scotland) Regulations 19\_\_\_\_ in relation to the building at \_\_\_\_\_\_

The Council hereby direct that the provision(s) of the Building Standards (Scotland) Regulations 19 specified in the Schedule hereto shall not apply for the reasons stated in that Schedule.

\_\_\_\_\_ (signed) for \_\_\_\_\_ Council

\_\_\_\_\_ (date)

#### NOTES

1. If the local authority have applied conditions to this direction which you find unacceptable you may appeal to the Secretary of State against their decision. You must appeal within 28 days of the local authority's decision by completing Form 3 and sending it to the Secretary of State whose address may be obtained from the local authority.

 $2. \ A \ copy$  of the appeal (Form 3) should also be sent to the local authority.

FORM 2 (Continued)

### SCHEDULE TO FORM 2

## Regulations dispensed or relaxed and conditions, if applicable.

Regulation	Provisions from which dispensation or relaxation is given	Conditions attached to direction	Reasons for decision

FORM 3

#### RELAXATION OF BUILDING STANDARDS REGULATIONS -APPEAL TO THE SECRETARY OF STATE

### Building (Scotland) Act 1959, section 4A

If the local authority have refused to dispense with or relax the regulations or have applied conditions to the direction which you find unacceptable, you may appeal against their decision to the Secretary of State within 28 days of being notified of their decision by completing this form and sending it to the Secretary of State. You may also appeal, as if the local authority had refused your application, if they have not given you a decision within 2 months, or such longer period as may be agreed with the local authority. The Secretary of State's address may be obtained from the local authority.

A copy of the appeal should also be sent to the local authority.

1. APPLICANT	2. AGENT (if any)
Name	Name
Address	Address
Post Code	Post Code
Tel No	Tel No

3. ADDRESS OF BUILDING

(in relation to which relaxation was sought)

- 4. AGE OF BUILDING
- Is it a new building?

YES/NO\*

#### 5. ORIGINAL APPLICATION FOR RELAXATION DIRECTION

Date of Relaxation Application to local authority	
Which local authority?	
Please quote local authority reference number	
Date of Direction (if received)	

Regulation number and provisions from which dispensation or relaxation was sought.

6. TYPE OF APPEAL	E OF APPEAI	Ĺ.
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I/We'	* wish	to	appea	l against:-	refusal to grant application	
					conditions subject to which application was granted	
					failure to notify me/us* of their decision	
					( $\checkmark$ as applicable)	
7.	GROU	NDS	S OF .	APPEAL		

Signature of Applicant/Agent\* \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_ 8.

\*Delete as appropriate

#### FORM 4

#### APPLICATION FOR BUILDING/DEMOLITION/CHANGE OF USE\* WARRANT

#### Building (Scotland) Act 1959, section 6

APPLICANTS FOR DEMOLITION WARRANTS NEED ONLY COMPLETE PARTS A, C AND F

The local authority will grant a building warrant if they are satisfied that the building will be constructed in accordance with the building operations regulations and the building standards regulations. A warrant for demolition will be granted if the building operations regulations will be met.

Applications should be sent to the address shown at Part G of the form.

#### PART A (to be completed for all applications)

1. APPLICANT	2. AGENT (if any)
Name	Name
Address	Address
Post Code	Post Code
Tel No	
Please state the nature of th extension, change of use or	ne proposed operations eg erection, alteration, demolition of house, shop or other building.

4. ADDRESS OF BUILDING(S) (for which application is being made)

5. LISTED BUILDINGS

Does the application concern buildings listed as Yes/No\* being of special architectural or historic interest or in a conservation area? (If in doubt, the planning authority can advise)

6. If so, please state category

PART B (to be completed by applicants for warrant to erect, alter, or extend a building)

7. USE(S) OF BUILDING(S)

The building(s) will be used as

8. RELAXATION DIRECTIONS

The building(s) is/are\* the subject of a relaxation direction given by the Secretary of State/the local authority\*, reference number \_\_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_\_.

9. STAGES OF CONSTRUCTION

If a staged warrant is required, please indicate which stage(s) are requested.

#### Note

You can arrange at the local authority's discretion to be granted a warrant on condition that you provide them with further details before any of the following stages of construction are commenced:-

foundations substructure underground drainage system superstructure, excluding the stages specified below external wall cladding or internal walls or their linings roof installation of a lift, escalator or electrical, ventilation, heating or plumbing system PART C (to be completed by all applicants)

**10. COST OF OPERATIONS** 

The cost of the operations is estimated at £ \_\_\_\_

Please note that the local authority may wish to verify this figure.

PART D (to be completed where an existing building is to be used for a different purpose)

11. EXISTING USE(S) OF BUILDING(S)

The building(s) is/are\* at present used as \_\_\_\_\_

12. PROPOSED USE(S) OF BUILDING(S)

The building(s) will be used as

PART E (complete this part only if the building is intended to have a life of less than 5 years - less onerous requirements may apply to buildings in this category)

13. LIMITED LIFE BUILDINGS

The life of building(s) will be \_\_\_\_\_ (not more than 5 years)

PART F (to be completed by all applicants)

14. DECLARATION

I/We\* apply for a warrant in accordance with the details supplied above and any necessary plans (including drawings, specifications, and other particulars) accompanying this application (see note 2).

Signature of applicant/agent\* \_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_

\*Delete as appropriate.

PART	G

ADDRESS TO WHICH YOU	SHOULD	SEND	YOUR	APPLIC	CATION		
			COI	UNCIL	ENQUIRY	POINT	
	Council	Name	9				
		Tel					
		Ext					
Post Code							

#### WARNING

A BUILDING WARRANT DOES NOT EXEMPT YOU FROM OBTAINING OTHER TYPES OF PERMISSION NECESSARY, EG PLANNING PERMISSION OR LISTED BUILDING CONSENT. CONSULT THE LOCAL AUTHORITY IF IN DOUBT.

#### NOTES

1. If the local authority refuse to grant a warrant you may appeal to the sheriff within 21 days of the date of the decision.

2. The local authority can advise you on what plans, drawings, specifications and other particulars should accompany your application.

FORM 5

#### BUILDING WARRANT

#### Building (Scotland) Act 1959, section 6

This warrant is granted by \_\_\_\_\_ Council in connection with the application by \_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_\_ for the erection/alteration/extension/change of use\* of a building/buildings\* at

The reference number of this warrant is\_\_\_\_\_

The following conditions apply:-

- 1. The building(s) shall be erected/altered/extended\* in accordance with any necessary plans (including drawings, specifications and other particulars) accompanying the application and in accordance with the Building Standards (Scotland) Regulations 19\_\_\_.
- \*2. The conditions specified in the relaxation direction given by the Secretary of State/the local authority\*, reference no \_\_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_\_ shall be observed.
- \*3. The limited life building(s) shall be demolished on or before the expiry of the period of \_\_\_\_\_ years from the date on which the certificate of completion in respect of the building was granted.

\*4a. This warrant relates to

\_\_\_\_\_ stage(s)

Work on any further stage(s) shall not commence until sufficient information has been supplied to the local authority, as below:

\*4b. Stage(s) of warrant not yet granted

A copy of the plans is returned duly endorsed

(signed) for \_\_\_\_\_ Council

(date)

\*Delete as appropriate

NOTES

1. This warrant is valid for work started and completed within 3 years of the date on which it was granted, unless an extension is granted by the local authority. Any extension can be granted only during the period of validity of the warrant.

2. The person who is carrying out the building operations should notify the local authority:

a. in writing, of the date on which work starts, within 7 days of that date;

b. when any drain has been laid and is ready for inspection or test;

c. in writing, of the date on which work is completed, unless a certificate of completion has already been applied for.

3. You must obtain a certificate of completion before using or occupying the building(s) unless the local authority have agreed to temporary occupation.

4. The local authority must either grant the certificate of completion or give reasons for refusal within 14 days of an application for a certificate of completion being received and there is a right of appeal to the sheriff against refusal.

#### WARNING

THIS WARRANT DOES NOT EXEMPT YOU FROM OBTAINING OTHER TYPES OF PERMISSION NECESSARY, EG PLANNING PERMISSION OR LISTED BUILDING CONSENT. CONSULT THE LOCAL AUTHORITY IF IN DOUBT.

FORM 6

#### DEMOLITION WARRANT

#### Building (Scotland) Act 1959, section 6

			granted						Council	in
	ction w	ith th	e applica							
dated				for	the	demolition	of a	buildin	ng/buildin	gs*
at										

The following conditions apply:

1. From the date of commencement of operations the demolition will be completed within \_\_\_\_\_\_, in accordance with any necessary plans (including drawings, specifications and other particulars), submitted with the application and in accordance with the building operations regulations.

2. The demolition shall be carried out in accordance with the method statement submitted with the application and agreed with the local authority.

A copy of the plans, drawings and other particulars submitted with the application is returned, duly endorsed.

\_\_\_\_\_ (signed) for \_\_\_\_\_\_ Council

\_\_\_\_\_ (date)

\* Delete as appropriate

#### NOTES

1. This warrant is valid for demolition operations started within 3 years of the date on which it was granted, unless an extension is granted by the local authority. Any extension can be granted only during the period of validity of the warrant.

2. The person who is carrying out the demolition operations should notify the local authority in writing, of the date on which work starts within 7 days of that date and of the date on which it is completed.

#### WARNING

THIS WARRANT DOES NOT EXEMPT YOU FROM OBTAINING OTHER TYPES OF PERMISSION NECESSARY, EG LISTED BUILDING CONSENT. CONSULT THE LOCAL AUTHORITY IF IN DOUBT.

FORM 7

## APPLICATION FOR AMENDMENT OF BUILDING WARRANT

Building (Scotland) Act 1959, section 6(3A) and (7)

Applicants for amendment to a staged building warrant should complete Parts A, C and E.

Other applicants should complete Parts A, B, D and E.

PART A	
1. APPLICANT	2. AGENT (if any)
Name	Name
Address	Address
Post Code	Post Code
Tel No	Tel No
3. DATE OF WARRANT	
Date of building warrant	
Reference number	
4. ADDRESS OF BUILDING	
Address of building for which warrant has been granted	
PART B	
5. AMENDMENT(S) REQUIRED	
What changes do you wish to make to the proposals for which warrant was granted?	

PART C	
6. STAGE WARRANT For which stages does the local author (see condition 5 of the original warrant)	prity require further information?
7. For which stages are you now appl	ying for amendment of warrand?
8. The information relating to the s follows:-	stages listed in question 7 is as
PART D	
9. ADDITIONAL OPERATIONS	
Are additional operations involved?	YES/NO*
If yes, please state estimated additional cost and the revised total cost.	Additional cost £ Revised total cost £

Please note that the local authority may wish to verify these figures.

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	e and any necessary plans (includi nd other particulars) accompanying this a	
Signature	of applicant/agent*	
	Date	

ADDRESS TO WHICH YOU SHOULD SEND YOUR APPLICATION	COUNCIL ENQUIRY POINT
Counci	l Name
	Tel
	Ext
Post Code	

NOTE

The local authority can advise you on what plans, drawings, specifications and other particulars should accompany your application.

FORM 8

## APPLICATION FOR CERTIFICATE OF COMPLETION

Building (Scotland) Act 1959, section 9

1. APPLICANT	2. AGENT (if any)			
Name	Name			
Address	Address			
Post Code				
Tel No				
erection/alteration/extension* of	completion is sought for the the building or buildings at			
4. DATE OF BUILDING WARRAN	NT AND ANY AMENDMENTS			
A building warrant was granted	on			
Reference Number of Warrant				

#### 5. DATE WORKS COMPLETED

The works were completed on

6. RELAXATION DIRECTIONS

Was a relaxation of the provisions of the building standards YES/NO\* regulations given?

If so, give date and reference number

## 7. DECLARATION

I/We\* confirm that the operations at the above address have now been completed in accordance with the building standards regulations [as relaxed by the Secretary of State/local authority\* on \_\_\_\_\_\_(date)]\*. The operations were carried out as laid down in the building warrant mentioned above and conform with any necessary plans (including drawings, specifications and other particulars) endorsed in connection with the warrant. [I/We\* also enclose a certificate showing that the electrical installation complies with the terms of the warrant]\*.

Signature of applicant/agent\* \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

\*Delete as appropriate

ADDRESS TO WHICH YOU SHOULD COUNCIL ENQUIRY POINT SEND YOUR APPLICATION

	Council	Name
		Tel
		Ext
Post Code		

NOTES

The local authority must either grant a certificate of completion or 1. notify the applicant of their refusal to do so within 14 days of the date of receipt of the application for a certificate of completion.

2. If the local authority refuse to grant a certificate of completion the applicant has the right of appeal to the sheriff.

FORM 9

#### COMPLIANCE CERTIFICATE FOR ELECTRICAL **INSTALLATION**

#### Building (Scotland) Act 1959, section 9

I certify that, to the best of my knowledge and belief,	the electrical
installation at	(address),
carried out by me/under my supervision*, complies with	the Building
Standards (Scotland) Regulations 19 and the relevant cond	ditions of the
building warrant (reference number)	granted by
Council on	
(date) for the erection/alteration/extension* of the building.	

	Signature
	Date
	NAME
	ADDRESS
	Post Code
	Tel No
	Profession
*Delete as appropriate	
THIS CERTIFICATE, WHEN COMPLETED, SHOULD BE SENT TO:-	COUNCIL ENQUIRY POINT
Council	Name
	Tel
	Ext
Post Code	

WARNING

IF A PERSON GRANTS OR PRODUCES A CERTIFICATE WHICH IS FALSE OR MISLEADING HE/SHE MAY BE GUILTY OF AN OFFENCE UNDER THE BUILDING (SCOTLAND) ACT 1959 AND LIABLE ON SUMMARY CONVICTION TO A FINE.

FORM 10

#### CERTIFICATE OF COMPLETION

#### Building (Scotland) Act 1959, section 9

This certificate of completion is granted by \_\_\_\_\_\_ Council in respect of the building at \_\_\_\_\_\_(address).

The Council, so far as they are able to ascertain after taking all reasonable steps in that behalf, are satisfied that the erection/alteration/extension\* has now been completed in accordance with:the building warrant dated \_\_\_\_\_\_, [and amendments dated \_\_\_\_\_\_, ]\*
reference number \_\_\_\_\_\_\_(including any relevant

reference number (including any relevant plans, drawings, specifications and other particulars);

the provisions of the Building Standards (Scotland) Regulations 19 \_;

[as relaxed, as shown below, by the Secretary of State/Council\* on \_\_\_\_\_\_ (date)

Provision(s) relaxed:-

\_\_\_\_\_]\*

(Signed) for \_\_\_\_\_Council

(date)

\* Delete as appropriate

FORM 11

APPLICATION FOR TEMPORARY OF	CCUPATION/USE*
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Building (Scotland) Act 1959, section 9

1. APPLICANT	2. AGENT (if any)
Name	Name
Address	Address
Post Code	Post Code
Tel No	Tel No
3. ADDRESS OF BUILDING OR PAI (in respect of which application is ma	
WARRANT DETAILS	
4. Date building warrant granted	
Reference number of warrant	
5. Building warrant granted for	erection
	alteration
	extension $\Box$ ( $\checkmark$ as applicable)
PREVIOUS APPLICATION	
6. Has a previous application for permission for temporary occupation/use* been granted?	YES/NO*
7. If yes, please give details:	Date authorisation given
8.	Date authorisation expires

## 9. REASONS FOR APPLICATION

Please state below why you wish occupied/used* before the issue of a	the above building to be temporarily a Certificate of Completion.
10. LENGTH OF TEMPORARY OCCU	JPATION
Period of temporary occupation requ	ested:- From To
Signature of a	pplicant/agent*
	Date
*Delete as appropriate	
ADDRESS TO WHICH YOU SHOULD SEND YOUR APPLICATION	COUNCIL ENQUIRY POINT
Council	Name
	Tel No
	Ext
Post Code	

FORM 12

### AUTHORISATION OF TEMPORARY OCCUPATION/USE\*

Building (Scotland) Act 1959, section 9

Building warrant reference number \_\_\_\_\_\_ Council, in connection with the application by \_\_\_\_\_\_

for [extending the]\* permission for the temporary occupation/use\* of the building/part of a building\* at \_\_\_\_\_

grant/extend\* permission for such occupation/use\*. This permission expires on \_\_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ (signed) for \_\_\_\_\_Council

\_\_\_\_\_(date)

\*Delete as appropriate

FORM 13

### APPLICATION FOR EXTENSION OF PERIOD OF USE OF BUILDING INTENDED TO HAVE A LIMITED LIFE

Building (Scotland) Act 1959, section 6

1.	APPLICANT	2. A	GENT (if any)		
Name		Name _			
Addr	ess	Address			
	Post Code		Post Code		
Tel 1	No	Tel No			
3. (in r	ADDRESS OF BUILDING espect of which application is ma	ade)			
WAR	RANT AND CERTIFICATE OF CO	OMPLETI	ION		
4.	Date building warrant granted				
Reference number of warrant					
5.	Date certificate of completion gr	anted			
LIFE	OF BUILDING				
6.	When is the building due to be	taken d	own?		
7. been	Has the life of the building pre extended	viously	YES/NO*		
8.	If yes, when?				
9.	For how long?				

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10. DECLARATION

I/We* until _	apply	for	the #.	life	of	the	building	to	be	extended
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			Co	uncil		Name				
						Tel No				
						Ext				
	Pos	st Cod	e							

FORM 14

#### NOTICE UNDER SECTION 10 TO SHOW CAUSE WHY BUILDING OPERATIONS SHOULD NOT BE EXECUTED

Building (Scotland) Act 1959, section 10

PART 1

To (name and address)

1. It appears to \_\_\_\_\_ Council, that the

building at \_\_\_\_\_

\*(i) has been or is being constructed without a warrant;

\*(ii) has been or is being constructed in contravention of the conditions subject to which a warrant in respect of the building was granted;

\*(iii) remains in existence after the expiry of the limited life period stipulated when the warrant was granted;

2. As you are -

(i) the person by whom the building has been or is being constructed;

(ii) the person on whose behalf the building has been or is being constructed;

the Council require you by \_\_\_\_\_ (date)#

a. to show cause why you should not be required to carry out the operations specified in Part 2 of this notice

\*[and b. to ensure that work on the building is stopped until the matters raised in this notice have been resolved, or until one month after you receive this notice, whichever first occurs].

\* Delete as appropriate. # a date not less than 21 days from service of this notice.

PART 2 BUILDING OPERATIONS REQUIRED

The operations referred to in Part 1 are:-

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Post Code	-	Ext	

#### NOTES

1. In cases which fall under 1(i) or 1(ii) above, you may apply to the Secretary of State or the local authority for a relaxation direction under section 4 of the Building (Scotland) Act 1959. You must apply by the date given in paragraph 2. The local authority can advise you to whom your application should be addressed. If you apply for a direction, the period of this notice will be extended.

2. If you fail to show cause why the operations should not be carried out the local authority may serve on you an Order requiring the work to be carried out. If you fail to carry out the operations in the Order you may be guilty of an offence under the Building (Scotland) Act 1959 and liable on summary conviction to a fine. In addition, the local authority may carry out the operations themselves and claim from you as a debt any expenses incurred.

FORM 15

ORDER UNDER SECTION 10 REQUIRING THE EXECUTION OF BUILDING OPERATIONS
Building (Scotland) Act 1959, section 10 To (name and address)
in connection with the building at
1. On (date) the Council       served notice on you as
*(i) the person by whom the building has been or is being constructed;
*(ii) the person on whose behalf the above building is being constructed;
<pre>*(iii) the person entitled to the interest of in the above building (in the circumstances set out in section 10(i)(ii) of the Building (Scotland) Act 1959); to show cause by (date) why the following building operations should not be carried out:-</pre>
operations should not be carried out:-
2. As you have failed to show cause [within the required time-scale and]* to the satisfaction of the Council, why those operations should not be carried out, the Council now order that they be carried out within the period of days after the Order becomes operative#.
(signed) for Council
(date)

\*Delete as appropriate

# This period must be at least 28 days after the Order becomes operative. The Order becomes operative once the 21 days allowed for an appeal has elapsed or, where there is an appeal, once this appeal is determined or abandoned.

#### NOTES

1. If you object to this Order you may appeal to the sheriff within 21 days of the date on which it was made.

2. If you fail to carry out the operations in this Order you may be guilty of an offence under the Building (Scotland) Act 1959 and liable on summary conviction to a fine. In addition, the local authority may carry out the operations themselves and claim from you as a debt any expenses incurred.

## FORM 16

#### NOTICE UNDER SECTION 11 REQUIRING OWNER TO SHOW CAUSE WHY BUILDING SHOULD NOT CONFORM TO BUILDING STANDARDS (SCOTLAND) REGULATIONS 19\_

Building (Scotland) Act 1959, section 11

To (name and address)

1. It appears to \_\_\_\_\_ Council, that the building at \_\_\_\_\_ does not conform to the provisions of the Building Standards (Scotland) Regulations 19\_\_\_\_ listed below:-

2. The Council consider that:

a. the building ought, having regard to the need for securing the health, safety, welfare and convenience of the persons who will inhabit or frequent it and the safety of the public generally and for furthering the conservation of fuel and power, to be made to conform to that/these\* provision(s); and

b. it is reasonably practicable to make the building so conform.

3. Accordingly, the Council now require you by (date)# to show cause why the building should not conform to the provisions of the Building Standards (Scotland) Regulations 19\_\_\_\_\_ specified at paragraph 1.

(signed) for Counc	(s	(signed) f	for		Counc
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(date)

\* Delete as appropriate

# A date note less than 28 days from service of this notice.

YOU SHOULD SEND YOUR REPLY TO:-	COUNCIL ENQUIRY POINT
Council	Name
	Tel No
	Ext
Post Code	

### NOTES

1. You may apply to the Secretary of State or the local authority for a relaxation direction under section 4 of the Building (Scotland) Act 1959 at any time up until the date mentioned in 3 above. The local authority can advise you to whom your application should be addressed. If you apply for a direction, the period within which you must respond to this notice will be extended accordingly.

2. If you fail to show cause why the building does not conform to the building standards regulations the local authority may serve on you an Order requiring the building to conform. If you fail to make the building conform after the Order has been served you may be guilty of an offence under the Building (Scotland) Act 1959 and liable on summary conviction to a fine. In addition, the local authority may carry out the operations themselves and claim from you as a debt any expenses incurred.

FORM 17

## ORDER UNDER SECTION 11 TO MAKE BUILDING CONFORM TO THE BUILDING STANDARDS (SCOTLAND) REGULATIONS 19 \_\_\_\_

Building (Scotland) Act 1959, section 11

To (name and address)

1. On \_\_\_\_\_(date), the \_\_\_\_\_ Council served notice on you as the owner(s) of the building at

2. The notice required you to show cause by \_\_\_\_\_(date), why the building should not conform to the provision(s) of the Building Standards (Scotland) Regulations 19\_\_\_\_ listed below:-

3. As you have failed to show such cause [within the required time-scale and]\* to the satisfaction of the Council, the Council now order you to make the building conform with the above provisions within the period of \_\_\_\_\_\_ days from the date on which this Order becomes operative#.

\_\_\_\_\_ (signed) for\_\_\_\_\_ Council

\_\_\_\_\_ (date)

\* Delete as appropriate

# This period must be at least 28 days after the Order becomes operative. The Order becomes operative once the 21 days allowed for an appeal has elapsed or, where there is an appeal, once this appeal is determined or abandoned.

### NOTES

1. If you object to this Order you may appeal to the sheriff within 21 days of the date on which it was made.

2. If you fail to carry out the operations in this Order you may be guilty of an offence under the Building (Scotland) Act 1959 and liable on summary conviction to a fine. In addition, the local authority may carry out the operations themselves and claim from you as a debt any expenses incurred.

FORM 18

## NOTICE REQUIRING OPERATIONS ON A DANGEROUS BUILDING

Building (Scotland) Act 1959, section 13

To (name and address)

1. It appears to \_\_\_\_\_\_ Council, that the building at \_\_\_\_\_\_ is dangerous to persons inhabiting or frequenting it or adjacent buildings or places or to the public generally.

2. As you are the owner(s) of the building, the Council now require you to begin by \_\_\_\_\_\_ (date)# the following building operations:-

3. These operations are, in the opinion of the Council, necessary to remove the danger and must be completed to the Council's satisfaction by \_\_\_\_\_ (date)

(signed	for		Council
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\_\_\_\_\_ (date)

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# This date must be within 7 days from the service of this notice

+ This date must not be less than 21 days after the date at 2. above.

Council	COUNCIL ENQUIRY POINT
	Name
	Tel No
Post Code	Ext

FORM 19

#### NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MAKE ORDER REQUIRING OPERATIONS ON A DANGEROUS BUILDING

	Buildir	ng (Scotland) Act 195	9, section 13
То	(name and address)		
1. sei	On eved notice on (name	(date)	Council
tha ad	at the building is dan jacent building or pla	ngerous to persons in ces or to the public	nhabiting or frequenting it or generally.
$\frac{2}{sat}$	The Council	required the c	wner(s) to begin by ye completed to the Council's (date) the following building
op	erations:-		(

<sup>3.</sup> As the owner(s) has/have\* not begun/completed\* these operations to the satisfaction of the Council, notice is now given of the Council's intention to make an order under section 13(2) of the Building (Scotland) Act 1959.

4. Any objection you have to the carrying out of these operations must be lodged with the Council within 7 days of the service of this notice. You should send any objection to the address given at the end of this form stating:-

- a. your interest in the matter,
- b. the grounds of objection, and
- c. an address at which documents may be served on you.

5. If any person objecting to these operations does not own the building then a copy of the objection should be served on the owner.

 (signed)	for	 Council
 (date)		

\* Delete as appropriate

	Council	COUNCIL ENQUIRY POINT
<b></b>		Name
	-	Tel No
Post Code	_	Ext

FORM 20

## ORDER UNDER SECTION 13 REQUIRING OWNER TO CARRY OUT OPERATIONS ON A DANGEROUS BUILDING

Building (Scotland) Act 1959, section 13

To (name and address)

1.	On	1				(date), t	he				(	Council,
servo out:-		a	notice	on	you	requiring	the	following	operations	to	be	carried

2. These operations are to be carried out on the dangerous building at \_\_\_\_\_\_.

3. The Council, having given the owner(s) and any other person appearing to them to have an interest an opportunity to be heard, now order you to carry out the above building operations.

These operations must be carried out within a period of \_\_\_\_\_ days from the operative date of this Order#

(signed) for \_\_\_\_\_ Council

\_\_\_\_\_ (date)

# Under section 16(4) of the Building (Scotland) Act 1959, the Order becomes operative once the 21 days allowed for an appeal have elapsed or, where there is an appeal, once this appeal is determined or abandoned.

# WARNING

IF YOU FAIL TO CARRY OUT THE OPERATIONS IN THIS ORDER THE LOCAL AUTHORITY MAY CARRY OUT THE OPERATIONS THEMSELVES AND CLAIM FROM YOU AS A DEBT ANY EXPENSES INCURRED.

FORM 21

## NOTICE TO REMOVE FROM A DANGEROUS BUILDING OR ADJACENT BUILDING

Building (Scotland) Ac	t 1959, Schedule 7
To (name and address)	
It appears to building at dangerous to persons inhabiting or free places or to the public generally.	is
The local authority now require you, a from the above building/the adjacent pr at	
immediate	ly/by (date)*.
(signed)	for Council
(date)	
* Delete as appropriate. ANY ENQUIRIES ABOUT THIS NOTICE SHOULD BE ADDRESSED TO:-	COUNCIL ENQUIRY POINT
Council	Name
	Tel
	Ext
Post Code	

# NOTE

If any person fails to comply with this Notice the local authority may then apply to the sheriff for a warrant for its enforcement.

FORM 22

# CERTIFICATE THAT BUILDING IS A SOURCE OF IMMEDIATE DANGER

Building (Scotland) Act 1959, Schedule 7

The	Council	certify	that	the	building
atis a source of immediate danger.					
A notice to remove has therefore be as occupants of the building [or considered to be at risk]*:-	een serv of adjac	ed on the ent build	e peopl lings	le liste which	ed below, are also
NAMES AND ADDRESSES					
(signed)(date)	d) for				_ Council
* Delete as appropriate					
ANY ENQUIRIES ABOUT THIS CERTIFICATE SHOULD BE SENT TO		JNCIL EN	QUIRY	POIN	Т
Counci	il Nam	ie			
	Tel				
	_ Ext				
Post Code					

FORM 23

#### CERTIFICATE THAT ORDER HAS BEEN MADE UNDER SECTION 13 REQUIRING BUILDING TO BE DEMOLISHED

Building (Scotland) Act 1959, Schedule 7

The \_\_\_\_\_ Council certify that an Order was made on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_ under section 13(2) of the Building (Scotland) Act 1959 requiring that the building at \_\_\_\_\_

be demolished.

A notice to remove has therefore been served on the people listed below as all known occupants of the building [or of adjacent buildings which are also considered to be at risk]\*:-

NAMES AND ADDRESSES

(signed)	) for		(	Council
(date)				
ANY ENQUIRIES ABOUT THIS CERTIFICATE SHOULD BE ADDRES	SSED	COUNCIL	ENQUIRY	POINT
то:-				
Council	Name _			
	Tel			
Post Code				

\* Delete as appropriate

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FORM 24

# NOTICE OF INTENTION TO ENTER PREMISES

Building (Scotland) Act 1959, section 18

To (name and address)\_\_\_\_\_

the owner/occupier\* of the premises at

I being	a person	so auti	horised	by		(	Council,	give
notice after	that I	intend	to e	enter		+	ses on purpose	

Signed \_\_\_\_\_

Designation \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

*	Delete	as	appropriate	
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ANY ENQUIRIES ABOUT THIS NOTICE SHOULD BE ADDRESSED TO:-	COUNCIL ENQUIRY POINT
Council	Name
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	Ext
Post Code	

#### NOTES

1. Any person authorised in writing by the local authority, on showing his authority if requested, may at all reasonable times enter any premises:

a. to inspect any work involving building operations which are covered by his written authority;

b. to apply any reasonable tests to determine the quality and strength of any material used or to be used in construction of a building;

c. to inspect any buildings where the local authority have reasonable cause to believe that a change of use is proposed or has taken place;

d. to inspect any building which the local authority have reasonable cause to believe is dangerous to persons inhabiting or frequenting it or adjacent buildings or places or to the public generally;

e. to inspect any building which the local authority consider should be examined in order to determine whether to exercise their powers to make the building conform to the building standards regulations;

f. to execute any operations in relation to buildings which have been constructed without a warrant or in contravention of their warrant conditions, or whose life has expired or which do not conform to the building standards regulations or are regarded as dangerous.

2. The authorised person must give 3 days' notice to the occupier and (unless the owner is unknown) also to the owner if he intends to enter premises for any of the purposes outlined at paragraph l(c), (e) and (f) above.

3. The person authorised to enter the building may take with him such other persons as appear to him to be necessary.

4. Any person who wilfully obstructs any authorised person entering premises for any of these purposes may be guilty of an offence under the Building (Scotland) Act 1959 and liable on summary conviction to a fine.

FORM 25

## AUTHORITY TO ENTER PREMISES

Building Scotland Act 1959, section 18

The \_\_\_\_\_ Council authorise

Designation \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Name

to enter any premises at all reasonable times for the purposes of:-

a. inspecting buildings which are in course of construction, or which have been constructed but for which no certificate of completion has been issued, or the sites of buildings in respect of which applications for directions under section 4 of the Building (Scotland) Act 1959 (hereinafter referred to as the 1959 Act) or warrants under section 6 of the 1959 Act have been made;

b. applying any reasonable tests to determine the quality and strength of any material used or proposed to be used in the construction of any building such as is mentioned in the foregoing paragraph;

c. inspecting any buildings as to which the Council have reasonable cause to believe that a change of use is proposed or has taken place;

d. inspecting any building which the Council have reasonable cause to believe is dangerous to persons inhabiting or frequenting it or adjacent buildings or places or to the public generally;

e. inspecting any building which the Council consider should be examined in order to determine whether to exercise their powers under section 11 of the 1959 Act; or

f. executing any operations under section 10, 11 or 13 of the 1959 Act.

(signed) for \_\_\_\_\_ Council

(date)

ANY ENQUIRIES ABOUT THIS AUTHORISATION SHOULD BE ADDRESSED TO: COUNCIL ENQUIRY POINT

Council	Name
	Tel
	Ext
Post Code	

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a. to inspect any work involving building operations which are covered by his written authority;

b. to apply any reasonable tests to determine the quality and strength of any material used or to be used in construction of a building;

c. to inspect any buildings where the local authority has reasonable cause to believe that a change of use is proposed or has taken place;

d. to inspect any building which the local authority has reasonable cause to believe is dangerous to persons inhabiting or frequenting it or adjacent buildings or places or to the public generally;

e. to inspect any building which the local authority considers should be examined in order to determine whether to exercise its powers to make the building conform to the building standards regulations.

f. to execute any operations in relation to buildings which have been constructed without a warrant or in contravention of their warrant conditions, or whose life has expired or which do not conform to the building standards regulations or are regarded as dangerous.

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FORM 26

# CHARGING ORDER

# Building (Scotland) Act 1959, Schedule 6

The	Council, in	exercise of	their powers under
Schedule 6 to the Buil	ding (Scotla	nd) Act 1959	hereby provide and
declare that the subjects	described in	the Schedule	below are charged and
burdened with a payme	nt to		Council of an
annuity of			
payable on the		day of _	
in the year			(insert date one
year after the date of			year for the term of
thirty years from the da	te of this Or	der.	

(date)

The Order should be signed in the manner in which the local authority's deeds are normally executed.

# SCHEDULE

Description of Subjects*	Name and Designation of Owner

\* This should, wherever possible, include reference to a recorded title or land certificate.

# **EXPLANATORY NOTE**

(This note is not part of the Regulations)

These Regulations revoke and re-enact with amendments the Building (Forms) (Scotland) Regulations 1975, as amended. The number of forms has been reduced from 31 to 26 by merging forms, where possible, and deleting those no longer required. All the forms now included have been drafted in a more user-friendly style.

The Regulations prescribe the forms which should be used for applications, orders warrants, directions, notices etc for the purposes of the Building (Scotland) Act 1959.