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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**1996 No. 1217**

**SOCIAL SECURITY**

**The Housing Benefit and Council  
Tax Benefit (Subsidy) Order 1996**

<i>Made</i>	- - - -	<i>1st May 1996</i>
<i>Laid before Parliament</i>		<i>9th May 1996</i>
<i>Coming into force</i>	- -	<i>3rd June 1996</i>

The Secretary of State for Social Security, with the consent of the Treasury<sup>(1)</sup>, in exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 135(2), (4), (5), 136(1), 140(2) to (6) and 189(1) and (4) to (7) of the Social Security Administration Act 1992<sup>(2)</sup> and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, after consultation, in accordance with section 176(1)(b) of the Social Security Administration Act 1992, with organisations appearing to him to be representative of the authorities concerned, hereby makes the following Order:

**PART I**  
**GENERAL**

**Citation, commencement and interpretation**

1.—(1) This Order, which may be cited as the Housing Benefit and Council Tax Benefit (Subsidy) Order 1996, shall come into force on 3rd June 1996.

(2) In this Order, unless the context otherwise requires—

“the Act” means the Social Security Administration Act 1992;

“period overrun” has the meaning assigned to it by paragraph 1 of Schedule 4;

“relevant year” means the year ending 31st March 1996;

“the 1991 Order” means the Housing Benefit and Community Charge Benefit (Subsidy) Order 1991<sup>(3)</sup>;

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(1) See section 189(8) of the Social Security Administration Act 1992 (c. 5).

(2) 1992 c. 5. Section 140 was amended by section 103 of and Schedule 9 to the Local Government Finance Act 1992 (c. 14), but the section as originally enacted continues in force in relation to community charge benefit subsidy by virtue of the Local Government Finance Act 1992 (Community Charge Benefits) Savings and Transitional Order 1993 (S.I. 1993/232).

(3) S.I. 1991/587.

“the 1992 Order” means the Housing Benefit and Community Charge Benefit (Subsidy) Order 1992(4);

“the 1993 Order” means the Housing Benefit and Community Charge Benefit (Subsidy) (No. 2) Order 1993(5);

“the 1994 Order” means the Housing Benefit and Council Tax Benefit (Subsidy) Order 1994(6), and

“the 1995 Order” means the Housing Benefit and Council Tax Benefit (Subsidy) Order 1995(7).

(3) In this Order, a reference to a numbered article or Schedule is to the article in, or Schedule to, this Order bearing that number and, unless the context otherwise requires, a reference in an article or a Schedule to a numbered paragraph or Part is to the paragraph or Part, as the case may be, bearing that number in that article or that Schedule.

## PART II

### HOUSING BENEFIT SUBSIDY

#### Interpretation of Part II

2.—(1) In this Part of this Order, unless the context otherwise requires—

“allowance” means a rent allowance;

“authority” means a housing or, as the case may be, local authority;

“board and lodging accommodation” means—

(a) accommodation provided for a charge which is inclusive of the provision of that accommodation and at least some cooked or prepared meals which are both cooked or prepared and consumed in that accommodation or associated premises; or

(b) accommodation provided in a hotel, guest house, lodging house or some similar establishment,

but it does not include accommodation in a residential care home or nursing home within the meaning of regulation 19(3) of the Income Support (General) Regulations 1987(8) nor in a hostel within the meaning of regulation 12A of the Housing Benefit Regulations(9);

“development corporation” has the meaning ascribed to it in section 2 of the New Towns (Scotland) Act 1968(10);

“housing benefit subsidy” means subsidy under section 135(1) of the Act (rate rebate, rent rebate and allowance subsidy payable) and under section 30(1A) of the Social Security Act 1986(11);

“rebate” means a rent rebate excluding, in the case of England and Wales, any Housing Revenue Account rebates(12);

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(4) S.I. 1992/739.

(5) S.I. 1993/935.

(6) S.I. 1994/523.

(7) S.I. 1995/872.

(8) S.I. 1987/1967; relevant amending instruments are S.I. 1988/663, 1445, 2022, 1989/1678, 1992/3147 and 1993/2119.

(9) Regulation 12A was inserted by regulation 5 of S.I. 1990/546; relevant amending instrument is S.I. 1995/560.

(10) 1968 c. 16.

(11) 1986 c. 50; section 30(1A) was inserted by regulation 5(b) of S.I. 1988/1483. It was only payable in respect of Scotland in 1988/89.

(12) See the definition of “relevant benefit” in section 135(3) of the Social Security Administration Act 1992.

“scheme” means the housing benefit scheme as defined in section 123 of the Social Security Contributions and Benefits Act 1992(13);

“the Housing Benefit Regulations” means the Housing Benefit (General) Regulations 1987(14);

“the Rent Officers Order” means the Rent Officers (Additional Functions) Order 1990(15), the Rent Officers (Additional Functions) (Scotland) Order 1990(16), the Rent Officers (Additional Functions) Order 1995(17) or the Rent Officers (Additional Functions) (Scotland) Order 1995(18), as the case may be:

“the Rent Officers Order 1990” means the Rent Officers (Additional Functions) Order 1990 or the Rent Officers (Additional Functions) (Scotland) Order 1990, as the case may be;

and other expressions used in this Part of this Order and in the Housing Benefit Regulations shall have the same meanings in this Order as in those Regulations.

(2) In this Part of this Order—

“housing benefit qualifying expenditure” means the total of rebates and allowances, including any payments under regulation 91 of the Housing Benefit Regulations (payments on account of a rent allowance)(19), lawfully granted by the authority during the relevant year, less—

- (a) the deduction, if any, calculated for that authority in article 6;
- (b) any allowances to which paragraph (5) of article 8 or paragraph 7 of Schedule 6, as the case may be, apply;
- (c) any rebates to which paragraph (4) of article 9 applies;
- (d) the deductions specified in article 11, and
- (e) where, under subsection (8) of section 134 of the Act(20) (arrangements for housing benefit), the authority has modified any part of the scheme administered by it, any amount by which the total of the rebates or allowances which it granted under the scheme during the relevant year exceeds the total of those which it would have granted if the scheme had not been so modified.

### **Amount of housing benefit subsidy**

3. The amount of an authority’s housing benefit subsidy for the relevant year—

- (a) for the purposes of section 135(2) of the Act (subsidy in respect of rebates or allowances) shall be the amount or total of the amounts calculated in accordance with article 4;
- (b) for the purposes of section 135(5) of the Act (subsidy in respect of the costs of administering housing benefit) may include an additional sum in respect of the costs of administering housing benefit calculated in accordance with Schedules 1 and 2.

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(13) 1992 c. 4.

(14) S.I. 1987/1971, amended by S.I. 1988/661, 909, 1444, 1843, 1971, 1989/43, 416, 566, 1017, 1322, 1990/546, 671, 1549, 1657, 1775, 2564, 1991/235, 1599, 2910, 1992/50, 201, 432, 1026, 1101, 1326, 1585, 2147, 1993/317, 518, 963, 1150, 1249, 1540, 2118, 1994/470, 578, 1003, 2137, 3061, 1995/511, 559, 560, 625, 626, 1339, 1644, 1742, 2303, 2868, 3282 and 1996/30.

(15) S.I. 1990/428, amended by S.I. 1991/426, 1993/652, 1994/568 and 3040.

(16) S.I. 1990/396, amended by S.I. 1991/533, 1993/646, 1994/582 and 3108.

(17) S.I. 1995/1642, amended by S.I. 1995/2365 and 3148.

(18) S.I. 1995/1643, amended by S.I. 1995/2361 and 3185.

(19) Regulation 91 was amended by S.I. 1995/2868.

(20) Section 134(g) allows modification of the housing benefit scheme so as to provide for the disregard from income of a war disablement pension or a war widow’s pension.

## **Rebates and allowances**

4.—(1) Subject to any adjustment in accordance with paragraph (3), for the purposes of section 135(2) of the Act, an authority's housing benefit subsidy for the relevant year shall, subject to paragraph (2), be—

- (a) in the case of an authority to which none of articles 5, 7, 8 and 9(1) to (3) apply, 95 per cent. of its housing benefit qualifying expenditure;
- (b) in the case of any authority to which at least one of those articles applies an amount equal to the aggregate of—
  - (i) 95 per cent. of so much of its housing benefit qualifying expenditure as remains after deducting from total qualifying expenditure the amount of expenditure attributable to the rebates or allowances to which each of those articles which is relevant applies; and
  - (ii) the appropriate amount calculated in respect of the rebates or allowances under each such article,

plus, in each case, the additions, where applicable, under articles 9(5), 10 and 13(2), but subject, in each case, to the deductions, where applicable, under articles 12 and 13(3).

(2) Where the authority is the Scottish Homes or a development corporation, its housing benefit subsidy for the relevant year shall include a further sum being—

- (a) in the case of an authority to which sub-paragraph (a) of paragraph (1) applies, 5.5 per cent. of its housing benefit qualifying expenditure, but subject to the relevant maximum specified in column (2) of Schedule 3; or
- (b) in the case of an authority to which sub-paragraph (b) of paragraph (1) applies, 5.5 per cent. of so much of its housing benefit qualifying expenditure as remains after the deductions set out in paragraph (1)(b)(i), but subject to the relevant maximum specified in column (2) of Schedule 3.

(3) Where, during the relevant year there is a period overrun in respect of either rebates or allowances, or both, then the housing benefit subsidy for the authority for that year shall be adjusted by the deduction from the subsidy otherwise due under this article of—

- (a) an amount equal to the percentage, as calculated in accordance with paragraph 2 of Schedule 4, of that part of the housing benefit qualifying expenditure for that authority attributable to expenditure in respect of allowances to the extent that the overrun relates to allowances; and
- (b) an amount equal to the percentage, as calculated in accordance with paragraph 3 of Schedule 4, of that part of the housing benefit qualifying expenditure for that authority attributable to expenditure in respect of rebates to the extent that the overrun relates to rebates.

## **Backdated benefit**

5.—(1) Subject to paragraph (2), where—

- (a) during the relevant year an authority has, under paragraph (15) of regulation 72 of the Housing Benefit Regulations, treated any claim as made on a day earlier than that on which it is made; and
- (b) any part of that authority's housing benefit qualifying expenditure is attributable to such earlier period,

for the purposes of article 4(1)(b)(ii), the appropriate amount for the relevant year in respect of such part shall be 50 per cent. of the housing benefit qualifying expenditure so attributable.

(2) This article shall not apply in a case to which article 10(1)(b)(ii) applies.

### **Disproportionate rent increase**

6.—(1) Except where paragraph (5) or (6) applies, in the case of an authority in Scotland or the Development Board for Rural Wales, where the average rent increase differential, as calculated in accordance with paragraph (2) for such an authority has a value greater than zero, the deduction from housing benefit qualifying expenditure specified in article 2(2)(a) shall be that proportion of the sum calculated for that authority in accordance with paragraph (4).

(2) The average rent increase differential for each appropriate authority shall be calculated by applying the formula—

$$(1+A) \times \left\{ \frac{B \times D}{C \quad E} \right\} \dots 1$$

where

A, B, C, D and E each has the value determined in accordance with paragraph (3).

(3) For the purposes of paragraph (2)—

- (a) the value of A shall be the proportion calculated for that authority pursuant to paragraphs (3) and (4) of article 6 of the 1995 Order;
- (b) the value of B shall be the average rent charged by the authority in respect of Category 1 dwellings on the final date;
- (c) the value of C shall be the average rent charged by the authority in respect of Category 1 dwellings on the specified date;
- (d) the value of D shall be the average rent charged by the authority in respect of Category 2 dwellings on the specified date, and
- (e) the value of E shall be the average rent charged by the authority in respect of Category 2 dwellings on the final date.

(4) The sum referred to in paragraph (1) shall be that part of housing benefit qualifying expenditure attributable to rent rebates granted during the relevant year before any deduction by reason of this article but less any part of such expenditure to which article 4(1)(b)(ii) applies.

(5) This article shall not apply in the case of an authority

(a) which has—

- (i) set the rent for the relevant year according to the type, condition, class or description of the dwellings and the services, facilities or rights provided to the tenants, where that rent is reasonable having regard to those matters;
- (ii) not taken account of whether a tenant was a beneficiary when setting rents for the relevant year, and
- (iii) not let dwellings, either in the relevant year or in either of the two previous years, to beneficiaries irrespective of their housing needs;

or

(b) where—

- (i) any increases in rent between the specified date and the final date were of the same percentage and applied on the same day to all tenants irrespective of whether they were beneficiaries, and
- (ii) the average rent increase differential calculated in accordance with article 6 of the 1995 Order for that authority had a value which was zero or less than zero.

- (6) This article shall also not apply in a case to which article 9 applies.
- (7) In this article (and, in the case of the definition of “beneficiary”, also in article 11(2))—
- “average” means the arithmetic mean;
- “beneficiary” means a person who is entitled or likely to become entitled to a rebate;
- “Category 1 dwellings” means dwellings rented out by the authority on both the specified date and the final date in respect of which, on the final date, the persons liable to pay such rent were in receipt of rebates;
- “Category 2 dwellings” means dwellings rented out by the authority on both the specified date and the final date in respect of which, on the final date, the persons liable to pay such rent were not in receipt of rebates;
- “final date” means the 31st March 1996, but if that day falls in a rent-free period the date in March which is closest to it and which does not fall in a rent-free period;
- “specified date” means the date in March 1995 which was defined as the final date for that authority in article 6(7) of the 1995 Order, and
- “rent” means either—
- (a) the payments specified in sub-paragraphs (a) to (i) in paragraph (1) of regulation 10 of the Housing Benefit Regulations (rent)<sup>(21)</sup>; or
  - (b) the eligible rent,
- as the authority may determine, provided that wherever the expression “rent” occurs in paragraph (3) it has the same meaning throughout in relation to that authority.

### **Treatment of high rents**

7.—(1) Except in a case to which paragraph (2) applies, this article applies in a rent allowance case where the dwelling is an excluded tenancy by virtue of paragraph 1 and any of paragraphs 5 to 9 of Schedule 1A to the Housing Benefit Regulations<sup>(22)</sup> (excluded tenancies).

- (2) This article does not apply in a case where—
- (a) (i) a rent is registered in respect of a dwelling under Part IV, V or VI of the Rent Act 1977<sup>(23)</sup> or Part V, VI or VII of the Rent (Scotland) Act 1984<sup>(24)</sup>; or
    - (ii) an application has been made for such registration as is mentioned in head (i) above, but no such registration has been made because the rent officer or rent tribunal, as the case may be, are satisfied that the rent is at or below the fair rent level; or
  - (b) the relevant tenancy is one to which, before 15th January 1989, the provisions of sections 56 to 58 of the Housing Act 1980<sup>(25)</sup> (assured tenancies) applied; or
  - (c) the relevant dwelling is situated within the area of a housing action trust established under Part III of the Housing Act 1988 (Housing Action Trust Areas)<sup>(26)</sup>; or
  - (d) the dwelling is an excluded tenancy by virtue of paragraph 3 or 10 of Schedule 1A to the Housing Benefit Regulations<sup>(27)</sup> (excluded tenancies).

(3) Where this article applies and any part of the housing benefit qualifying expenditure of an authority, whose area is or lies within an area identified in column (1) of Schedule 5, is attributable

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<sup>(21)</sup> Regulation 10(1) was amended by [S.I. 1988/1971](#).

<sup>(22)</sup> Schedule 1A was inserted by regulation 13 of [S.I. 1990/546](#).

<sup>(23)</sup> [1977 c. 42](#).

<sup>(24)</sup> [1984 c. 58](#).

<sup>(25)</sup> [1980 c. 51](#); sections 56 to 58 were partially repealed by section 140 of and Schedule 18 to the Housing Act 1988.

<sup>(26)</sup> [1988 c. 50](#).

<sup>(27)</sup> Paragraph 3 was substituted by [S.I. 1995/2868](#).

to any allowance granted in respect of a person whose weekly eligible rent exceeds the threshold specified in relation to that area in column (2) of that Schedule, for the purposes of article 4(1)(b)(ii), the appropriate amount in respect of that allowance shall be calculated in accordance with paragraph (4).

- (4) Where paragraph (3) applies and
- (a) the allowance granted is the same as or is less than the excess of eligible rent over the threshold, the appropriate amount shall be 25 per cent. of that part of the housing benefit qualifying expenditure attributable to such allowance;
  - (b) the allowance granted is greater than the excess of the eligible rent over the threshold, the appropriate amount shall be 25 per cent. of that part of the housing benefit qualifying expenditure attributable to such allowance which is equal to the excess, and 95 per cent. of that part of the housing benefit qualifying expenditure attributable to the balance.

### **Rent officers' determinations**

**8.—**(1) Where this article applies, the appropriate amount, for the purposes of article 4(1)(b)(ii), shall be calculated in accordance with Schedule 6.

- (2) Subject to paragraphs (6), (7) and (8), this article applies where—
- (a) an authority applies to a rent officer for a determination to be made under the Rent Officers Order in relation to a dwelling; and
  - (b) the officer makes a determination under that Order,

except in a case to which article 5 applies.

- (3) This article also applies in a case where—
- (a) the dwelling (A) is in a hostel; and
  - (b) by virtue of regulation 12A(2) of the Housing Benefit Regulations<sup>(28)</sup> (exemptions from requirement to refer to rent officers) an application for a determination in respect of that dwelling (A) is not required because the dwelling is regarded as similar to another dwelling (B) in that hostel in respect of which a determination has been made, and in such a case the determination made in respect of dwelling (B) shall, for the purposes of this article, be treated as if it were a determination in respect of dwelling (A).

(4) This article also applies where a rent officer has made a determination in respect of a tenancy of a dwelling and by virtue of paragraph 2 of Schedule 1A to the Housing Benefit Regulations<sup>(29)</sup> (excluded tenancies) a new determination is not required in respect of another tenancy of the dwelling, and in such a case the determination made shall, for the purposes of this article, be treated as if it were a determination made in respect of that tenancy.

(5) This article also applies in a case where an authority is required, under regulation 12A of the Housing Benefit Regulations (requirement to refer to rent officer), to apply for a determination in relation to a dwelling during the relevant year which a rent officer would be required to make, but the authority fails to apply for that determination, and in such a case, except where paragraph (3) applies, any allowance granted shall, subject to article 11(4), be deducted from housing benefit qualifying expenditure pursuant to article 2(2)(b).

(6) Where a determination as to the rent which a landlord might reasonably be expected to obtain in respect of a dwelling is made, prior to 2nd October 1995, by a rent assessment committee following a determination made by a rent officer under paragraph 1 of Schedule 1 to the Rent Officers Order 1990, this article shall cease to apply in so far as—

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<sup>(28)</sup> Regulation 12A was inserted by regulation 5 of S.I. 1990/546; relevant amendments are S.I. 1993/317 and 1995/560.

<sup>(29)</sup> Schedule 1A was inserted by regulation 12 of S.I. 1990/546; and paragraph 2 was amended by S.I. 1991/235, 1993/317, 1249 and 1995/560.

- (a) regulation 7 of the Income-related Benefits Schemes and Social Security (Claims and Payments) (Miscellaneous Amendments) Regulations 1995<sup>(30)</sup> (transitional provision) applies with respect to the rent assessment committee's determination; and
- (b) that rent assessment committee's determination relates to a determination made by a rent officer under that paragraph of that Schedule,

from the date on which the rent assessment committee's determination takes effect.

(7) Where—

- (a) a determination under paragraph 1 of Schedule 1 to the Rent Officers Order 1990 has been made by the rent officer, and
- (b) an application is made to the rent assessment committee and a determination to which paragraph (6)(a) refers is made by that committee prior to 2nd October 1995, and, had that application been made before the reference to the rent officer which led to that determination, the rent officer would, in accordance with article 5(2) of the Rent Officers Order 1990<sup>(31)</sup>, not have made such a determination, this article shall cease to apply in so far as—
  - (i) regulation 7 of the Income-related Benefits Schemes and Social Security (Claims and Payments) (Miscellaneous Amendments) Regulations 1995 (transitional provision) applies with respect to the rent assessment committee's determination; and
  - (ii) that rent assessment committee's determination relates to a determination under paragraph 1 of Schedule 1 to the Rent Officers Order 1990,

from the date of that application, or 1st April 1995, whichever is the later date.

(8) Except in a case to which paragraph (9), (10) or (11) applies, this article shall not apply where a maximum rent has been determined.

(9) In a case where a maximum rent has been determined by reference to a reckonable rent and a local reference rent, the appropriate amount shall be calculated in accordance with paragraph 11 of Schedule 6.

(10) In a case where, prior to the determination of a maximum rent, a payment was made pursuant to regulation 91 (payment on account) of the Housing Benefit Regulations<sup>(32)</sup>, the appropriate amount shall be calculated in accordance with paragraph 6 of Schedule 6.

(11) In a case to which regulation 11(9) (maximum rent) of the Housing Benefit Regulations<sup>(33)</sup> applies, the appropriate amount shall be calculated in accordance with paragraph 12 of Schedule 6.

### **Additions in respect of homeless and short lease rebates**

**9.—**(1) Subject to paragraphs (4) and (5), where paragraph (3) applies, and any part of the housing benefit qualifying expenditure of an authority identified in column (1) of Schedule 7 attributable to any rebate granted in respect of a person whose weekly eligible rent exceeds the threshold specified in relation to that authority in column (2) of that Schedule, then for the purposes of article 4(1)(b)(ii), the appropriate amount in respect of that rebate shall be calculated in accordance with paragraph (2).

(2) Where paragraph (1) applies—

- (a) if the rebate granted is the same as or is less than the amount by which the eligible rent exceeds the threshold, the appropriate amount shall be 25 per cent. of that part of the housing benefit qualifying expenditure attributable to such rebates;

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<sup>(30)</sup> S.I. 1995/2303.

<sup>(31)</sup> Article 5(2) was amended by S.I. 1991/426 in the case of England and Wales and by S.I. 1991/533 in the case of Scotland

<sup>(32)</sup> Regulation 91 was amended by S.I. 1995/2868.

<sup>(33)</sup> Regulation 11 was substituted by S.I. 1995/1644.



- (b) if the rebate granted is greater than the amount by which the eligible rent exceeds the threshold, the appropriate amount shall be 25 per cent. of that part of the housing benefit qualifying expenditure attributable to such rebates which is equal to the excess and 95 per cent. of the housing benefit qualifying expenditure attributable to the balance after deducting that excess.
- (3) This paragraph applies where a rebate is payable by an authority in respect of rents which exceed the threshold. which—
- (a) a person is required to pay to an authority under section 69(2)(b) of the Housing Act 1985<sup>(34)</sup> or section 35(2)(b) of the Housing (Scotland) Act 1987<sup>(35)</sup>, as the case may be, for board and lodging accommodation made available to that person;
  - (b) a person is required to pay to an authority under section 69(2)(b) of the Housing Act 1985 or section 35(2)(b) of the Housing (Scotland) Act 1987, as the case may be, for accommodation, which the authority holds on a licence agreement from a landlord, made available to that person;
  - (c) a person is required to pay to an authority for accommodation outside the Housing Revenue Account, which the authority holds on a lease granted for a term not exceeding three years, made available to that person.
- (4) Where, in Scotland—
- (a) a person is required to pay to an authority for accommodation within the Housing Revenue Account which the authority holds on a lease granted for a term not exceeding three years, made available to that person, and
  - (b) an authority identified in column (1) of Schedule 7 has granted any rebate in respect of such payments,
- the amount of any such rebate shall, subject to article 11(4), be deducted from housing benefit qualifying expenditure, pursuant to article 2(2)(c), and the addition, if any, in respect of such rebates, referred to in article 4(1), shall be calculated in accordance with paragraph (5).
- (5) Where paragraph (4) applies—
- (a) if the rebate granted is in respect of a person whose weekly eligible rent does not exceed the threshold specified in relation to that authority in column (2) of Schedule 7 (“the relevant threshold”), then the addition shall be 95 per cent. of that rebate;
  - (b) if the rebate granted is the same as or is less than the amount by which the eligible rent exceeds the relevant threshold, there shall be no addition, and
  - (c) if the rebate granted is greater than the amount by which the eligible rent exceeds the threshold, there shall be no addition in respect of such part of such rebate which is equal to the excess, but there shall be an addition of 95 per cent. of that part of such rebate attributable to the balance after deducting that excess.

#### **Further additions to housing benefit subsidy**

- 10.**—(1) Subject to paragraphs (8) and (9) the additions referred to in article 4(1) are—
- (a) where following the loss, destruction or non-receipt, or alleged loss, destruction or non-receipt of original instruments of payment, an authority makes duplicate payments and the original instruments have been or are subsequently encashed, an amount equal to 25 per cent. of the amount of the duplicate payments;

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(34) 1985 c. 68.

(35) 1987 c. 26.

- (b) subject to paragraphs (2) and (3), where during the relevant year it is discovered that an overpayment of rebate or allowance has been made and an amount is to be deducted under article 11 in relation to that overpayment, an amount equal to—
- (i) in the case of an overpayment caused by departmental error, 95 per cent. of so much of the overpayment as has not been recovered by the authority;
  - (ii) in the case of a fraudulent overpayment 95 per cent. of the overpayment; or
  - (iii) except where head (i) or (ii) above applies, 25 per cent. of the overpayment;
- (c) where, during the relevant year, it is discovered that an overpayment in respect of which a deduction was made under article 11 of the 1994 Order or 1995 Order (other than a deduction under articles 11(1)(g) of the 1994 Order or 11(1)(f) of the 1995 Order) was a fraudulent overpayment the difference, if any, between 95 per cent. of any such overpayment and the amount of any housing benefit subsidy that has been paid to that authority in respect of that overpayment;
- (d) in the case of an authority identified in column (1) of Schedule 8 the sum prescribed in relation to that authority in column (2) of that Schedule.
- (2) The amount under paragraph (1)(b) shall not include an amount in relation to—
- (a) an overpayment caused by an error of the authority making the payment, or
  - (b) any technical overpayment.
- (3) Where an overpayment is caused by departmental error, but some or all of that overpayment is recovered by the appropriate authority, no addition shall be applicable to the authority in respect of the amount so recovered.
- (4) In paragraphs (1)(b)(i) and (3) and in article 11(1)(e) “overpayment caused by departmental error” means an overpayment caused by a mistake made or something done or omitted to be done by an officer of the Department of Social Security, the Department of Employment or the Department for Education and Employment, acting as such, or a decision of an adjudication officer, social security appeal tribunal or Social Security Commissioner appointed in accordance with sections 38(1), 40(1), 51(1) and 52(1) of the Act (appointment of adjudication officers, chairmen and members of social security appeal tribunals and Commissioners) where the claimant, a person acting on his behalf or any other person to whom the payment is made did not cause or materially contribute to that mistake, act or omission.
- (5) In paragraph (1)(b)(ii) and (c), in article 11(1)(f) and in paragraph 1 of Schedule 9 “fraudulent overpayment” means an overpayment in respect of a period falling wholly or partly after 31st March 1993 and which—
- (a) is so classified by an officer of the authority, designated for that purpose by the authority, after that date; and
  - (b) occurs as a result of the payment of a rebate or allowance arising in consequence of—
    - (i) a breach of section 112 of the Act (false representations for obtaining benefit), or
    - (ii) knowingly failing to report a relevant change of circumstances, contrary to the requirements of regulation 75 of the Housing Benefit Regulations<sup>(36)</sup> (duty to notify change of circumstances), with intent to obtain or retain such a rebate or allowance for himself or another.
- (6) In paragraph (2)(a) “overpayment caused by an error of the authority making the payment” means an overpayment caused by a mistake made or something done or omitted to be done by that authority, where the claimant, a person acting on his behalf or any other person to whom the payment is made did not cause or materially contribute to that mistake, act or omission.

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(36) Regulation 75 was amended by [S.I. 1990/546](#).

(7) In paragraph (2)(b) “technical overpayment” means that part of an overpayment which occurs as a result of a rebate being granted in advance and—

- (a) a change of circumstances reduces or eliminates entitlement to that rebate; or
- (b) the authority subsequently identifies a recoverable overpayment which does not arise from a change in circumstances,

but shall not include any part of that overpayment occurring before the benefit week following the week in which the change is disclosed to or identified by the authority.

(8) Except for paragraphs (1)(b)(ii), (1)(c) and (5), this article shall not apply to that part of any rebate or allowance in respect of a case to which paragraph (15) of regulation 72 of the Housing Benefit Regulations (time and manner in which claims are to be made) applies.

(9) Any reference in this article to an overpayment shall not include any rebate or allowances for any period overrun or other period immediately following expiry of the specified period determined under regulation 66 of the Housing Benefit Regulations(37) except for so much of any rebate or allowance to which the claimant would not have been entitled had a claim for that period been duly made and determined.

#### **Deductions to be made in calculating housing benefit subsidy in respect of rebates or allowances**

**11.**—(1) The deductions referred to in article 2(2)(d) are, subject to paragraph (4), to be of the following amounts where—

- (a) subject to paragraphs (2) and (3), a tenant of an authority, who is in receipt of a rent rebate, while continuing to occupy, or when entering into occupation of, a dwelling as his home, either under his existing tenancy agreement or by entering into a new tenancy agreement—
  - (i) is during, or was at any time prior to, the relevant year able to choose whether or not to be provided with any services, facilities or rights (“improvements”) and chooses or chose to be so provided; or
  - (ii) is during, or was at any time prior to the relevant year able to choose either to be provided with any improvements or, whether or not in return for an award or grant from the authority, to provide such improvements for himself; or
  - (iii) would be able during, or would have been able at any time prior to, the relevant year to exercise the choice set out in head (i) or (ii) of this sub-paragraph if he were not or had not at that time been in receipt of a rent rebate,

the amounts attributed during the relevant year to such improvements whether they are or would be expressed as part of the sum fixed as rent, otherwise reserved as rent or expressed as an award or grant from the authority;

- (b) during the relevant year a person becomes entitled to a rent-free period which has not been, or does not fall to be, taken into account in calculating the amount of rent rebate to which he is entitled under the Housing Benefit Regulations, the amount of rebate which is or was payable to him in respect of such rent-free period;
- (c) during the relevant year an award in the form of a payment of money or monies worth, a credit to the person’s rent account or in some other form is made by an authority to one of its tenants in receipt of rent rebate, whether or not the person is immediately entitled to the award, the amount or value of the award, but no such deduction shall be made in respect of an award—
  - (i) made to a tenant for a reason unrelated to the fact that he is a tenant;

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(37) Regulation 66 was amended by S.I. 1988/1971 and 1989/1322.

- (ii) made under a statutory obligation;
- (iii) made under section 137 of the Local Government Act 1972<sup>(38)</sup> or section 83 of the Local Government (Scotland) Act 1973<sup>(39)</sup> (power of local authorities to incur expenditure for certain purposes not otherwise authorised);
- (iv) except where sub-paragraph (a)(ii) above applies, made as reasonable compensation for reasonable repairs or redecoration the tenant has, or has caused to be, carried out whether for payment or not and which the authority would otherwise have carried out or have been required to carry out; or
- (v) of a reasonable amount made as compensation for loss, damage or inconvenience of a kind which occurs only exceptionally and which was suffered by the tenant by virtue of his occupation of his home;
- (d) during the relevant year the weekly amount of rebate or allowance is increased pursuant to paragraph (2) or (3) of regulation 61 of the Housing Benefit Regulations<sup>(40)</sup>, the amount of such increase;
- (e) during the relevant year an amount is recovered in relation to an overpayment of a rebate or allowance which was caused by departmental error, within the meaning of article 10(4), the amount so recovered where the overpayment had occurred and been discovered in a year earlier than the relevant year;
- (f) during the relevant year a fraudulent overpayment, within the meaning of article 10(5), is identified, the amount of the overpayment, but only to the extent that the amount of overpayment or any part of it has not been deducted from qualifying expenditure under article 4 of the 1994 Order or the 1995 Order, as the case may be;
- (g) subject to sub-paragraphs (e) and (f) of this paragraph during the relevant year it is discovered that an overpayment of rebate or allowance has been made, the amount of such overpayment, but only to the extent that—
  - (i) the amount of such overpayment or any part of it has not been deducted from qualifying expenditure under article 3 of the Housing Benefit (Subsidy) Order 1989<sup>(41)</sup> or of the Housing Benefit (Subsidy) Order 1990<sup>(42)</sup> or under article 4 of respectively the 1991 Order, the 1992 Order, the 1993 Order, the 1994 Order or the 1995 Order, as the case may be; and
  - (ii) the amount of the overpayment or any part of it does not include an amount to which paragraph (15) of regulation 72 of the Housing Benefit Regulations or paragraph (7) of article 2 of the Community Charge Benefits (Transitional) Order 1989<sup>(43)</sup>, or as the case may be, paragraph (18) of regulation 59 of the Housing Benefit (Community Charge Rebates) (Scotland) Regulations 1988<sup>(44)</sup> (time and manner in which claims are to be made) applied;
- (h) during the relevant year any instrument of payment issued by an authority during that year is returned to that authority without being presented for payment or is found by that

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<sup>(38)</sup> 1972 c. 70; section 137 was amended by the Local Government (Miscellaneous Provisions) Act 1982 (c. 3), section 44; the Local Government Finance Act 1982 (c. 32), section 34, Schedule 5, paragraph 5; the Local Government Act 1986 (c. 10), section 3 and by the Local Government and Housing Act 1989 (c. 42), section 194, Schedule 12.

<sup>(39)</sup> 1973 c. 65; section 83 was amended by the Local Government and Planning (Scotland) Act 1982 (c. 43), sections 6 and 50; the Rating and Valuation Amendment (Scotland) Act 1987 (c. 31), section 9; the Local Government Act 1986 (c. 10), section 3; the Abolition of Domestic Rates (Scotland) Act 1987 (c. 47), Schedule 1, paragraph 27; and by the Local Government and Housing Act 1989 (c. 42), section 36(9).

<sup>(40)</sup> Paragraph (2) of regulation 61 was inserted by S.I. 1994/578 and paragraph (3) by S.I. 1995/1644.

<sup>(41)</sup> S.I. 1989/607.

<sup>(42)</sup> S.I. 1990/785.

<sup>(43)</sup> S.I. 1989/1322.

<sup>(44)</sup> S.I. 1988/1890, amended by S.I. 1989/43, 361, 972 and 1990/127.

authority to have passed its date of validity without being presented for payment, the amount of any such instrument.

(2) No deduction shall be made under sub-paragraph (1)(a) above where the eligible rent for a tenant has been increased in a case to which that sub-paragraph would apply but—

- (a) any such services, facilities or rights (“improvements”)—
  - (i) relate solely to the physical needs of the property in question or the needs of that tenant; and
  - (ii) the increased rent in relation to such improvements is reasonable;
- (b) the tenant was eligible whether or not he was a beneficiary; and
- (c) the authority has not let properties, to which they intend to make improvements, either in the relevant year or in the two years preceding that year, solely or largely to beneficiaries.

(3) In paragraph (2) “beneficiary” has the meaning it is given for the purposes of article 6 by paragraph (7) of that article.

(4) Where in relation to any amount of a rebate or allowance a deduction falls to be made under two or more of article 8(7), article 9(4), paragraph 7 of Schedule 6 or the sub-paragraphs of paragraph (1), as the case may be, only the higher or highest, or, where the amounts are equal, only one amount, shall be deducted.

#### **Deduction from housing benefit subsidy**

**12.** Where during the relevant year it is found by an authority that any instrument of payment issued by it during the period of seven years ending on 31st March 1995 has been returned to that authority without having been presented for payment or has passed its date of validity without having been presented for payment, the deduction referred to in article 4(1) shall be the amount of any housing benefit subsidy that has been paid to that authority in respect of any such instrument.

#### **Additions to and deductions from housing benefit subsidy in respect of benefit savings**

**13.—**(1) Where this article applies, the addition to or, as the case may be, deduction from housing benefit subsidy referred to in article 4(1) shall be calculated in accordance with Part II of Schedule 9.

(2) This article applies in the case of an authority to which paragraph 2 of Schedule 9 applies and in such a case the addition shall be calculated in accordance with that paragraph.

(3) This article also applies in the case of an authority to which paragraph 4 of Schedule 9 applies and in such a case the deduction shall be calculated in accordance with that paragraph.

### **PART III**

#### **COUNCIL TAX BENEFIT SUBSIDY**

##### **Interpretation of Part III**

**14.—**(1) In this Part of this Order, unless the context otherwise requires—  
“council tax benefit subsidy” means subsidy under section 140(45) of the Act;

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(45) Section 140 was amended by the Local Government Finance Act 1992, Schedule 9, paragraph 21, but the section as originally enacted continues in force by virtue of the Local Government Finance Act 1992 (Community Charge Benefits) Savings and Transitional Order 1993 (S.I. 1993/232).

“the Community Charge Benefits Regulations” means the Community Charge Benefits (General) Regulations 1989(46);

“the Council Tax Benefit Regulations” means the Council Tax Benefit (General) Regulations 1992(47);

and other expressions used in this Order and in the Community Charge Benefits Regulations or the Council Tax Benefit Regulations, as the case may be, shall have the same meanings in this Order as in those Regulations.

(2) In this part of this Order “council tax benefit qualifying expenditure” means the total of council tax benefit and community charge benefits granted by the appropriate authority during the relevant year, less—

- (a) the deductions specified in article 19; and
- (b) where, under subsection (6) of section 139 of the Act(48) (arrangements for council tax benefit), the appropriate authority has modified any part of the scheme administered by it, any amount by which the total of the council tax and community charge benefits which it granted under the scheme during the relevant year exceeds the total of those which it would have granted if the scheme had not been so modified.

#### **Amount of council tax benefit subsidy**

15. The amount of an appropriate authority’s council tax benefit subsidy for the relevant year—

- (a) for the purposes of section 140(2)(49) of the Act (subsidy in respect of council tax benefit) shall be the amount or total of the amounts calculated in accordance with article 16;
- (b) for the purposes of section 140(5)(50) of the Act (subsidy in respect of the costs of administering council tax benefit) may include an additional sum in respect of the costs of administering council tax benefit calculated in accordance with Schedules 1 and 2.

#### **Council tax benefit**

16.—(1) Subject to paragraph (2), for the purposes of section 140(2) of the Act, an appropriate authority’s council tax benefit subsidy for the relevant year shall be—

- (a) in the case of an appropriate authority to which article 17 does not apply, 95 per cent. of its council tax benefit qualifying expenditure;
- (b) in the case of an appropriate authority to which that article is relevant an amount equal to the aggregate of—
  - (i) 95 per cent. of so much of its council tax benefit qualifying expenditure as remains after deducting the amount of expenditure attributable to the council tax benefit to which that article applies; plus
  - (ii) the appropriate amount calculated in respect of the council tax benefit under that article,

plus, in each case, the additions, where applicable, under articles 18 and 21(2), less, in each case, the deductions, where applicable, under articles 20 and 21(3).

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(46) S.I. 1989/1321, amended by S.I. 1990/834, 835, 1549, 1657, 1773, 1991/234, 849, 1599, 2742, 2910, 1992/432, 1026, 1101, 1326, 1385, 2148 and 1993/1105.

(47) S.I. 1992/1814, amended by S. I. 1993/349, 688, 963, 1150, 1249, 1540, 2118, 1994/470, 578, 1925, 2137 and 3061, 1995/511, 559, 560, 625, 626, 1339, 1742, 2303, 3282 and 1996/30.

(48) Section 139(6) allows modification of the council tax benefit scheme so as to provide for the disregard from income of a war disablement pension or a war widow’s pension; it was amended by the Local Government Finance Act 1992, Schedule 9, paragraph 20.

(49) Section 140(2) was amended by the Local Government Finance Act 1992, Schedule 9, paragraph 21(2).

(50) Section 140(5) was amended by the Local Government Finance Act 1992, Schedule 9, paragraph 21(5).

(2) Where, during the relevant year there has been a period overrun in respect of council tax benefit, that authority's council tax benefit subsidy for that year shall be adjusted by deducting from the subsidy otherwise due under this article an amount equal to the percentage, as calculated in accordance with paragraph 4 of Schedule 4, of the council tax benefit qualifying expenditure for that authority.

### **Backdated benefit**

17.—(1) Subject to paragraph (2), where—

- (a) during the relevant year an appropriate authority has—
  - (i) under paragraph (18) of regulation 60 of the Community Charge Benefits Regulations (time and manner in which claims are to be made), treated any claim for a community charge benefit as made on a day earlier than that on which it is made; or
  - (ii) under paragraph (16) of regulation 62 of the Council Tax Benefit Regulations (time and manner in which claims are to be made), treated any claim for council tax benefit as made on a day earlier than that on which it was made; and
- (b) any part of that appropriate authority's council tax benefit qualifying expenditure is attributable to such earlier period;

for the purposes of article 16(1)(b)(ii), the appropriate amount for the relevant year in respect of such part shall be 50 per cent. of the council tax benefit qualifying expenditure so attributable.

(2) This article shall not apply in a case to which article 18(1)(b)(ii) applies.

### **Additions to council tax benefit subsidy**

18.—(1) Subject to paragraphs (8) and (9), the additions referred to in article 16 are—

- (a) where, following the loss, destruction or non-receipt, or alleged loss, destruction or non-receipt of original instruments of payment, an appropriate authority makes duplicate payments and the original instruments have been or are subsequently encashed, an amount equal to 25 per cent. of the amount of the duplicate payments;
- (b) subject to paragraphs (2) and (3), where it is discovered by an appropriate authority, during the relevant year, that excess benefits have been allowed and an amount is to be deducted under article 20 in relation to those excess benefits, an amount equal to—
  - (i) where the excess benefits are allowed in consequence of a departmental error, 95 per cent. of that part of the excess benefits which have not been recovered by the appropriate authority;
  - (ii) where fraudulent excess benefits are allowed 95 per cent. of the excess benefits; or
  - (iii) except where head (i) or (ii) above applies, 25 per cent. of the excess benefits.
- (c) where, during the relevant year, it is discovered that excess benefit in respect of which a deduction was made under article 19 of the 1994 Order or the 1995 Order, as the case may be, (other than a deduction under sub-paragraph (1)(c) of that article) was fraudulent excess benefit, the difference, if any, between 95 per cent. of any such excess benefit and the amount of any council tax benefit subsidy that has been paid to that authority in respect of that excess benefit.

(2) The amount under paragraph (1)(b) shall not include an amount in relation to—

- (a) any excess benefit allowed in consequence of an error of the appropriate authority making the payment;
- (b) any technical excess benefit, or

(c) any excess benefit allowed and discovered in the relevant year, as a result of a reduction in the amount of council tax a person is liable to pay.

(3) Where excess benefits are allowed in consequence of departmental error, but some or all of that excess benefit is recovered by the appropriate authority, no addition shall be applicable to that authority in respect of the amount so recovered.

(4) In paragraph (2)(a) “excess benefit allowed in consequence of an error of the appropriate authority making the payment” means excess benefits in consequence of a mistake made or something done or omitted to be done by the appropriate authority where the claimant, a person acting on his behalf or any other person to whom the payment is made, did not cause or materially contribute to that mistake, act or omission.

(5) In paragraph (1)(b)(i), in paragraph (3) and in article 19(1)(b) “excess benefits allowed in consequence of departmental error” means excess benefits in consequence of a mistake made or something done or omitted to be done by an officer of the Department of Social Security, the Department of Employment or the Department for Education and Employment, acting as such, or a decision of an adjudication officer, social security appeal tribunal or Social Security Commissioner appointed in accordance with sections 38(1), 40(1), 51(1) and 52(1) of the Act (appointment of adjudication officers, chairmen and members of social security appeal tribunals and Commissioners) where the claimant, a person acting on his behalf or any other person to whom the payment is made did not cause or materially contribute to that mistake, act or omission.

(6) In paragraph (2)(b) “technical excess benefit” means that part of excess benefits which occurs as a result of benefits being allowed in advance and—

- (a) a change of circumstances reduces or eliminates entitlement to those benefits; or
- (b) the appropriate authority subsequently identifies recoverable excess benefits which arise otherwise than from a change in circumstances,

but shall not include any part of those excess benefits occurring before the benefit week next following the week in which the change is disclosed to the appropriate authority.

(7) In paragraph (1)(b)(ii) and (c), in article 19(1)(c) and in paragraph 1 of Schedule 9 “fraudulent excess benefit” means excess benefit in respect of a period falling wholly or partly after 31st March 1993 and which—

- (a) is so classified by an officer of the appropriate authority, designated for that purpose by the authority, after that date; and
- (b) occurs as a result of the award or continuation of benefit arising in consequence of—
  - (i) a breach of section 112 of the Act (false representations for obtaining benefit); or
  - (ii) knowingly failing to report a relevant change of circumstances, contrary to the requirements of regulations 63 of the Community Charge Benefits Regulations or, as the case may be, of regulation 65 of the Council Tax Benefit Regulations (duty to notify change of circumstances), with intent to obtain or retain such benefit.

(8) Except for paragraphs (1)(b)(ii), (1)(c) and (7), this article shall not apply to an award of benefit to which paragraph (18) of regulation 60 of the Community Charge Benefits Regulations or paragraph (16) of regulation 62 of the Council Tax Benefit Regulations (time and manner in which claims are to be made), as the case may be, applies.

(9) Any reference in this article to excess benefits shall not include any council tax benefit for any period overrun or any period immediately following expiry of the specified period determined under regulation 57 of the Council Tax Benefit Regulations (benefit period) except for so much of any such benefit to which the claimant would not have been entitled had a claim for that period been duly made and determined.



### **Deductions to be made in calculating subsidy in respect of council tax benefit**

**19.**—(1) The deductions referred to in article 14(2) are, subject to paragraph (2) of the following amounts, namely where—

- (a) an appropriate authority has by virtue of regulation 58 of the Community Charge Benefits Regulations<sup>(51)</sup>, regulation 51(5) or 54(4) of the Council Tax Benefit Regulations (increases of weekly amounts for exceptional circumstances)<sup>(52)</sup> increased benefit in exceptional circumstances, the amount attributable to that increase;
- (b) during the relevant year an amount is recovered in relation to excess community charge benefit or excess council tax benefit, as the case may be, which was allowed in consequence of departmental error, within the meaning of article 18(5), and where the excess benefit had occurred and been discovered in one or more of the years ending 31st March 1991, 31st March 1992, 31st March 1993, 31st March 1994 or 31st March 1995, as the case may be, the amount so recovered;
- (c) during the relevant year fraudulent excess benefit, within the meaning of article 18(7), is identified, the amount so identified, but only to the extent that the amount of the excess benefits or any part of it has not been deducted from council tax benefit qualifying expenditure under article 19 of the 1994 Order or the 1995 Order, as the case may be;
- (d) subject to sub-paragraphs (b) and (c) of this paragraph, during the relevant year it is discovered by an appropriate authority that excess benefits have been allowed, the amount of the excess benefits, but only to the extent that—
  - (i) the amount of the excess benefits or any part of it has not been deducted from community charge benefit qualifying expenditure under article 15 of the 1991 Order or article 16 of the 1992 Order or the 1993 Order, or from council tax benefit qualifying expenditure under article 19 of the 1994 Order or the 1995 Order, as the case may be; and
  - (ii) the amount of the excess benefits or any part of it does not include an amount payable pursuant to either paragraph (18) of regulation 60 of the Community Charge Benefits Regulations or paragraph (16) of regulation 62 of the Council Tax Benefit Regulations (time and manner in which claims are to be made);
- (e) during the relevant year any instrument of payment which was issued by an appropriate authority during that year is returned to that authority without being presented for payment or is found by that authority to have passed its date of validity without being presented for payment, the amount of any such instrument.

(2) Where in relation to any amount of benefit a deduction falls to be made under two or more sub-paragraphs of paragraph (1) only the higher or highest or, where the amounts are equal, only one amount shall be deducted.

### **Deduction from council tax benefit subsidy**

**20.** Where, during the relevant year, it is found by an appropriate authority that any instrument of payment issued by it during the period of five years ending on 31st March 1995 has been returned to that authority without having been presented for payment or has passed its date of validity without having been presented for payment, the deduction referred to in article 16(1) shall be the amount of any council tax benefit subsidy that has been paid to that authority in respect of any such instrument.

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<sup>(51)</sup> Regulation 58 was amended by [S.I. 1990/834](#).

<sup>(52)</sup> Regulations 51(5) and 54(4) were added by [S.I. 1994/2137](#) as from 3/10/94.

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**Additions to and deductions from council tax benefit subsidy in respect of benefit savings**

**21.**—(1) Where this article applies, the addition to or, as the case may be, deduction from council tax benefit subsidy referred to in article 16(1) shall be calculated in accordance with Part III of Schedule 9.

(2) This article applies in the case of an appropriate authority to which paragraph 5 of Schedule 9 applies and in such a case the addition shall be calculated in accordance with that paragraph.

(3) This article also applies in the case of an appropriate authority to which paragraph 7 of Schedule 9 applies and in such a case the deduction shall be calculated in accordance with that paragraph.

Signed by authority of the Secretary of State for Social Security.

30th April 1996

*Roger Evans*  
Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State,  
Department of Social Security

We consent,

1st May 1996

*Derek Conway*  
*Simon Burns*  
Two of the Lords Commissioners of Her  
Majesty's Treasury

## SCHEDULE 1

Articles 3 and 15

### CALCULATION OF HOUSING BENEFIT SUBSIDY IN RESPECT OF ADMINISTRATION COSTS

#### PART I

##### GENERAL INTERPRETATION

1.—(1) The additional sum which may be paid to an authority under section 135(5) of the Act shall be the aggregate of the housing benefit amount calculated in accordance with Part II, the supplementary amount and the additional supplementary amount calculated in accordance with Part III, except that, in the case of authorities in Scotland who administer only council tax benefit, the housing benefit amount, the supplementary amount and the additional supplementary amount shall be nil.

(2) In this Schedule, unless the context otherwise requires, “housing benefit amount” means the housing benefit applicable amount calculated in accordance with Part II and “total of supplementary amounts” means the total of—

- (a) the supplementary amount calculated in accordance with paragraph 3;
- (b) the additional supplementary amount calculated in accordance with paragraph 4; and
- (c) the supplementary amount of council tax benefit administration subsidy calculated in accordance with paragraph 7 of Schedule 2.

#### PART II

##### APPLICABLE AMOUNT

###### **Housing benefit applicable amount**

2. For the purposes of Part I, the housing benefit applicable amount shall be calculated by applying the following formula—

$$A \times \frac{B}{C}$$

where—

A is—

- (a) in the case of development corporations, the Development Board for Rural Wales or the Scottish Homes, £1,543,186;
- (b) in the case of authorities other than those specified in sub-paragraph (a) of this paragraph—
  - (i) in England, £78,626,279;
  - (ii) in Wales, £3,266,787;
  - (iii) in Scotland, £10,078,507;

B—

- (a) except where paragraph (b) below applies, in the case of an authority identified in column (1) of Schedule 10, is the aggregate of the amounts obtained by multiplying each figure prescribed in column (2)(a)(i) to (2)(b)(iv) of that Schedule for that authority by the

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figure appropriate to that category and authority prescribed in column (2)(a) or (b), as the case may be, of Schedule 11;

- (b) in the case of an authority identified in column (1) of Schedule 12, is the aggregate amount determined in accordance with paragraph (a) above further multiplied by the figure specified for that authority in column (2) of that Schedule; and

C is, in the case of an authority referred to in—

- (a) subparagraph (a) of the definition of A, 7,057,742.75;  
 (b) sub-paragraph (b)(i) of the definition of A, 818,444,793.69;  
 (c) sub-paragraph (b)(ii) of the definition of A, 45,650,645.97;  
 (d) sub-paragraph (b)(iii) of the definition of A, 85,585,837.

## PART III

### SUPPLEMENTARY AMOUNT

#### Supplementary amount

3. For the purposes of Part I, except in the case of development corporations, the Development Board for Rural Wales or the Scottish Homes, the supplementary amount shall be calculated by applying the following formula—

$$D \times \frac{E}{F}$$

where—

D is—

- (a) in England, £5,985,138;  
 (b) in Wales, £248,672;  
 (c) in Scotland, £767,190;

E—

- (a) except where paragraph (b) below applies, in the case of an authority identified in column (1) of Schedule 10, is the aggregate of the amounts obtained by multiplying the figure prescribed in columns (2)(a)(ii), (2)(b)(ii) and (2)(b)(iv) of that Schedule by the figure appropriate to that figure and that authority prescribed in column (2)(a)(ii), (2)(b)(ii) and (2)(b)(iv), as the case may be, of Schedule 11;  
 (b) in the case of an authority identified in column (1) of Schedule 12, is the aggregate amount determined in accordance with paragraph (a) above multiplied by the figure specified for that authority in column (2) of that Schedule; and

F is, in the case of an authority referred to in—

- (a) England, 472,687,641;  
 (b) Wales, 24,890,300;  
 (c) Scotland, 31,015,311.

#### Additional supplementary amount

4. For the purposes of Part I, the applying the following formula—

$$G \times \frac{H}{1}$$

where—

G is—

- (a) in the case of development corporations, the Development Board for Rural Wales or additional supplementary amount shall be calculated by the Scottish Homes, £51,075;
- (b) in the case of authorities other than those specified in sub-paragraph (a) of this paragraph
  - (i) in England, £2,496,267;
  - (ii) in Wales, £214,170;
  - (iii) in Scotland, £333,567;

H—

- (a) except where paragraph (b) below applies, in the case of an authority identified in column (1) of Schedule 10, is the aggregate of the amounts obtained by multiplying each figure prescribed in columns (2)(a)(i) to (2)(b)(iv) of that Schedule for that authority by the figure appropriate to that figure and that authority prescribed in column (2)(a) or (b), as the case may be, of Schedule 11;
- (b) in the case of an authority identified in column (1) of Schedule 12, is the aggregate amount determined in accordance with paragraph (a) above multiplied by the figure specified for that authority in column (2) of that Schedule; and

I is, in the case of an authority referred to in—

- (a) sub-paragraph (a) of the definition of G, 7,057,743;
- (b) sub-paragraph (b)(i) of the definition of G, 818,414,794;
- (c) sub-paragraph (b)(ii) of the definition of G, 45,650,646;
- (d) sub-paragraph (b)(iii) of the definition of G, 85,585,837.

### Minimum amount

5.—(1) In the case of a relevant authority, if the total of supplementary amounts is less than £12,500, then the supplementary amount for that authority shall be increased to such a sum that the total of supplementary amounts equals £12,500.

(2) For the purposes of paragraphs 5 to 8 a “relevant authority” is an authority who administers both rent allowances and council tax benefit.

6. Where the total of supplementary amounts exceeds—

- (a) in the case of development corporations, the Development Board for Rural Wales or the Scottish Homes £51,075;
- (b) in the case of authorities other than those specified in sub-paragraph (a) of this paragraph—
  - (i) in England, £10,222,778;
  - (ii) in Wales, £548,569;
  - (iii) in Scotland, £1,243,578,

the total of supplementary amounts for an authority to which paragraph 5 does not apply shall be further calculated, subject to paragraph 7, by applying the following formula—

$$J \times \frac{K}{L}$$

where—

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J is the total of supplementary amounts for that authority;

K is the amount which remains after deducting the aggregate of the total of supplementary amounts for authorities to whom paragraph 5 applies from the total of supplementary amounts specified in sub-paragraphs (a), (b)(i), (b)(ii) and (b)(iii) of this paragraph, as the case may be; and

L is the aggregate of the total of supplementary amounts for all authorities, except those to whom paragraph 5 applies.

7. Where the total of supplementary amounts for a relevant authority, as further calculated in accordance with paragraph 6, is less than 512,500 for that authority it shall be £12,500.

8. Until such time as the aggregate of the authorities' total of supplementary amounts calculated under paragraphs 5, 6 and 7 equals the aggregate of the amounts specified in sub-paragraphs (a), (b)(i), (b)(ii) and (b)(iii) of paragraph 6, the calculations set out in paragraphs 6 and 7 shall, subject to the modifications set out below, continue to apply to calculate the total of supplementary amounts for those authorities to whom neither paragraph 5 nor 7 has applied, and for that purpose—

- (a) J shall apply as if the total of supplementary amounts were the amount calculated under paragraph 6, or, if by virtue of this paragraph there has been more than one calculation, the last amount calculated under that paragraph in respect of the appropriate authority;
- (b) K shall apply as if the amount to be deducted to determine the balance of the total amount available were the aggregate of the total of supplementary amounts for relevant authorities to whom, in the calculation under paragraphs 6 and 7, or, if there has been more than one such calculation under those paragraphs, the last such calculation, paragraph 7 applied; and
- (c) L shall apply as if the total of supplementary amounts were the total of all supplementary amounts calculated under paragraph 6 or, if by virtue of this paragraph there has been more than one calculation, the last such calculation in respect of all authorities to whom paragraph 7 did not apply on that calculation.

## SCHEDULE 2

Articles 3 and 15

### CALCULATION OF COUNCIL TAX BENEFIT SUBSIDY IN RESPECT OF ADMINISTRATION COSTS

#### PART I

##### GENERAL INTERPRETATION

1.—(1) The additional sum which may be paid to an appropriate authority under section 140(5) of the Act(53) shall be the aggregate of the applicable amount calculated in accordance with Part II and the supplementary amount calculated in accordance with Part III.

(2) In this Schedule, unless the context otherwise requires “housing benefit amount” has the same meaning as in Schedule 1.

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(53) Section 140(5) was amended by paragraph 21(5) of Schedule 9 to the Local Government Finance Act 1992.

## PART II

### APPLICABLE AMOUNT

#### **Council tax benefit applicable amount**

2.—(1) Subject to paragraphs 3 to 6 and for the purposes of Part I, the council tax benefit applicable amount shall be calculated by applying the following formula—

$$A \times \frac{B}{C}$$

where—

A is, in the case of appropriate authorities—

- (a) England, £52,613,889;
- (b) in Wales, £2,590,148;
- (c) in Scotland, £4,315,204;

B—

- (a) except where paragraph (b) below applies, in the case of an authority identified in column (1) of Schedule 10, is the aggregate of the amounts obtained by multiplying each figure prescribed in column (3)(a) to (c) of that Schedule for that authority by the figure appropriate to that category and authority prescribed in column (3)(a), (b) or (c), as the case may be, of Schedule 11;
- (b) in the case of an authority listed in column (1) of Schedule 12, is the aggregate amount determined in accordance with paragraph (a) above further multiplied by the figure specified for that authority in column (2) of that Schedule; and

C is, in the case of an appropriate authority—

- (a) in England, 655,236,771.33;
- (b) in Wales, 37,823,347.5;
- (c) in Scotland, 78,950,622.35.

#### **Calculation of applicable amount**

3.—(1) Subject to paragraphs 4 to 6, where in the case of an appropriate authority in England or Wales—

- (a)  $\alpha$  (being the housing benefit amount and the applicable amount calculated under this Part in respect of that appropriate authority) exceeds 13 (being 120 per cent. of the relevant amount), the applicable amount for that appropriate authority for the relevant year shall be the sum calculated under paragraph 2 less the excess; or
- (b)  $\alpha$  (being the total of the housing benefit amount and the applicable amount calculated under this Part in respect of that appropriate authority) is less than Y (being 95 per cent. of the relevant amount) the applicable amount for that appropriate authority shall be the sum calculated under paragraph 2 plus an amount equal to the difference between  $\alpha$  and Y.

(2) The relevant amount for the purposes of this paragraph and paragraph 5 is the aggregate of the housing benefit amounts and council tax benefit amounts payable to that appropriate authority for the financial year ending 31st March 1995 calculated in accordance with Schedules 1 and 2 to the 1995 Order (calculation of subsidy in respect of administration costs).

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4. Where the total of the housing benefit amount and the additional sums calculated under Part I and paragraph 3, less any amount paid by reason of Part III, is other than, for appropriate authorities—

- (a) in England, £131,240,168;
- (b) in Wales, g£856,935,

the total of the applicable amount under this Part for an appropriate authority to which paragraph 3 does not apply shall be calculated, subject to paragraphs 5 and 6, by applying the following formula—

$$D \times \frac{E}{G} - F$$

where—

D is the total of the housing benefit amount and the applicable amount calculated under this Part in respect of that appropriate authority;

E is the total of the housing benefit amount and the applicable amount calculated under this Part in respect of all appropriate authorities to whom paragraph 3 does not apply;

F is the balance of the total of the housing benefit amount and the applicable amount calculated under this Part for appropriate authorities after deduction of the housing benefit amount and the applicable amount as calculated under this Part for such appropriate authorities to whom paragraph 3 applies; and

G is the housing benefit amount for that appropriate authority.

5. Where, in the case of an appropriate authority in England or in Wales, as the case may be—

- (a)  $\Sigma$  (being the total of the housing benefit amount and the amount calculated under paragraph 4) exceeds  $\beta$  (being 120 per cent. of the relevant amount) the applicable amount calculated under this Part for that appropriate authority shall be the amount as calculated under paragraph 4 less the excess;
- (b)  $\Sigma$  (being the total of the housing benefit amount and the amount calculated under paragraph 4) is less than Y (being 95 per cent. of the relevant amount) the applicable amount calculated under this Part for that appropriate authority shall be the amount as calculated under paragraph 4 plus an amount equal to the difference between  $\Sigma$  and Y.

6. Until the applicable amount under this Part as calculated under paragraphs 3, 4 and 5 equals the amount specified in paragraph 2 as subsidy in respect of the cost of administering council tax benefit for appropriate authorities in England or in Wales, as the case may be, the formula set out in paragraph 4 and paragraph 5 shall, subject to the modifications specified below, continue to apply to calculate the applicable amount under this Part for those appropriate authorities to whom neither paragraph 3 nor paragraph 5 has applied; and for that purpose—

- (a) D shall apply as if the total of the applicable amount under this Part were the amount calculated under paragraph 4, or, if by virtue of this paragraph there has been more than one calculation, the last amount calculated under that paragraph in respect of the appropriate authority;
- (b) E shall apply as if the total of the applicable amount under this Part were the total calculated under paragraph 4, or, if by virtue of this paragraph there has been more than one calculation, the last amount calculated under that paragraph in respect of all appropriate authorities to whom paragraph 5 did not apply in that calculation; and
- (c) F shall apply as if the amount to be deducted to determine the balance of the total amount available were the housing benefit amount and the applicable amount as calculated under this Part for appropriate authorities to whom, in the calculation under paragraphs 4 and



5, or, if there has been more than one calculation under those paragraphs, the last such calculation, paragraph 5 applied.

## PART III SUPPLEMENTARY AMOUNT

### Supplementary amount

7. For the purposes of Part I, the council tax benefit supplementary calculated by applying the following formula—

$$G \times \frac{H}{I}$$

where—

G is, in the case of appropriate authorities—

- (a) in England, £1,741,373;
- (b) in Wales, £85,727;
- (c) in Scotland, £142,821;

H—

- (a) except where paragraph (b) below applies, in the case of an authority identified in column (1) of Schedule 10, is the aggregate of the amounts obtained by multiplying each figure prescribed in column (3)(a) to (c) of that Schedule for that authority by the figure appropriate to that category and authority prescribed in column (3)(a), (b) or (c), as the case may be, of Schedule 11;
- (b) in the case of an authority identified in column (1) of Schedule 12, is the amount determined in accordance with paragraph (a) above multiplied by the figure specified for that authority in column (2) of that Schedule; and amount shall be

I is, in the case of an appropriate authority—

- (a) in England 655,236,771;
- (b) in Wales, 37,823,347;
- (c) in Scotland, 78,950,622.

### SCHEDULE 3

Article 4(2)

#### MAXIMUM AMOUNTS OF HOUSING BENEFIT SUBSIDY PAYABLE IN RESPECT OF CERTAIN AUTHORITIES IN SCOTLAND

<i>(1) Authority granting rebates</i>	<i>(2) Maximum amount of Subsidy</i>
	£
Scottish Homes	2,586,208
Cumbernauld (DC)	244,409
East Kilbride (DC)	251,697
Glenrothes	130,599

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<i>(1) Authority granting rebates</i>	<i>(2) Maximum amount of Subsidy</i> £
Irvine	153,439
Livingston	281,500

## SCHEDULE 4

Articles 4(3) and 16(2)

CALCULATION OF DEDUCTIONS FROM HOUSING BENEFIT SUBSIDY AND  
COUNCIL TAX BENEFIT SUBSIDY IN RESPECT OF PERIOD OVERRUNS

## PART I

## GENERAL INTERPRETATION

1. In this Schedule, unless the context otherwise requires—
- “period overrun” means any period, in the relevant year—
- (i) which follows a benefit period in that year or the previous year; and
  - (ii) in respect of which the authority makes a payment to a claimant after the expiration of the benefit period without making a further award under regulation 66 of the Housing Benefit Regulations(54), or regulation 57 of the Council Tax Benefit Regulations, as the case may be;
- “benefit period” has the same meaning as in regulation 66 of the Housing Benefit Regulations or regulation 57 of the Council Tax Benefit Regulations, as the case may be, save that where an authority makes an award under one of those regulations for a specified period of less than 60 benefit weeks, it means 60 benefit weeks commencing with the benefit week when that specified period began; and
- “overrun week” means any week forming part of a period overrun.

## PART II

## DEDUCTIONS

2. The percentage referred to in article 4(3)(a) for an authority shall be that percentage in column (2) of the Table in paragraph 5, opposite the percentage calculated for that authority in column (1) of that Table.
3. The percentage referred to in article 4(3)(b) for an authority shall be that percentage in column (2) of the Table in paragraph 5, opposite the percentage calculated for that authority in column (1) of that Table.
4. The percentage referred to in article 16(2) for an appropriate authority shall be that percentage in column (2) of the Table in paragraph 5, opposite the percentage calculated for that authority in column (1) of that Table.

(54) Regulation 66 was amended by S.I. 1988/1971 and 1989/1322.

### PART III

#### CALCULATIONS AND TABLE

5.—(1) In the heading to column (1) in the Table in sub-paragraph (2) below, “total benefit weeks” means the total of all benefit weeks and overrun weeks for all claimants in the appropriate category as described in paragraph 2, 3 or 4, as the case may be, granted benefit by the authority in the relevant year.

(2) The Table referred to in this Schedule is as follows—

TABLE

<i>(1) Overrun weeks in the relevant year as a percentage of the total benefit weeks in that year</i>	<i>(2) Percentage reduction for the purpose of paragraph 2, 3 or 4, as the case may be</i>
81 to 100%	5%
61 to 80.99%	4%
41 to 60.99%	3%
21 to 40.99%	2%
5 to 20.99%	1%
less than 5%	nil per cent.

#### SCHEDULE 5

Article 7

#### THRESHOLD ABOVE WHICH REDUCED HOUSING BENEFIT SUBSIDY IS PAYABLE ON RENT ALLOWANCES

TABLE

<i>(1) Area</i>	<i>(2) Threshold (Weekly Sum) £</i>
<b>ENGLAND</b>	
Avon	91.49
Barking	136.89
Barnet	145.67
Bedfordshire	83.98
Berkshire	109.89
Bexley	136.34
Brent	128.25
Bromley	152.37
Buckinghamshire	97.32
Cambridgeshire	71.43

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<i>(1) Area</i>	<i>(2) Threshold (Weekly Sum) £</i>
Camden	191.70
Cheshire	84.05
City of London	408.87
Cleveland	73.95
Cornwall	103.56
Croydon	193.15
Cumbria	48.47
Derbyshire	64.87
Devon	96.92
Dorset	87.82
Durham	63.32
Ealing	164.12
Enfield	138.34
Essex	110.99
Gloucestershire	79.93
Greater Manchester	89.50
Greenwich	131.58
Hackney	128.65
Hammersmith & Fulham	137.54
Hampshire	104.85
Haringey	133.26
Harrow	147.08
Havering	136.70
Hereford & Worcester	95.98
Hertfordshire	94.44
Hillingdon	144.56
Hounslow	144.60
Humberside	63.71
Isle of Wight	94.10
Islington	147.08
Kensington & Chelsea	156.52
Kent	119.44
Kingston-upon-Thames	159.11
Lambeth	127.73

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<i>(1) Area</i>	<i>(2) Threshold (Weekly Sum) £</i>
Lancashire	99.30
Leicestershire	63.60
Lewisham	109.77
Lincolnshire	61.02
Merseyside	75.87
Merton	150.34
Midlands (West)	81.47
Newham	113.96
Norfolk	75.70
Northamptonshire	64.70
Northumberland	60.74
Nottinghamshire	71.90
Oxfordshire	121.89
Redbridge	124.10
Richmond-upon-Thames	163.07
Shropshire	104.79
Somerset	79.30
Southwark	127.92
Staffordshire	78.83
Suffolk	72.20
Surrey	122.08
Sussex (East)	121.69
Sussex (West)	113.68
Sutton	135.18
Tower Hamlets	144.22
Tyne & Wear	62.00
Waltham Forest	116.34
Wandsworth	154.80
Warwickshire	81.38
Westminster	184.56
Wiltshire	83.80
Yorkshire (North)	67.09
Yorkshire (South)	58.87
Yorkshire (West)	62.62
<b>WALES</b>	

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<i>(1) Area</i>	<i>(2) Threshold (Weekly Sum) £</i>
Clwyd	60.90
Dyfed	68.48
Glamorgan (Mid)	66.76
Glamorgan (South)	77.99
Glamorgan (West)	62.75
Gwent	70.60
Gwynedd	55.44
Powys	69.55
<b>SCOTLAND</b>	
Borders Region	106.46
Central	105.45
Dumfries	95.43
Fife	99.36
Grampian	90.47
Highlands & Western Islands	78.14
Lothian	91.49
Other Islands	76.72
Strathclyde	93.60
Tayside	99.29

## SCHEDULE 6

Articles 2(2) and 8

### RENT OFFICERS' DETERMINATIONS

#### Calculation of the appropriate amount

1. Subject to paragraph 7, the appropriate amount, in a case to which paragraph (2), (3), (4) or (10) of article 8 applies, in respect of that part of the housing benefit qualifying expenditure which is attributable to allowances granted for the period beginning on the relevant date and ending on the termination date, shall be calculated in accordance with paragraph 2, 3,4 or 6 as appropriate.

#### Rent officers' determination

2. Where the rent officer determines a property-specific rent, does not make a determination under paragraph 2 of Schedule 1 to the Rent Officers Order and the amount of eligible rent does not exceed the property-specific rent less ineligible amounts, the appropriate amount in respect of the period beginning with the relevant date and ending with the termination date shall be 95 per cent. of that part of the housing benefit qualifying expenditure attributable to the eligible rent.

3. Where the rent officer determines a property-specific rent, does not make a determination under paragraph 2 of Schedule 1 to the Rent Officers Order and the amount of eligible rent exceeds

the property-specific rent less ineligible amounts, in respect of the period beginning with the relevant date and ending with the termination date—

- (a) where the allowance granted is the same as or is less than the excess—
  - (i) except in a case to which paragraph 5 applies, paragraph 7 shall apply to any such allowance;
  - (ii) where paragraph 5 applies, the appropriate amount shall be 60 per cent. of the housing benefit qualifying expenditure attributable to such allowance;
- (b) where the allowance granted is greater than the excess the appropriate amount shall be—
  - (i) except where paragraph 5 applies, nil per cent. of the housing benefit qualifying expenditure which is equal to the excess;
  - (ii) where paragraph 5 applies, 60 per cent. of the housing benefit qualifying expenditure which is equal to the excess,and in either case 95 per cent. of the housing benefit qualifying expenditure which remains after deducting the excess.

#### **Rent officers' property-specific and size-related rents**

4.—(1) Where the rent officer makes a determination that the dwelling exceeds the size criteria for its occupiers and he determines both a property-specific rent for that dwelling and a size-related rent, the appropriate amount in respect of the period beginning on the relevant date and ending on the termination date shall be the appropriate amounts determined in accordance with the relevant sub-paragraphs of this paragraph.

(2) Where the eligible rent does not exceed the relevant rent, less ineligible amounts, the appropriate amount shall be 95 per cent. of that part of the housing benefit qualifying expenditure attributable to the eligible rent.

(3) For the period of 13 weeks beginning on the relevant date or, if shorter, for the period beginning on that date and ending on the termination date, if the amount of the eligible rent does not exceed the property-specific rent less ineligible amounts, the appropriate amount shall be 95 per cent. of that part of the housing benefit qualifying expenditure attributable to the eligible rent.

(4) For the period of 13 weeks beginning on the relevant date or, if shorter, for the period beginning on that date and ending on the termination date, if the amount of the eligible rent exceeds the property-specific rent less ineligible amounts—

- (a) where the allowance is the same as or is less than the excess—
  - (i) except in a case to which paragraph 5 applies, paragraph 7 shall apply to any such allowance;
  - (ii) where paragraph 5 applies, the appropriate amount shall be 60 per cent. of the housing benefit qualifying expenditure attributable to such allowance;
- (b) where the allowance granted is greater than the excess the appropriate amount shall be—
  - (i) except where paragraph 5 applies, nil per cent. of the housing benefit qualifying expenditure which is equal to the excess;
  - (ii) where paragraph 5 applies, 60 per cent. of the housing benefit qualifying expenditure which is equal to the excess,and in either case 95 per cent. of the housing benefit qualifying expenditure which remains after deducting the excess.

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### **Restriction on unreasonable rents or on rent increases**

5. This paragraph applies where an authority has been unable to treat a person's eligible rent as reduced by reason of regulation 11(3), (3A)(55), (4) or 12(2)(56) of the Housing Benefit Regulations (restrictions on unreasonable rents or on rent increases) as in force on 1st January 1996(57).

### **Payments on account of rent allowance**

6.—(1) This paragraph applies in a case, falling on or after 2nd January 1996, where:

- (a) an authority makes a payment on account pursuant to regulation 91 of the Housing Benefit Regulations(58); and
- (b) on the subsequent determination by that authority the amount of rent allowance payable is less than the amount of the payment on account,

to the amount by which the payment on account exceeded the amount payable on the determination.

(2) In a case where this paragraph applies, the appropriate amount shall be 95 per cent. of so much of any amount which:

- (a) is not in excess of the appropriate indicative rent level in relation to the dwelling, in respect of which the claim for rent allowance, pursuant to which the payment on account was paid, was made, and;
- (b) has not been recovered pursuant to either regulation 91(3) or 99 (recoverable overpayments) of the Housing Benefit Regulations.

(3) In any case to which this paragraph applies and any such payments on account were in excess of the appropriate indicative rent level, paragraph 7 shall apply to such excess.

### **Deductions in respect of allowances**

7. Subject to article 11(4) any allowance, payment on account or part thereof, as the case may be, to which this paragraph applies shall be deducted from housing benefit qualifying expenditure, pursuant to article 2(2)(b).

### **Relevant date**

8. — For the purposes of this Schedule—

- (a) in a case where a claim for rent allowance is made on or after 1st April 1995, the relevant date is the date on which entitlement to benefit commences;
- (b) in a case where—
  - (i) on 1st April 1995 there is current on that date a claim for an allowance in relation to the dwelling; and
  - (ii) there is also current on that date a rent officer's determination in relation to the dwelling,

the relevant date is 1st April 1995; and for the purposes of head (ii) above, a rent officer's determination includes a determination, interim determination, further determination or re-determination made under the Rent Officers Order, save that where a determination made under paragraph 2 of Schedule 1 to the Rent Officers Order 1990 had not taken effect

(55) Paragraph (3A) was added by regulation 2(c) of S.I. 1989/566.

(56) Paragraph (2) was added by S.I. 1989/566.

(57) Regulation 11 was revoked and replaced by regulation 5 of S.I. 1995/1644 and amended by S.I. 1995/2868 from 2nd January 1996, but the earlier regulation continues in force for certain claimants by regulation 10 of 1995/1644.

(58) Regulation 91 was amended by S.I. 1995/2868.



by 31st March 1995, the relevant date will be 13 weeks after the relevant date determined under the 1995 Order;

- (c) in a case where—
- (i) during the relevant year there has been a change relating to a rent allowance within the meaning of regulation 12A(8) of the Housing Benefit Regulations; and
  - (ii) by virtue of regulation 12A of the Housing Benefit Regulations (requirement to refer to rent officer)(**59**) an application for a determination in respect of that dwelling is required,
- the relevant date is the date on which the relevant change of circumstances takes effect for the purposes of regulation 68 of the Housing Benefit Regulations (date on which change of circumstances is to take effect)(**60**) or, if the relevant change of circumstances does not affect entitlement to an allowance, the Monday following the date on which the relevant change occurred;
- (d) in a case where a rent officer makes both an interim determination and a further determination, the relevant date is—
- (i) if the relevant rent determined under the further determination is higher than or equal to the amount determined under the interim determination, the date determined under the foregoing sub-paragraphs of this paragraph as appropriate;
  - (ii) if the relevant rent determined under the further determination is lower than the amount determined under the interim determination, the Monday following the date on which the further determination is made by the rent officer; in a case, falling on or after 2nd January 1996, where, prior to any rent officer
- (e) determination being notified to the authority, the authority determines a rent allowance on a claim in respect of a dwelling, the relevant date is—
- (i) if the relevant rent less ineligible amounts determined under the determination eventually notified by the rent officer is higher than or equal to the eligible rent determined by the authority in relation to that dwelling, the date determined under the foregoing sub-paragraphs of this paragraph as appropriate;
  - (ii) if the relevant rent less ineligible amounts is lower than the eligible rent determined by the authority but that eligible rent is equal to or more than the appropriate indicative rent level for that dwelling, the Monday following the date on which the determination is made by the rent officer;
  - (iii) if the relevant rent less ineligible amounts is lower than the eligible rent determined by the authority in relation to that dwelling, the Monday following the date on which the determination is made by the rent officer and in so far as the eligible rent determined by the authority in relation to that dwelling was in excess of the appropriate indicative rent level for that dwelling paragraph 7 shall apply to that excess;
- (f) in a case where the rent officer has made a re-determination under paragraph 1 of Schedule 3 to the Rent Officers Order, the relevant date is—
- (i) if the relevant rent determination under the re-determination is higher than or equal to the amount determined under the original determination, the date determined under the foregoing sub-paragraphs of this paragraph as appropriate;

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(59) Regulation 12A was added by regulation 5 of S.I. 1990/546 and paragraph 8 was amended by S.I. 1993/317.

(60) Regulation 68 was amended by S.I. 1990/546, 1992/432 and 1994/578.

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- (ii) if the relevant rent determination under the re-determination is lower than the amount determined under the original determination, the Monday following the date on which the re-determination is made by the rent officer.

### **Termination date**

**9.** For the purposes of this Schedule “termination date” means—

- (a) 31st March 1996; or
- (b) where the rent officer’s determination replaces a determination made in relation to the same dwelling, the relevant date of the new determination by the rent officer in relation to the same dwelling as defined by paragraph 8; or
- (e) the date on which the allowance ceases to be paid in respect of the tenancy,

whichever is earlier.

### **Apportionment**

**10.** For the purposes of this Schedule where more than one person is liable to make payments in respect of a dwelling the relevant rent shall be apportioned on the same basis as such payments are apportioned under regulation 10(5) of the Housing Benefit Regulations (rent).

### **Reckonable rent cases**

**11.** In a case where article 8(9) applies—

- (a) where the authority, in determining the reckonable rent has lessened that rent in accordance with regulation 10(3) of and Schedule 1 to the Housing Benefit Regulations (ineligible charges) by a sum less than the ineligible amounts, the appropriate amount shall be 95 per cent. of the maximum rent as calculated by reference to the value of those ineligible amounts; and
- (b) in a case where sub-paragraph (a) above does not apply, shall be 95 per cent. of the eligible rent as determined by the authority.

**12.** In a case where article 8(11) applies, the appropriate amount shall be, for the period of 13 weeks prescribed in regulation 11(9) of the Housing Benefit Regulations, 95 per cent. of the eligible rent less ineligible amounts.

### **Interpretation**

**13.** In this Schedule, unless the context otherwise requires—

“appropriate indicative rent level” means the indicative rent level for the category of dwelling into which the dwelling in question falls, as described in Schedule 1 to the Rent Officers Order less, in the case of a dwelling falling within heads (a) or (b) of paragraph 9(3) of that Schedule, any amount ineligible to be met under paragraph 1A or Part II of Schedule 1 to the Housing Benefit Regulations (meal and fuel charges);

“ineligible amounts” means, except as provided in the definition of “property-specific rent less ineligible amounts” below,—

- (a) any amount which the rent officer determines is attributable to the provision of services ineligible to be met by housing benefit, plus the amount in respect of fuel charges ineligible to be met under Part II of Schedule 1 to the Housing Benefit Regulations (payments in respect of fuel charges);

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- (b) any amount in respect of amounts ineligible to be met by housing benefit under paragraph 1A of Schedule 1 to the Housing Benefit Regulations (amount ineligible for meals);
- (c) where the dwelling is a hostel within the meaning of regulation 12A of the Housing Benefit Regulations (requirement to refer to rent officers), any amount ineligible to be met by housing benefit under paragraph 1 of Schedule 1 to those Regulations (ineligible service charges), other than under sub-paragraphs (d) to (f) of that paragraph;

“property-specific rent”, “relevant rent” and “size-related rent” have, except as provided in definition of “property-specific rent less ineligible amounts” below, the same meanings as are ascribed to them in paragraph 10 (interpretation) of Schedule 6 to the 1995 Order;

“property-specific rent less ineligible amounts” has the meaning otherwise ascribed to those terms in this paragraph except in a case where the property-specific rent is an exceptionally high rent and is notified to the authority—

- (a) on or after 2nd October 1995, and the rent officer has notified the authority that that exceptionally high rent determined by him does not include a payment ineligible for housing benefit under paragraph 1(a)(i) or 4 of Schedule 1 to the Housing Benefit Regulations, as the case may be (“ineligible payments”); or
- (b) before that date, and the authority is of the opinion that that exceptionally high rent does not include ineligible payments,

when it means that exceptionally high rent less ineligible amounts other than ineligible payments falling within either paragraph (a) or (b) above;

and other expressions used in this Schedule and in the Rent Officers Order have the same meaning in this Schedule as they have in that Order.

## SCHEDULE 7

Article 9

### AMOUNTS BY REFERENCE TO WHICH APPROPRIATE MAXIMUM AMOUNT IS DETERMINED

<i>(1) Area</i>	<i>(2) Threshold (Weekly Sum) £</i>
<b>ENGLAND</b>	
Adur	64.92
Allerdale	49.64
Alnwick	45.36
Amber Valley	43.46
Arun	75.03
Ashfield	41.10
Ashford	74.51
Aylesbury Vale	64.61
Babergh	61.79
Barking and Dagenham	125.25
Barnet	125.25
sley	40.58

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<i>(1) Area</i>	<i>(2) Threshold (Weekly Sum) £</i>
Barrow-in-Furness	59.60
Basildon	61.91
Basingstoke and Deane	76.08
Bassetlaw	46.67
Bath	58.62
Bedford	51.60
Berwick-upon-Tweed	38.27
Beverley	47.10
Bexley	125.25
Birmingham	55.25
Blaby	42.41
Blackburn	58.56
Blackpool	48.26
Blyth Valley	42.54
Bolsover	42.44
Bolton	45.72
Boothferry	43.47
Boston	50.55
Bournemouth	66.14
Bracknell Forest	61.04
Bradford	49.59
Braintree	64.65
Breckland	60.84
Brent	125.25
Brentwood	70.55
Bridgnorth	52.74
Brighton	65.45
Bristol	54.69
Broadland	60.84
Bromley	125.25
Bromsgrove	48.50
Broxbourne	77.91
Broxtowe	47.55
Burnley	54.84

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Bury	48.09
Calderdale	47.30
Cambridge	56.69
Camden	125.25
Cannock Chase	56.12
Canterbury	70.88
Caradon	57.15
Carlisle	48.47
Carrick	53.04
Castle Morpeth	49.53
Castle Point	79.01
Charnwood	45.80
Chelmsford	65.96
Cheltenham	65.76
Cherwell	65.13
Chester	44.54
Chester-le-Street	47.81
Chesterfield	42.39
Chichester	64.62
Chiltern	60.84
Chorley	40.44
Christchurch	59.79
City of London	125.25
Cleethorpes	46.85
Colchester	62.34
Congleton	46.98
Copeland	48.20
Corby	46.11
Cotswold	69.62
Coventry	50.97
Craven	56.15
Crawley	60.23
Crewe and Nantwich	48.08
Croydon	125.25

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Dacorum	59.78
Darlington	46.14
Dartford	70.58
Daventry	49.02
Derby	48.30
Derbyshire Dales	48.89
Derwentside	57.20
Doncaster	40.14
Dover	74.37
Dudley	50.42
Durham	48.65
Ealing	125.25
Easington	56.13
East Cambridgeshire	60.84
East Devon	54.44
East Dorset	73.20
East Hampshire	65.97
East Hertfordshire	68.40
East Lindsey	52.35
East Northamptonshire	55.19
East Staffordshire	47.73
East Yorkshire	49.23
Eastbourne	58.38
Eastleigh	71.69
Eden	64.82
Ellesmere Port and Neston	37.01
Elmbridge	74.09
Enfield	125.25
Epping Forest	67.98
Epsom and Ewell	67.59
Erewash	45.00
Exeter	52.83
Fareham	59.09
Fenland	56.72

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Forest Heath	56.58
Forest of Dean	59.61
Fylde	45.86
Gateshead	47.87
Gedling	45.27
Gillingham	60.30
Glanford	43.02
Gloucester	62.88
Gosport	66.54
Gravesham	69.14
Great Grimsby	44.27
Great Yarmouth	45.90
Greenwich	125.25
Guildford	72.48
Hackney	125.25
Halton	45.33
Hambleton	44.01
Hammersmith and Fulham	125.25
Harborough	59.88
Haringey	125.25
Harlow	58.23
Harrogate	61.67
Harrow	125.25
Hart	79.43
Hartlepool	51.80
Hastings	59.06
Havant	49.26
Havering	125.25
Hereford	49.91
Hertsmere	60.84
High Peak	49.56
Hillingdon	125.25
Hinckley and Bosworth	50.81
Holderness	45.93

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Horsham	77.18
Hounslow	125.25
Hove	62.27
Huntingdonshire	56.42
Hyndburn	56.46
Ipswich	50.46
Isle of Wight	52.89
Isles of Scilly	65.31
Islington	125.25
Kennet	70.10
Kensington and Chelsea	125.25
Kerrier	54.72
Kettering	52.97
Kings Lynn and West Norfolk	50.88
Kingston-upon-Hull	45.21
Kingston-upon-Thames	125.25
Kingswood	53.88
Kirklees	52.20
Knowsley	58.92
Lambeth	125.25
Lancaster	49.40
Langbaugh-on-Tees	53.28
Leeds	43.68
Leicester	49.07
Leominster	52.05
Lewes	65.28
Lewisham	125.25
Lichfield	48.09
Lincoln	43.77
Liverpool	45.15
Luton	58.58
Macclesfield	52.64
Maidstone	71.66
Maldon	73.47



<i>(1) Area</i>	<i>(2) Threshold (Weekly Sum) £</i>
Malvern Hills	62.39
Manchester	60.62
Mansfield	49.32
Melton	47.52
Mendip	61.07
Merton	125.25
Mid Bedfordshire	58.32
Mid Devon	56.82
Mid Suffolk	60.74
Mid Sussex	67.59
Middlesbrough	59.06
Milton Keynes	56.09
Mole Valley	62.49
New Forest	67.71
Newark and Sherwood	48.32
Newbury	61.47
Newcastle-under-Lyme	39.92
Newcastle-upon-Tyne	51.41
Newham	125.25
North Cornwall	59.99
North Devon	71.51
North Dorset	59.04
North East Derbyshire	43.04
North Hertfordshire	63.32
North Kesteven	51.42
North Norfolk	54.60
North Shropshire	48.78
North Tyneside	40.16
North Warwickshire	46.85
North West Leicestershire	46.34
North Wiltshire	59.99
Northampton	54.42
Northavon	69.93
Norwich	51.89

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Nottingham	50.85
Nuneaton and Bedworth	44.93
Oadby and Wigston	44.99
Oldham	47.42
Oswestry	46.25
Oxford	57.51
Pendle	51.35
Penwith	58.83
Peterborough	55.34
Plymouth	49.49
Poole	62.27
Portsmouth	57.48
Preston	54.00
Purbeck	69.39
Reading	78.62
Redbridge	125.25
Redditch	55.11
Reigate and Banstead	74.96
Restormel	57.23
Ribble Valley	43.37
Richmond-upon-Thames	125.25
Richmondshire	56.34
Rochdale	51.83
Rochester-upon-Medway	67.59
Rochford	62.43
Rossendale	50.91
Rother	70.98
Rotherham	36.00
Rugby	53.13
Runnymede	79.10
Rushcliffe	51.78
Rushmoor	68.15
Rutland	60.78
Ryedale	44.01

<i>(1) Area</i>	<i>(2) Threshold (Weekly Sum) £</i>
Salford	53.57
Salisbury	70.82
Sandwell	58.40
Scarborough	54.47
Scunthorpe	45.15
Sedgefield	47.70
Sedgemoor	62.01
Sefton	52.67
Selby	51.48
Sevenoaks	67.59
Sheffield	43.92
Shepway	62.13
Shrewsbury and Atcham	48.08
Slough	72.35
Solihull	57.60
South Bedfordshire	64.91
South Bucks	53.30
South Cambridgeshire	57.08
South Derbyshire	49.97
South Hams	69.84
South Herefordshire	56.55
South Holland	49.47
South Kesteven	50.07
South Lakeland	53.15
South Norfolk	58.22
South Northamptonshire	59.07
South Oxfordshire	73.88
South Ribble	55.94
South Shropshire	52.05
South Somerset	63.36
South Staffordshire	54.17
South Tyneside	40.50
Southampton	58.31
Southend-on-Sea	71.78

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Southwark	125.25
Spelthorne	79.86
St. Albans	66.05
St. Edmundsbury	56.90
St Helens	49.88
Stafford	46.65
Staffordshire Moorlands	48.44
Stevenage	63.41
Stockport	44.72
Stockton-on-Tees	50.19
Stoke-on-Trent	50.81
Stratford-on-Avon	55.26
Stroud	62.69
Suffolk Coastal	57.50
Sunderland	42.95
Surrey Heath	67.59
Sutton	125.25
Swale	55.17
Tameside	50.60
Tamworth	57.71
Tandridge	63.12
Taunton Deane	54.06
Teesdale	45.20
Teignbridge	58.08
Tendring	59.27
Test Valley	68.64
Tewkesbury	55.68
Thamesdown	53.69
Thanet	66.42
The Wrekin	59.12
Three Rivers	66.09
Thurrock	63.54
Tonbridge and Malling	67.59
Torbay	64.22

<i>(1) Area</i>	<i>(2) Threshold (Weekly Sum) £</i>
Torridge	50.01
Tower Hamlets	125.25
Trafford	51.15
Tunbridge Wells	93.60
Tynedale	51.83
Uttlesford	68.00
Vale of White Horse	56.99
Vale Royal	49.68
Wakefield	43.71
Walsall	49.56
Waltham Forest	125.25
Wandsworth	125.25
Wansbeck	42.90
Wansdyke	62.34
Warrington	45.21
Warwick	58.94
Watford	61.53
Waveney	52.10
Waverley	73.02
Wealden	55.59
Wear Valley	53.60
Wellingborough	47.15
Welwyn Hatfield	60.57
West Devon	54.93
West Dorset	59.79
West Lancashire	48.65
West Lindsey	46.94
West Oxfordshire	58.97
West Somerset	64.73
West Wiltshire	67.83
Westminster	125.25
Weymouth and Portland	51.83
Wigan	43.67
Winchester	69.63

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Windsor and Maidenhead	79.04
Wirral	53.76
Woking	79.49
Wokingham	70.85
Wolverhampton	50.10
Woodspring	68.36
Worcester	52.76
Worthing	65.87
Wychavon	56.72
Wycombe	72.15
Wyre	47.13
Wyre Forest	52.29
York	52.86
<b>WALES</b>	
Aberconwy	50.87
Alyn and Deeside	47.48
Arfon	52.31
Blaenau Gwent	53.75
Brecknock	49.78
Cardiff	61.65
Carmarthen	52.41
Ceredigion	54.32
Colwyn	49.98
Cynon Valley	49.98
Delyn	53.06
Dinefwr	43.70
Dwyfor	44.15
Glyndwr	43.68
Islwyn	54.48
Llanelli	56.50
Lliw Valley	46.91
Meirionnydd	48.62
Merthyr Tydfil	51.77
Monmouth	62.36
Montgomeryshire	52.67

<i>(1) Area</i>	<i>(2) Threshold (Weekly Sum) £</i>
Neath	54.09
Newport	59.87
Ogwr	53.55
Port Talbot	54.26
Preseli Pembrokeshire	50.29
Radnorshire	59.75
Rhonnda	53.66
Rhuddlan	49.08
Rhymney Valley	58.44
South Pembrokeshire	54.32
Swansea	53.69
Taff Ely	55.60
Torfaen	64.23
Vale of Glamorgan	61.76
Wrexham Maelor	45.87
Ynys Môn	50.34
<b>SCOTLAND</b>	
Aberdeen	35.56
Angus	31.20
Annandale and Eskdale	45.14
Argyll and Bute	50.32
Badenoch and Strathspey	44.87
Banff and Buchan	37.25
Bearsden and Milngavie	44.81
Berwickshire	39.00
Caithness	47.03
Clackmannan	41.19
Clydebank	45.79
Clydesdale	39.04
Cumbernauld and Kilsyth	40.57
Cumnock and Doon Valley	39.86
Cunninghame	41.69
Dumbarton	50.68
Dundee	51.52
Dunfermline	40.87

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East Kilbride	48.79
East Lothian	37.14
Eastwood	35.26
Edinburgh	55.76
Etterick and Lauderdale	35.86
Falkirk	37.49
Glasgow	49.60
Gordon	48.94
Hamilton	42.53
Inverclyde	42.43
Inverness	47.55
Kilmarnock and Loudoun	33.74
Kincardine and Deeside	43.90
Kirkcaldy	42.04
Kyle and Carrick	44.38
Lochaber	50.56
Midlothian	30.27
Monklands	43.11
Moray	40.65
Motherwell	40.18
Nairn	48.37
Nithsdale	40.51
North East Fife	39.38
Orkney Islands	46.51
Perth and Kinross	37.71
Renfrew	40.76
Ross and Cromarty	50.24
Roxburgh	45.31
Shetland Islands	48.92
Skye and Lochalsh	51.09
Stewartry	44.71
Stirling	46.08
Strathkelvin	43.17
Sutherland	51.12



<i>(1) Area</i>	<i>(2) Threshold (Weekly Sum) £</i>
Tweeddale	36.62
West Lothian	37.61
Western Isles	53.85
Wigtown	46.89

## SCHEDULE 8

Article 10(1)(d)

## ADDITIONAL SUBSIDY IN RESPECT OF RENT ALLOWANCE CASES

<i>(1) Authority</i>	<i>(2) Sum £</i>
<b>ENGLAND</b>	
Adur	2,211
Allerdale	2,046
Alnwick	794
Amber Valley	2,017
Arun	8,802
Ashfield	2,368
Ashford	2,480
Aylesbury Vale	3,862
Babergh	2,036
Barking and Dagenham	5,724
Barnet	24,263
Barnsley	4,866
Barrow-in-Furness	3,455
Basildon	5,125
Basingstoke and Deane	5,320
Bassetlaw	2,592
Bath	4,844
Bedford	4,621
Berwick-upon-Tweed	503
Beverley	1,224
Bexley	7,604
Birmingham	33,513
Blaby	879
Blackburn	6,531

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Blackpool	19,582
Blyth Valley	2,604
Bolsover	2,021
Bolton	6,761
Boothferry	1,426
Boston	1,097
Bournemouth	27,379
Bracknell Forest	3,866
Bradford	18,387
Braintree	3,202
Breckland	2,884
Brent	43,995
Brentwood	1,344
Bridgnorth	764
Brighton	24,350
Bristol	22,841
Broadland	1,227
Bromley	10,033
Bromsgrove	851
Broxbourne	2,280
Broxtowe	2,183
Burnley	5,149
Bury	5,006
Calderdale	4,685
Cambridge	4,121
Camden	29,484
Cannock Chase	1,055
Canterbury	8,027
Caradon	3,168
Carlisle	3,428
Carrick	4,971
Castle Morpeth	531
Castle Point	3,117
Charnwood	3,370

<i>(1) Authority</i>	<i>(2) Sum £</i>
Chelmsford	3,428
Cheltenham	5,332
Cherwell	6,291
Chester	3,404
Chester-le-Street	1,024
Chesterfield	2,770
Chichester	3,582
Chiltern	988
Chorley	1,340
Christchurch	1,509
City of London	240
Cleethorpes	3,915
Colchester	6,901
Congleton	1,231
Copeland	1,719
Corby	2,402
Cotswold	2,309
Coventry	14,281
Craven	1,112
Crawley	2,095
Crewe and Nantwich	2,564
Croydon	24,361
Dacorum	2,561
Darlington	2,367
Dartford	2,790
Daventry	967
Derby	8,287
Derbyshire Dales	687
Derwentside	1,880
Doncaster	8,516
Dover	6,925
Dudley	3,332
Durham	1,187
Ealing	33,454

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Easington	1,804
East Cambridgeshire	1,789
East Devon	3,395
East Dorset	1,576
East Hampshire	2,733
East Hertfordshire	2,396
East Lindsey	6,369
East Northamptonshire	1,519
East Staffordshire	2,005
East Yorkshire	5,884
Eastbourne	9,293
Eastleigh	2,994
Eden	937
Ellesmere Port and Neston	1,357
Elmbridge	5,168
Enfield	16,520
Epping Forest	3,536
Epsom and Ewell	2,007
Erewash	2,655
Exeter	5,631
Fareham	1,821
Fenland	3,109
Forest Heath	1,282
Forest of Dean	1,968
Fylde	3,333
Gateshead	5,037
Gedling	2,873
Gillingham	6,368
Glanford	1,242
Gloucester	7,951
Gosport	2,448
Gravesham	4,571
Great Grimsby	5,649
Great Yarmouth	7,580

<i>(1) Authority</i>	<i>(2) Sum £</i>
Greenwich	9,271
Guildford	4,876
Hackney	33,505
Halton	1,904
Hambleton	1,538
Hammersmith and Fulham	28,295
Harborough	1,079
Haringey	54,908
Harlow	2,506
Harrogate	5,001
Harrow	12,391
Hart	2,267
Hartlepool	3,353
Hastings	14,091
Havant	4,427
Havering	7,102
Hereford	3,228
Hertsmere	2,879
High Peak	2,196
Hillingdon	8,712
Hinckley and Bosworth	1,223
Holderness	1,439
Horsham	3,063
Hounslow	17,322
Hove	15,616
Huntingdonshire	3,169
Hyndburn	3,949
Ipswich	5,367
Isle of Wight	10,390
Isles of Scilly	64
Islington	17,107
Kennet	1,450
Kensington and Chelsea	26,179
Kerrier	4,609

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Kettering	2,353
Kings Lynn and West Norfolk	3,709
Kingston-upon-Hull	11,496
Kingston-upon-Thames	5,106
Kingswood	1,970
Kirklees	10,326
Knowsley	4,438
Lambeth	32,120
Lancaster	9,345
Langbaugh-on-Tees	3,961
Leeds	34,057
Leicester	16,151
Leominster	1,621
Lewes	4,173
Lewisham	21,310
Lichfield	580
Lincoln	3,311
Liverpool	29,314
Luton	14,809
Macclesfield	2,876
Maidstone	4,546
Maldon	1,598
Malvern Hills	1,764
Manchester	49,599
Mansfield	2,989
Melton	684
Mendip	3,818
Merton	12,006
Mid Bedfordshire	1,747
Mid Devon	1,986
Mid Suffolk	1,573
Mid Sussex	3,154
Middlesbrough	5,347
Milton Keynes	8,685

<i>(1) Authority</i>	<i>(2) Sum £</i>
Mole Valley	1,265
New Forest	4,017
Newark and Sherwood	2,139
Newbury	3,245
Newcastle-under-Lyme	2,216
Newcastle-upon-Tyne	13,888
Newham	40,221
North Cornwall	3,379
North Devon	6,788
North Dorset	913
North East Derbyshire	1,020
North Hertfordshire	3,792
North Kesteven	1,203
North Norfolk	3,191
North Shropshire	980
North Tyneside	4,798
North Warwickshire	243
North West Leicestershire	987
North Wiltshire	1,971
Northampton	7,560
Northavon	2,322
Norwich	7,364
Nottingham	16,525
Nuneaton and Bedworth	3,048
Oadby and Wigston	774
Oldham	9,469
Oswestry	808
Oxford	11,826
Pendle	3,699
Penwith	4,553
Peterborough	10,415
Plymouth	15,740
Poole	6,586
Portsmouth	17,122

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Preston	5,692
Purbeck	1,475
Reading	15,054
Redbridge	24,045
Redditch	1,311
Reigate and Banstead	3,460
Restormel	5,411
Ribble Valley	716
Richmond-upon-Thames	7,097
Richmondshire	560
Rochdale	6,680
Rochester-upon-Medway	18,269
Rochford	1,691
Rossendale	1,801
Rother	4,197
Rotherham	3,378
Rugby	1,905
Runnymede	2,039
Rushcliffe	2,512
Rushmoor	3,010
Rutland	493
Ryedale	1,333
Salford	16,491
Salisbury	4,049
Sandwell	4,499
Scarborough	6,655
Scunthorpe	2,860
Sedgefield	1,090
Sedgemoor	5,066
Sefton	15,573
Selby	1,871
Sevenoaks	2,079
Sheffield	13,019
Shepway	9,188



<i>(1) Authority</i>	<i>(2) Sum £</i>
Shewsbury and Atcham	2,331
Slough	9,146
Solihull	2,155
South Bedfordshire	2,817
South Bucks	823
South Cambridgeshire	2,151
South Derbyshire	1,262
South Hams	3,298
South Herefordshire	1,304
South Holland	934
South Kesteven	2,681
South Lakeland	2,654
South Norfolk	1,615
South Northamptonshire	1,052
South Oxfordshire	3,443
South Ribble	1,726
South Shropshire	1,065
South Somerset	4,381
South Staffordshire	709
South Tyneside	3,460
Southampton	20,341
Southend-on-Sea	16,940
Southwark	15,531
Spelthorne	2,593
St Albans	3,421
St Edmundsbury	1,903
St Helens	3,144
Stafford	1,490
Staffordshire Moorlands	747
Stevenage	2,004
Stockport	8,588
Stockton-on-Tees	4,294
Stoke-on-Trent	8,173
Stratford-on-Avon	2,216

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Stroud	3,272
Suffolk Coastal	2,635
Sunderland	9,135
Surrey Heath	1,998
Sutton	6,977
Swale	6,982
Tameside	6,078
Tamworth	1,850
Tandridge	1,411
Taunton Deane	5,997
Teesdale	482
Teignbridge	5,165
Tendring	8,753
Test Valley	1,556
Tewkesbury	1,578
Thamesdown	6,969
Thanet	15,813
The Wrekin	3,519
Three Rivers	1,440
Thurrock	4,377
Tonbridge and Malling	2,260
Torbay	17,101
Torridge	3,137
Tower Hamlets	7,188
Trafford	7,094
Tunbridge Wells	2,667
Tynedale	609
Uttlesford	1,583
Vale of White Horse	2,305
Vale Royal	1,124
Wakefield	3,202
Walsall	2,809
Waltham Forest	19,717
Wandsworth	28,711

<i>(1) Authority</i>	<i>(2) Sum £</i>
Wansbeck	1,827
Wansdyke	1,576
Warrington	2,283
Warwick	3,228
Watford	4,588
Waveney	10,437
Waverley	3,167
Wealden	3,713
Wear Valley	1,749
Wellingborough	2,774
Welwyn Hatfield	2,001
West Devon	2,573
West Dorset	2,679
West Lancashire	1,659
West Lindsey	1,887
West Oxfordshire	3,025
West Somerset	2,041
West Wiltshire	4,793
Westminster	53,179
Weymouth and Portland	4,344
Wigan	3,941
Winchester	2,114
Windsor and Maidenhead	2,990
Wirral	15,992
Woking	2,575
Wokingham	2,966
Wolverhampton	5,043
Woodspring	11,440
Worcester	5,823
Worthing	8,004
Wychavon	1,567
Wycombe	3,558
Wyre	3,391
Wyre Forest	2,074

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<i>(1) Authority</i>	<i>(2) Sum £</i>
York	5,484
<b>WALES</b>	
Aberconwy	3,001
Alyn and Deeside	1,416
Arfon	2,485
Blaenau Gwent	1,897
Brecknock	854
Cardiff	14,769
Carmarthen	2,089
Ceredigion	3,094
Colwyn	3,238
Cynon Valley	2,771
Delyn	1,510
Dinefwr	1,389
Dwyfor	934
Glyndwr	1,160
Islwyn	1,242
Llanelli	2,220
Lliw Valley	1,402
Meirionnydd	425
Merthyr Tydfil	1,377
Monmouth	1,766
Montgomeryshire	1,099
Neath	533
Newport	7,554
Ogwr	5,065
Port Talbot	1,469
Preseli Pembrokeshire	2,844
Radnorshire	878
Rhondda	2,815
Rhuddlan	5,399
Rhymney Valley	2,935
South Pembrokeshire	2,404
Swansea	9,375
Taff Ely	1,539

<i>(1) Authority</i>	<i>(2) Sum £</i>
Torfaen	2,047
Vale of Glamorgan	5,511
Wrexham Maelor	2,825
Ynys Môn	3,338
<b>SCOTLAND</b>	
Aberdeen	3,732
Angus	1,524
Annandale and Eskdale	652
Argyll and Bute	2,855
Badenoch and Strathspey	680
Banff and Buchan	922
Bearsden and Milngavie	270
Berwickshire	355
Caithness	378
Clackmannan	327
Clydebank	236
Clydesdale	315
Cumbernauld and Kilsyth	1,538
Cumnock and Doon Valley	386
Cunninghame	3,478
Dumbarton	1,507
Dundee	4,034
Dunfermline	2,728
East Kilbride	1,127
East Lothian	2,099
Eastwood	639
Edinburgh	22,966
Ettrick and Lauderdale	292
Falkirk	1,186
Glasgow	26,483
Gordon	684
Hamilton	877
Inverclyde	1,736
Inverness	1,289
Kilmarnock and Loudoun	1,688

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<i>(1) Authority</i>	<i>(2) Sum £</i>
Kincardine and Deeside	385
Kirkcaldy	5,440
Kyle and Carrick	3,445
Lochaber	626
Midlothian	1,253
Monklands	326
Moray	1,633
Motherwell	730
Nairn	272
Nithsdale	1,018
North East Fife	1,215
Orkney Islands	574
Perth and Kinross	4,348
Renfrew	2,429
Ross and Cromarty	782
Roxburgh	559
Shetland Islands	194
Skye and Lochalsh	371
Stewartry	504
Stirling	1,162
Strathkelvin	780
Sutherland	120
Tweeddale	129
West Lothian	1,175
Western Isles	638
Wigtown	815

## SCHEDULE 9

Articles 13 and 21

### BENEFIT SAVINGS

#### PART I

##### GENERAL INTERPRETATION

1.—(1) The additions to or deductions from, as the case may be, housing benefit subsidy or council tax benefit subsidy referred to in articles 13 and 21 shall be calculated in accordance with this Schedule.

(2) In this Schedule, unless the context otherwise requires—

A is equal to  $(B + C) \times 32$ ;

B is the total sum of housing benefit savings made by a relevant authority;

C is the total sum of housing benefit related savings made by a relevant authority;

D is equal to  $(E + F) \times 32$ ;

E is the total sum of council tax benefit savings made by a relevant authority;

F is the total sum of council tax benefit related savings made by a relevant authority;

G, in the case of a relevant authority, is the figure prescribed in column (2) of the Table in Part IV for that authority;

H is 0.75 of the value of G;

I is 0.5 of the value of G;

J is 0.25 of the value of G;

“authorised person” means

- (i) an officer of a relevant authority; or
- (ii) an employee of a relevant authority’s contractor,

where that individual has been designated by that authority for the investigation of fraud;

“council tax benefit savings” means any amount which would have been allowed by way of council tax benefit to a claimant during a benefit week, but for the investigation and intervention of one or more authorised persons, and which would, had that amount been allowed as council tax benefit, have been fraudulent excess benefit, within the meaning of article 18(7), or in a case where only a proportion of that non-allowance was due to that investigation and intervention the amount shall be that proportion;

“council tax benefit related savings” means—

- (i) where council tax benefit savings have been established and that investigation has also led to a determination by an adjudication officer that no relevant benefit, or less relevant benefit is payable any amount of relevant benefit that would, but for that investigation and consequent determination, have been paid to that claimant in a payment week; and
- (ii) in a case where the council tax benefit savings were less than the total council tax benefit not allowed, the council tax benefit related savings shall be an amount determined by applying to the total of relevant benefit not paid a percentage equal to the percentage which those council tax benefit savings bear to the total council tax benefit not allowed,

except that in neither case shall it include any amount which has been included in the housing benefit related savings for that authority;

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“housing benefit savings” means any amount which would have been paid by way of housing benefit to a claimant during a benefit week, but for the investigation and intervention of one or more authorised persons, and which would, had that amount been paid as housing benefit, have been a fraudulent overpayment, within the meaning of article 10(5), or, in a case where only a proportion of that non-payment was due to that investigation and intervention, the amount shall be that proportion;

“housing benefit related savings” means—

- (i) where housing benefit savings have been established and that investigation has also led to a determination by an adjudication officer that no relevant benefit or less relevant benefit is payable, any amount of relevant benefit that would, but
- (ii) for that investigation and consequent determination, have been paid to that claimant in a payment week; and in a case where the housing benefit savings were less than the total housing benefit not paid, the housing benefit related savings shall be an amount determined by applying to the total of relevant benefit not paid a percentage equal to the percentage which those housing benefit savings bear to the total housing benefit not paid;

“a payment week” means—

- (i) in the case of income support, a benefit week within the meaning prescribed therefore in regulation 2(1) of the Income Support (General) Regulations 1987(61);
- (ii) in the case of invalidity benefit, severe disablement allowance or sickness benefit, the week in advance in which such benefit is to be paid pursuant to regulation 24(1) of the Social Security (Claims and Payments) Regulations 1987(62) or, in a case where that regulation does not apply, would be so paid if that regulation did apply;
- (iii) in the case of retirement pension, the week in arrears in which such benefit is to be paid pursuant to regulation 22(1) of the Social Security (Claims and Payments) Regulations 1987(63) or, in a case where that regulation does not apply, would be so paid if that regulation did apply;

“a relevant authority” is an authority identified in column (1) of the Table in Part IV, and

“relevant benefit” means income support, invalidity benefit, retirement pension, severe disablement allowance or sickness benefit, in a case where a claimant who is in receipt of housing benefit or council tax benefit, as the case may be, is also in receipt of income support.

## PART II

### HOUSING BENEFIT SAVINGS

#### Addition to housing benefit subsidy

2.—(1) Subject to sub-paragraph (2) below, in the case of a relevant authority where the savings which are the sum of (A + D) are greater than H, the addition for that authority shall be 10 per cent. of the sum calculated by applying the following formula—

$$\{(A + D) - H\} \times \frac{A}{(A + D)}.$$

(61) S.I. 1987/1967; the definition of “benefit week” was added by S.I. 1988/1445.

(62) S.I. 1987/1968.

(63) The relevant amendment is S.I. 1991/2741.



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(2) In the case of an authority where the savings which are the sum of (A + D) are greater than G, the addition for that authority shall be the sum calculated for that authority in sub-paragraph (1) above plus 10 per cent. of the sum calculated by applying the following formula—

$$\{(A + D) - G\} \times \frac{A}{(A + D)}.$$

3. In the case of a relevant authority where the savings which are the sum of (A + D) do not exceed H, but do exceed I, there shall be no addition or deduction under this Part for that authority.

#### **Deduction from housing benefit subsidy**

4.—(1) Subject to sub-paragraphs (2) and (3) below, in the case of a relevant authority where the savings which are the sum of (A + D) are less than I, the deduction for that authority shall be 20 per cent. of the sum calculated by applying the following formula—

$$\{(A + D) - I\} \times \frac{A}{(A + D)}.$$

(2) Subject to sub-paragraph (3) below, in the case of an authority where the savings which are the sum of (A + D) are less than J, the deduction for that authority shall be the sum calculated for that authority in sub-paragraph (1) above together with a further amount of 30 per cent. of the sum calculated by applying the following formula—

$$\{(A + D) - J\} \times \frac{A}{(A + D)}.$$

(3) In a case where the value of G for a relevant authority is less than £60,000, there shall be no deduction for that authority.

## **PART III**

### **COUNCIL TAX BENEFIT SAVINGS**

#### **Council tax benefit savings**

5.—(1) Subject to sub-paragraph (2) below, in the case of an authority where the savings which are the sum of (A + D) are greater than H, the addition for that authority shall be 10 per cent. of the sum calculated by applying the following formula—

$$\{(A + D) - H\} \times \frac{D}{(A + D)}.$$

(2) In the case of an authority where the savings which are the sum of (A + D) are greater than G, the addition for that authority shall be the sum calculated for that authority in sub-paragraph (1) above plus 10 per cent. of the sum calculated by applying the following formula—

$$\{(A + D) - G\} \times \frac{D}{(A + D)}.$$

6. In the case of an authority where the savings which are the sum of (A + D) do not exceed H, but do exceed I, there shall be no addition or deduction under this Part for that authority.

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### Deduction from council tax benefit subsidy

7.—(1) Subject to sub-paragraphs (2) and (3) below, in the case of an authority where the savings which are the sum of (A + D) are less than I, the deduction for that authority shall be 20 per cent. of the sum calculated by applying the following formula—

$$\{(A + D) - I\} \times \frac{D}{(A + D)}.$$

(2) Subject to sub-paragraph (3) below, in the case of an authority where the savings which are the sum of (A + D) are less than J, the deduction for that authority shall be the amount calculated for that authority in sub-paragraph (1) above, together with a further amount of 30 per cent. of the sum calculated by applying the following formula—

$$\{(A + D) - J\} \times \frac{D}{(A + D)}.$$

(3) In a case where the value of G for a relevant authority is less than £60,000, there shall be no deduction for that authority.

## PART IV

### TABLE

8. The Table referred to in this Schedule is as follows:

<i>(1) Authority</i>	<i>(2) Sum £</i>
<b>ENGLAND</b>	
Adur	90,743
Allerdale	115,809
Alnwick	31,007
Amber Valley	95,095
Arun	243,863
Ashfield	94,054
Ashford	117,720
Aylesbury Vale	120,644
Babergh	86,200
Barking and Dagenham	249,345
Barnet	611,904
Barnsley	292,726
Barrow-in-Furness	125,366
Basildon	163,001
Basingstoke and Deane	166,666
Bassetlaw	110,863
Bath	184,357
Bedford	210,586

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<i>(1) Authority</i>	<i>(2) Sum £</i>
Berwick-upon-Tweed	22,292
Beverley	63,629
Bexley	341,852
Birmingham	2,479,278
Blaby	33,437
Blackburn	227,908
Blackpool	494,342
Blyth Valley	86,860
Bolsover	85,492
Bolton	399,088
Boothferry	63,831
Boston	58,440
Bournemouth	553,139
Bracknell Forest	122,405
Bradford	883,148
Braintree	145,310
Breckland	124,806
Brent	1,223,135
Brentwood	60,634
Bridgnorth	39,078
Brighton	476,323
Bristol	885,476
Broadland	89,929
Bromley	428,246
Bromsgrove	48,537
Broxbourne	90,205
Broxtowe	104,450
Burnley	184,091
Bury	194,083
Calderdale	283,800
Cambridge	178,213
Camden	1,201,737
Cannock Chase	83,310
Canterbury	242,834

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<i>(1) Authority</i>	<i>(2) Sum £</i>
Caradon	120,319
Carlisle	117,226
Carrick	154,127
Castle Morpeth	31,662
Castle Point	74,548
Charnwood	98,632
Chelmsford	156,053
Cheltenham	153,737
Cherwell	155,312
Chester	140,781
Chester-le-Street	54,883
Chesterfield	140,235
Chichester	136,608
Chiltern	101,296
Chorley	94,218
Christchurch	51,073
City of London	27,957
Cleethorpes	92,082
Colchester	202,599
Congleton	47,692
Copeland	87,439
Corby	74,679
Cotswold	87,282
Coventry	634,861
Craven	50,201
Crawley	76,172
Crewe and Nantwich	99,378
Croydon	990,487
Dacorum	147,548
Darlington	146,703
Dartford	114,188
Daventry	47,461
Derby	384,859
Derbyshire Dales	41,038

<i>(1) Authority</i>	<i>(2) Sum £</i>
Derwentside	122,006
Doncaster	370,755
Dover	237,840
Dudley	341,359
Durham	74,757
Ealing	1,042,482
Easington	138,566
East Cambridgeshire	55,054
East Devon	146,402
East Dorset	75,823
East Hampshire	110,001
East Hertfordshire	89,442
East Lindsey	199,723
East Northamptonshire	63,730
East Staffordshire	95,248
East Yorkshire	155,280
Eastbourne	196,515
Eastleigh	97,882
Eden	42,673
Ellesmere Port and Neston	56,823
Elmbridge	177,183
Enfield	662,725
Epping Forest	144,095
Epsom and Ewell	70,520
Erewash	112,408
Exeter	195,688
Fareham	66,723
Fenland	121,759
Forest Heath	50,720
Forest of Dean	73,906
Fylde	66,989
Gateshead	401,304
Gedling	104,435
Gillingham	177,028

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<i>(1) Authority</i>	<i>(2) Sum £</i>
Glanford	49,385
Gloucester	190,951
Gosport	110,740
Gravesham	138,375
Great Grimsby	173,606
Great Yarmouth	213,818
Greenwich	717,273
Guildford	173,354
Hackney	1,431,478
Halton	215,033
Hambleton	61,356
Hammersmith and Fulham	895,252
Harborough	48,076
Haringey	1,661,691
Harlow	119,612
Harrogate	179,929
Harrow	372,046
Hart	72,104
Hartlepool	200,632
Hastings	264,426
Havant	158,811
Havering	294,040
Hereford	99,197
Hertsmere	94,267
High Peak	94,579
Hillingdon	409,959
Hinckley and Bosworth	62,450
Holderness	50,811
Horsham	108,578
Hounslow	542,193
Hove	364,697
Huntingdon	132,204
Hyndburn	134,517
Ipswich	233,257

<i>(1) Authority</i>	<i>(2) Sum £</i>
Isle of Wight	329,601
Isles of Scilly	1,237
Islington	1,018,207
Kennet	70,967
Kensington and Chelsea	855,416
Kerrier	153,386
Kettering	90,766
Kings Lynn and West Norfolk	135,531
Kingston-upon-Hull	540,468
Kingston-upon-Thames	231,801
Kingswood	83,017
Kirklees	567,707
Knowsley	335,060
Lambeth	1,396,689
Lancaster	264,810
Langbaugh-on-Tees	217,697
Leeds	1,319,090
Leicester	568,236
Leominster	32,553
Lewes	141,914
Lewisham	989,644
Lichfield	62,072
Lincoln	148,715
Liverpool	1,575,548
Luton	316,351
Macclesfield	109,771
Maidstone	127,422
Maldon	48,841
Malvern Hills	82,641
Manchester	2,108,360
Mansfield	162,013
Melton	31,469
Mendip	141,699
Merton	403,118

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<i>(1) Authority</i>	<i>(2) Sum £</i>
Mid Bedfordshire	95,759
Mid Devon	87,496
Mid Suffolk	67,141
Mid Sussex	131,307
Middlesbrough	340,350
Milton Keynes	295,895
Mole Valley	62,803
New Forest	186,301
Newark and Sherwood	102,123
Newbury	143,668
Newcastle-under-Lyme	96,286
Newcastle-upon-Tyne	720,323
Newham	1,150,746
North Cornwall	132,413
North Devon	208,627
North Dorset	45,203
North East Derbyshire	70,082
North Hertfordshire	153,626
North Kesteven	60,589
North Norfolk	119,137
North Shropshire	57,220
North Tyneside	349,777
North Warwickshire	50,286
North West Leicestershire	62,534
North Wiltshire	109,027
Northampton	266,295
Northavon	109,688
Norwich	272,250
Nottingham	728,161
Nuneaton and Bedworth	134,524
Oadby and Wigston	28,661
Oldham	343,754
Oswestry	37,580
Oxford	372,944



<i>(1) Authority</i>	<i>(2) Sum £</i>
Pendle	123,907
Penwith	189,619
Peterborough	295,843
Plymouth	534,236
Poole	212,576
Portsmouth	544,876
Preston	205,146
Purbeck	56,137
Reading	387,269
Redbridge	678,135
Redditch	84,188
Reigate and Banstead	126,527
Restormel	177,164
Ribble Valley	22,683
Richmond-upon-Thames	329,509
Richmondshire	33,130
Rochdale	375,472
Rochester-upon-Medway	318,399
Rochford	75,561
Rossendale	86,133
Rother	146,132
Rotherham	282,457
Rugby	84,590
Runnymede	87,062
Rushcliffe	79,766
Rushmoor	123,141
Rutland	22,964
Ryedale	79,155
Salford	605,017
Salisbury	161,093
Sandwell	547,329
Scarborough	181,738
Scunthorpe	181,738
Sedgefield	106,369

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<i>(1) Authority</i>	<i>(2) Sum £</i>
Sedgemoor	160,075
Sefton	454,228
Selby	54,235
Sevenoaks	136,564
Sheffield	867,879
Shepway	170,162
Shrewsbury and Atcham	100,580
Slough	263,541
Solihull	187,190
South Bedfordshire	120,313
South Bucks	65,442
South Cambridgeshire	78,853
South Derbyshire	55,811
South Hams	110,197
South Herefordshire	39,632
South Holland	50,169
South Kesteven	110,886
South Lakeland	104,805
South Norfolk	82,574
South Northamptonshire	50,722
South Oxfordshire	122,772
South Ribble	79,843
South Shropshire	44,934
South Somerset	209,132
South Staffordshire	61,354
South Tyneside	310,306
Southampton	552,083
Southend-on-Sea	478,192
Southwark	972,886
Spelthorne	90,928
St Albans	137,921
St Edmundsbury	93,962
St Helens	241,344
Stafford	83,154

<i>(1) Authority</i>	<i>(2) Sum £</i>
Staffordshire Moorlands	53,494
Stevenage	145,007
Stockport	324,024
Stockton-on-Tees	240,320
Stoke-on-Trent	368,252
Stratford-on-Avon	99,018
Stroud	115,363
Suffolk Coastal	97,391
Sunderland	519,514
Surrey Heath	74,442
Sutton	250,272
Swale	188,018
Tameside	373,452
Tamworth	79,806
Tandridge	57,197
Taunton Deane	163,365
Teesdale	17,322
Teignbridge	181,068
Tendring	258,967
Test Valley	90,601
Tewkesbury	61,952
Thamesdown	264,121
Thanet	384,102
The Wrekin	206,489
Three Rivers	76,051
Thurrock	189,338
Tonbridge and Malling	117,328
Torbay	385,733
Torridge	109,256
Tower Hamlets	687,789
Trafford	295,608
Tunbridge Wells	154,207
Tynedale	39,115
Uttlesford	61,504

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<i>(1) Authority</i>	<i>(2) Sum £</i>
Vale of White Horse	82,054
Vale Royal	81,656
Wakefield	405,444
Walsall	332,336
Waltham Forest	925,784
Wandsworth	1,066,873
Wansbeck	70,454
Wansdyke	69,222
Warrington	197,076
Warwick	134,435
Watford	121,847
Waveney	286,166
Waverley	121,822
Wealden	100,387
Wear Valley	92,404
Wellingborough	79,390
Welwyn Hatfield	121,625
West Devon	50,321
West Dorset	98,511
West Lancashire	116,252
West Lindsey	59,775
West Oxfordshire	97,592
West Somerset	72,946
West Wiltshire	130,539
Westminster	1,361,786
Weymouth and Portland	158,289
Wigan	356,365
Winchester	110,152
Windsor and Maidenhead	153,196
Wirral	749,997
Woking	81,507
Wokingham	97,739
Wolverhampton	419,126
Woodspring	312,285

<i>(1) Authority</i>	<i>(2) Sum £</i>
Worcester	109,801
Worthing	240,230
Wychavon	118,495
Wycombe	159,438
Wyre	108,149
Wyre Forest	106,697
York	193,318
<b>WALES</b>	
Aberconwy	83,807
Alyn and Deeside	61,396
Arfon	69,215
Blaenau Gwent	118,116
Brecknock	36,353
Cardiff	650,901
Carmarthen	65,503
Ceredigion	99,790
Colwyn	104,635
Cynon Valley	96,567
Delyn	72,172
Dinefwr	50,037
Dwyfor	34,996
Glyndwr	35,095
Islwyn	72,800
Llanelli	105,908
Lliw Valley	71,650
Meirionnydd	29,831
Merthyr Tydfil	103,202
Monmouth	76,160
Montgomeryshire	40,774
Neath	79,489
Newport	241,839
Ogwr	184,704
Port Talbot	73,249
Preseli Pembrokeshire	91,027
Radnorshire	22,420

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<i>(1) Authority</i>	<i>(2) Sum £</i>
Rhondda	124,644
Rhuddlan	94,995
Rhymney Valley	136,473
South Pembrokeshire	74,253
Swansea	351,038
Taff Ely	98,831
Torfaen	120,923
Vale of Glamorgan	171,294
Wrexham Maelor	125,752
Ynys Môn	121,845
<b>SCOTLAND</b>	
Aberdeen	137,112
Angus	64,236
Annandale and Eskdale	25,200
Argyll and Bute	74,121
Badenoch and Strathspey	14,419
Banff and Buchan	58,300
Bearsden and Milngavie	11,701
Berwickshire	16,117
Borders	9,763
Caithness	20,465
Central	38,940
Clackmannan	35,477
Clydebank	47,222
Clydesdale	31,044
Cumbernauld and Kilsyth	37,118
Cumnock and Doon Valley	33,452
Cunninghame	142,491
Dumbarton	71,608
Dumfries and Galloway	17,008
Dundee	257,258
Dunfermline	110,735
East Kilbride	16,457
East Lothian	77,268
Eastwood	21,784

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Edinburgh	852,242
Ettrick and Lauderdale	23,323
Falkirk	101,387
Fife	53,793
Glasgow	1,614,436
Gordon	31,404
Grampian	42,628
Hamilton	79,944
Highland	24,323
Inverclyde	106,617
Inverness	58,097
Kilmarnock and Loudoun	69,581
Kincardine and Deeside	16,703
Kirkcaldy	168,289
Kyle and Carrick	109,298
Lochaber	17,140
Lothian	114,105
Midlothian	48,516
Monklands	93,201
Moray	55,061
Motherwell	120,360
Nairn	7,759
Nithsdale	48,945
North East Fife	49,259
Orkney Islands	15,757
Perth and Kinross	103,845
Renfrew	191,623
Ross and Cromarty	43,371
Roxburgh	30,502
Shetland Islands	10,638
Skye and Lochalsh	12,180
Stewartry	17,592
Stirling	68,839
Strathclyde	445,852

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Strathkelvin	44,921
Sutherland	9,312
Tayside	56,105
Tweeddale	11,776
West Lothian	97,413
Western Isles	24,127
Wigtown	44,852
<b>NEW TOWNS</b>	
Cumbernauld	18,946
East Kilbride (DC)	30,439
Glenrothes (DC)	19,807
Irvine (DC)	11,906
Livingstone (DC)	24,237
Rural Wales	2,983
Scottish Homes	207,687

## SCHEDULE 10

Schedules 1 and 2

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<b>ENGLAND</b>									
Adur	1,317.38	844.75	173.38	126.00	682.00	272.38	3,395.63	243.88	1874.13
Allerdale	1955.81	2,510.75	174.56	228.69	1,072.56	1,209.56	5,296.31	724.75	3,545.13
Alnwick	883.50	411.06	81.50	72.25	525.00	241.31	1,604.81	238.25	1,170.81
Amber Valley	2,183.63	1,245.63	212.75	206.50	1,638.38	458.38	5,112.25	750.75	3,771.50
Arun	1,776.06	2,771.88	279.25	534.56	1,136.00	1,129.50	6,568.94	665.31	3,787.50
Ashfield	3,323.19	1,291.00	206.88	176.25	2,155.56	532.50	5,710.44	923.13	4,793.06



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Ashford	2,579.25	994.38	458.75	176.75	1,525.25	305.06	4,696.63	890.00	2,590.31
Aylesbury Vale	2,832.63	1,261.88	343.25	131.63	1,861.25	343.25	5,021.25	544.13	2,852.25
Babergh	1,588.50	922.06	319.25	199.06	1,154.50	302.06	3,458.06	701.81	2,320.81
Barking and Dagenham	10,309.25	1,703.94	554.25	106.06	4,523.00	269.44	15,013.94	573.56	5,897.19
Barnet	6,719.50	7,419.25	671.69	640.81	2,786.88	1,692.50	16,738.75	1,445.75	5,986.13
Barnsley	9,733.38	2,836.69	808.50	221.31	7,313.19	1,413.19	15,352.81	1,516.06	11,865.38
Barrow-in-Furness	1,880.75	1,681.44	159.25	109.31	860.75	484.06	4,882.94	543.06	2,522.56
Basildon	6,782.81	2,663.19	481.25	183.13	2,990.00	582.13	11,958.25	772.38	5,239.88
Basingstoke and Deane	2,834.13	1,575.50	547.00	285.00	1,910.25	514.38	4,755.13	878.25	2,854.88
Bassetlaw	2,868.13	1,190.38	191.31	150.75	2,368.06	435.63	5,131.50	463.56	4,114.44
Bath	2,696.75	2,109.75	465.56	420.75	1,314.56	640.13	5,078.00	726.06	2,412.44
Bedford	0.00	5,791.94	0.00	668.50	0.00	2,288.13	6,743.94	563.00	3,411.13
Berwick-upon-Tweed	820.69	294.38	81.75	66.31	514.50	167.63	1,437.06	195.56	980.38
Beverley	1,543.63	739.56	149.25	107.25	1,001.50	361.06	3,673.69	601.00	2,816.31
Bexley	3,414.19	3,904.69	310.75	373.69	1,969.56	1,301.06	10,873.38	498.94	4,936.88
Birmingham	5,022.75	26,668.69	4,023.75	1,787.38	18,473.00	6,689.56	87,225.19	6,657.37	38,514.32
Blaby	730.25	484.75	36.75	88.63	545.94	195.19	2,282.25	155.88	1,450.63
Blackburn	5,800.25	2,758.75	567.81	331.00	2,504.19	761.13	11,273.25	3,323.31	5,839.56
Blackpool	3,311.00	6,067.94	231.00	737.00	1,326.06	1,790.06	10,208.19	1,324.00	5,319.63
Blyth Valley	3,026.75	1,341.88	283.25	147.38	2,086.50	616.69	5,241.88	688.38	3,656.69
Bolsover	2,062.06	1,023.63	118.00	99.75	1,961.75	438.81	4,092.19	318.75	3,489.06

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Bolton	10,851.75	4,169.13	916.00	338.25	4,522.75	1,348.69	18,718.88	1,883.00	9,335.44
Boothferry	1,635.00	719.00	128.50	96.81	851.75	205.19	3,478.00	778.31	2,313.19
Boston	1,989.38	564.81	206.38	92.19	1,197.25	182.81	3,283.19	401.81	2,078.31
Bournemouth	1,778.00	8,062.56	324.50	769.00	1,494.69	2,417.81	10,558.81	1784.00	5,044.00
Bracknell Forest	2,261.19	1,154.31	331.81	200.00	1,490.75	399.25	3,723.00	598.31	2,255.00
Bradford	15,549.25	11,780.94	1,177.75	874.75	5,664.75	3,504.81	33,409.94	2,662.75	14,123.81
Braintree	3,707.00	1,254.13	417.75	167.00	2,251.50	416.31	6,529.13	509.25	3,354.06
Breckland	25.44	3,449.00	1.75	360.31	9.69	1,838.06	5,172.69	548.56	3,199.25
Brent	8,767.75	16,807.63	1,067.56	1,129.06	3,166.31	2,519.75	19,154.88	2,264.63	7,402.56
Brentwood	1,064.38	517.38	145.75	74.81	774.75	215.69	2,486.50	300.31	1,501.44
Bridgnorth	181.25	474.88	154.50	98.63	728.25	207.44	2,034.63	322.43	1,484.69
Brighton	5,420.13	8,376.56	555.13	792.38	2,174.38	1,904.69	13,286.44	902.25	4,543.81
Bristol	15,765.31	10,713.19	1,248.00	811.69	6,822.06	2,880.25	24,064.50	2,542.44	12,597.56
Broadland	2.81	2,026.75	2.50	408.81	3.13	1,240.75	3,493.56	487.06	2,641.88
Bromley	140.44	10,296.63	939.63	915.38	9.00	4,552.75	13,534.31	1,165.50	6,489.00
Bromsgrove	1281.25	515.75	198.00	106.31	757.75	226.06	2,346.50	497.82	1,769.80
Broxbourne	514.50	789.56	179.50	93.13	1,004.75	251.38	4,054.06	419.38	2,281.13
Broxtowe	2,112.75	1,246.88	167.19	160.75	1,425.38	623.06	4,752.13	545.94	3,497.44
Burnley	2,578.00	2,070.25	313.75	211.00	1,364.75	642.19	5,784.00	617.25	3,263.44
Bury	4,523.75	2,401.81	362.50	252.94	1,966.19	875.88	9,791.81	1,197.94	5,442.56
Calderdale	6,179.56	3,086.75	523.00	339.50	2,998.19	1,066.75	12,035.81	1,106.75	6,623.69
Cambridge	3,073.94	2,158.81	495.25	327.06	1,757.19	699.88	4,543.25	900.81	2,912.06
Camden	12,222.06	12,036.31	1,322.00	1,028.81	4,705.69	2,317.19	16,272.38	1,698.31	6,063.13
Cannock Chase	2,660.25	752.44	311.00	108.06	2,075.75	357.44	4,636.94	511.81	3,383.19
Canterbury	2,442.75	2,467.00	424.00	405.38	1,482.50	817.63	6,091.25	986.88	3,876.38
Caradon	1,495.31	1,307.69	233.00	288.44	877.50	355.19	4,132.00	620.94	2,057.69

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Carlisle	3,438.00	1,293.44	347.50	161.88	1,819.00	509.50	5,162.94	636.88	3,196.25
Carrick	1,994.19	1,953.63	250.94	396.19	943.81	489.69	5,048.81	732.38	2,291.00
Castle Morpeth	1,058.25	288.38	111.06	48.44	887.00	203.50	1,707.13	241.00	1,630.75
Castle Point	904.75	790.06	85.00	67.94	422.50	199.69	5,823.31	337.19	2,335.69
Charnwood	2,505.50	1,331.88	606.63	217.13	1,459.75	522.75	5,173.13	518.50	3,449.00
Chelmsford	2,678.19	1,317.13	348.75	185.63	2,171.50	474.06	5,545.06	523.13	3,629.81
Cheltenham	2,717.50	2,130.31	667.63	470.44	969.63	603.25	5,600.31	1,131.06	2,238.13
Cherwell	2,057.25	1,639.00	415.56	315.19	1,409.06	479.25	4,133.00	747.50	2,521.31
Chester	3,089.00	1,771.75	478.50	237.25	1,467.25	752.06	5,572.50	1,057.75	3,233.31
Chester-le-Street	2,111.25	360.81	250.75	34.56	1,613.00	208.75	3,011.31	312.06	2,288.75
Chesterfield	2,319.63	1,498.44	312.25	163.69	2,497.50	535.50	6,676.31	607.69	4,192.75
Chichester	1,827.00	1,273.06	450.25	336.13	1,313.25	527.38	3,833.56	696.88	2,346.13
Chiltern	0.00	1,670.75	0.00	339.94	0.00	1,136.31	2,346.00	300.69	1,738.56
Chorley	1,562.50	1,831.94	90.00	218.19	678.75	522.44	4,940.94	503.19	2,454.69
Christchurch	2,113	1,299.13	1.25	163.75	0.31	704.06	2,086.25	150.25	1,275.38
City of London	547.75	154.69	59.75	15.44	423.25	43.50	212.69	8.44	84.75
Cleethorpes	2,266.19	1,289.69	89.00	139.00	658.00	394.06	4,083.13	459.25	2,292.06
Colchester	3,304.94	2,524.56	471.00	419.31	1,692.38	597.44	6,771.50	1,147.06	3,607.81
Congleton	1,380.81	405.75	115.25	72.81	938.94	184.69	2,609.56	436.81	2,220.63
Copeland	1,841.00	1,795.63	153.50	147.50	1,054.00	774.00	4,164.63	337.00	2,405.00
Corby	2,432.44	1,108.50	216.50	72.56	1,299.94	229.94	3,360.19	250.06	1,645.63
Cotswold	1,308.25	824.00	281.25	275.94	1,091.75	477.13	2,732.50	452.19	2,051.88
Coventry	11,456.388	2,235.63	773.00	625.94	3,979.50	2,131.94	23,558.502	3,360.69	13,282.69
Craven	535.63	541.00	105.13	145.56	525.38	290.00	1,691.13	289.94	1,398.88
Crawley	2,709.81	989.81	383.75	132.38	2,159.50	296.75	4,159.38	362.63	2,710.00

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Crewe and Nantwich	2,801.75	1,256.44	263.00	157.13	1,398.00	409.63	5,140.69	689.38	3,255.38
Croydon	7,950.38	8,575.50	964.50	879.75	3,336.19	2,376.75	18,135.13	1,988.25	7,043.19
Dacorum	3,295.50	1,218.94	532.00	187.88	2,701.50	394.75	5,406.94	655.63	3,802.75
Darlington	3,300.75	1,887.69	250.00	196.94	1,438.75	580.25	5,243.19	534.44	3,115.25
Dartford	1,985.25	1,021.38	150.19	107.00	1,208.13	362.38	3,923.63	205.44	1,970.75
Daventry	1,124.00	399.19	182.00	84.50	969.00	165.38	2,067.94	349.25	1,720.38
Derby	7,736.25	5,441.81	497.75	452.13	3,215.44	1,599.06	15,623.56	1,337.13	6,933.50
Derbyshire Dales	1,038.25	495.25	96.50	80.81	759.50	223.56	2,277.00	284.31	1,883.31
Derwentside	4,430.75	1,101.44	512.75	105.56	2,898.50	441.81	6,756.94	784.81	4,946.56
Doncaster	11,963.69	1,158.25	595.75	254.81	6,835.31	1,206.06	19,357.69	1,141.31	11,313.88
Dover	2,088.69	2,364.44	402.75	386.25	1,792.25	1,038.25	5,847.38	655.25	3,666.00
Dudley	13,091.69	2,593.69	803.50	294.63	6,859.19	841.81	20,475.13	1,980.13	12,399.00
Durham	2,870.50	756.81	348.50	97.50	2,437.75	380.13	4,128.81	431.75	3,353.13
Ealing	8,539.00	10,465.31	1,999.56	708.31	3,537.50	2,182.13	17,040.56	1,182.13	6,555.88
Easington	5,209.75	1,115.06	525.00	92.88	4,410.25	744.63	7,142.56	764.13	6,430.88
East Cambridgeshire	22.50	1,731.38	0.00	283.50	2.50	1,299.81	2,453.13	245.00	1,709.56
East Devon	1,506.00	1,645.25	339.00	1,249.00	642.19	4,494.75	826.63	3,481.69	
East Dorset	1.88	1,660.13	0.00	429.88	1,249.00	642.19	4,494.75	826.63	3,481.69
East Hampshire	1,364.94	886.00	309.50	260.88	1,013.25	407.50	3,166.44	451.13	1,927.75
East Hertfordshire	1,985.38	866.56	325.75	103.25	1,602.88	327.75	3,831.94	416.25	2,378.13
East Lindsey	2,150.94	2,600.75	207.63	447.50	1,224.56	1,001.44	6,833.94	1,068.38	4,091.50

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East Northamptonshire	1,286.50	663.19	179.25	119.00	1,059.88	240.50	2,836.44	365.00	1,972.38
East Staffordshire	2,179.75	1,223.94	144.00	138.00	1,236.00	423.19	4,542.19	307.50	2,535.44
East Yorkshire	1,601.06	2,042.75	181.50	362.19	955.75	583.44	4,470.56	800.94	2,808.19
Eastbourne	1,817.50	2,709.69	329.00	550.31	930.50	1,113.50	5,093.19	768.31	2,841.50
Eastleigh	1,484.63	1,184.63	193.75	198.19	1,173.44	583.81	3,684.50	290.19	2,273.75
Eden	489.75	474.31	113.25	147.56	427.50	278.56	1,260.06	299.56	1,084.81
Ellesmere Port and Neston	2,633.00	702.88	187.06	47.94	1,107.56	234.06	4,254.63	516.00	2,323.63
Elmbridge	1,668.69	1,208.19	269.31	206.56	1,233.25	640.31	3,746.38	537.13	2,531.06
Enfield	6,922.81	5,248.50	657.31	411.44	3,203.63	1,250.44	15,316.31	1,199.25	6,900.81
Epping Forest	2,753.75	1,120.50	202.25	95.00	1,951.50	412.63	5,506.00	286.25	3,094.38
Epsom and Ewell	50.33	1,122.00	11.67	200.42	2.17	667.25	1,638.81	199.31	997.44
Erewash	2,736.00	1,523.94	244.25	195.75	1,660.50	507.63	5,769.69	593.50	3,831.88
Exeter	2,593.50	3,216.75	310.25	418.31	1,173.75	883.94	5,765.25	542.56	2,510.19
Fareham	1,216.88	755.31	194.13	124.56	731.50	270.94	3,055.94	251.69	1,828.69
Fenland	1,976.50	1,275.44	152.50	153.63	1,137.25	443.13	4,774.69	285.13	2,560.63
Forest Heath	1,120.31	588.56	140.25	102.94	722.50	182.94	2,328.63	318.94	1,361.19
Forest of Dean	1,606.19	834.94	188.50	130.31	1,043.25	239.88	3,632.88	402.81	2,256.88
Flyde	743.56	1,106.88	114.13	258.31	469.56	456.06	2,476.94	512.94	1,733.38
Gateshead	2,235.00	4,052.63	1,001.75	315.81	7,039.50	1,780.69	19,106.63	1,651.06	11,417.94
Gedling	1,353.31	1,474.44	110.75	212.38	1,125.75	660.50	4,317.00	546.13	3,130.25
Gillingham	1,555.25	2,036.38	107.25	191.25	795.25	427.56	5,098.13	282.50	1,839.06

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Glandford	2,255.06	689.19	61.75	88.75	704.00	246.63	3,031.50	296.50	1,974.63
Gloucester	2,752.88	2,667.81	273.00	240.81	1,276.56	637.81	6,299.94	384.81	2,790.63
Gosport	1,884.50	1,140.13	377.31	210.06	1,077.75	432.50	3,574.13	370.63	1,855.50
Gravesham	2,800.75	1,361.63	205.00	162.75	1,735.25	426.88	5,531.38	283.00	2,551.63
Great Grimsby	3,762.44	2,620.81	204.13	246.19	1,398.00	765.06	8,178.75	746.56	3,534.81
Great Yarmouth	2,814.25	2,271.38	260.75	279.06	1,695.75	681.75	6,066.63	516.31	3,539.25
Greenwich	3,270.81	5,501.69	1,086.94	394.06	5,277.88	1,529.00	18,305.00	1,367.25	7,451.63
Guildford	2,060.25	1,380.50	416.50	250.31	1,426.00	530.31	4,026.75	542.06	2,446.06
Hackney	17,668.69	12,276.56	2,095.44	993.44	5,021.25	1,706.19	18,781.75	1,878.88	5,610.94
Halton	3,671.31	5,196.50	293.25	459.38	1,754.75	1,781.25	9,920.31	1,167.88	5,031.25
Hambleton	0.00	1,679.50	0.00	347.25	0.00	1,209.50	2,175.75	323.50	1,743.00
Hammersmith and Fulham	7,711.88	8,766.81	686.69	604.63	2,958.63	2,355.63	13,075.94	484.06	4,956.25
Harborough	898.38	447.44	139.50	102.50	713.75	196.25	2,026.81	280.25	1,469.50
Haringey	13,419.38	16,965.38	1,583.81	1,089.19	3,997.56	2,286.94	19,561.00	1,940.00	6,986.25
Harlow	3,919.19	931.63	431.88	96.63	2,531.75	209.19	5,159.56	782.00	3,438.94
Harrogate	1,663.13	1,868.88	231.44	486.69	1,400.38	798.06	4,174.00	660.88	3,326.44
Harrow	3,135.56	3,996.31	344.50	398.13	1,641.75	1,058.94	9,148.63	560.88	3,981.19
Hart	5.63	908.88	3.00	209.50	0.00	542.38	1,635.63	211.31	955.63
Hartlepool	4,649.38	2,439.38	412.00	233.31	2,164.75	940.13	8,576.25	969.81	4,505.63
Hastings	2,113.25	4,320.38	312.25	516.56	1,023.75	1,274.00	7,499.13	697.31	2,924.00
Havant	115.50	2,928.58	19.92	352.58	6.75	1,056.33	6,677.13	348.13	2,673.44
Havering	4,784.50	2,181.81	626.75	228.88	4,394.75	841.13	10,839.81	1983.13	7,960.38
Hereford	1,631.75	1,319.19	270.25	196.31	857.00	398.81	3,005.44	369.56	1,547.31
Hertsmere	23.50	2,920.38	1.25	371.50	7.00	1,600.00	4,032.31	447.50	2,443.25

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High Peak	1,838.25	1,028.38	193.50	180.81	1,001.50	471.06	3,765.38	430.31	2,268.31
Hillingdon	5,634.00	3,496.19	954.00	409.50	3,563.63	1,105.19	10,075.69	1,337.25	6,121.31
Hinckley & Bosworth	1,312.25	734.31	109.00	134.88	1,093.00	286.56	3,391.56	349.63	2,324.31
Holderness	552.88	577.38	71.25	85.94	622.50	228.44	2,292.50	563.44	2,278.19
Horsham	1,555.69	932.00	382.63	236.19	1,343.88	460.00	3,377.19	456.81	2,223.38
Hounslow	6,393.44	5,846.31	548.50	444.88	3,107.44	1,234.81	12,540.75	889.88	5,660.75
Hove	1,644.69	4,862.75	156.75	532.19	803.38	1,318.13	7,336.69	760.69	2,576.50
Huntingdon	2,569.44	1,504.06	275.56	241.38	1,582.25	480.75	5,470.25	370.69	2,632.75
Hyndburn	1,710.56	1,718.19	233.75	245.44	1,094.88	568.13	4,689.25	715.69	3,025.25
Ipswich	4,051.75	3,135.63	390.94	396.31	2,055.13	936.69	8,526.88	1,008.75	4,553.06
Isle of Wight	34.38	5,631.94	3.25	880.07	6.50	2,504.94	8,129.06	1,162.57	4,682.44
Isles of Scilly	16.25	21.75	14.25	11.50	17.75	18.75	41.50	29.00	28.75
Islington	14,767.44	8,062.13	1,180.63	551.44	5,727.94	1,770.94	17,930.81	1,288.56	7,129.63
Kennet	1,417.25	632.81	271.50	143.88	1,062.88	242.19	2,569.56	309.38	1,522.81
Kensington & Chelsea	1,966.31	10,018.19	496.63	701.38	1,266.88	2,023.50	10,949.00	535.50	2,729.38
Kerrier	2,051.31	2,225.25	143.56	269.31	737.56	561.06	5,353.56	709.63	2,233.63
Kettering	1,752.94	1,053.06	182.00	126.19	1,164.94	305.44	3,779.00	314.44	2,442.88
Kingston-upon-Hull	18,120.25	7,426.44	1,067.75	538.38	6,605.25	2,345.00	26,212.94	2,264.38	11,035.50
Kingston-upon-Thames	2,535.19	1,915.88	408.44	260.94	1,569.38	865.81	5,217.31	419.13	3,066.94
Kingswood	1,583.06	829.75	97.75	103.94	973.31	226.50	3,712.31	229.19	2,035.81

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Kirklees	12,971.38	5,237.94	1,216.38	628.94	6,595.69	1,764.06	20,580.81	2,357.56	12,551.75
Knowsley	13,174.50	3,335.00	702.81	152.31	3,898.06	1,088.38	19,815.25	1,937.38	8,204.69
Lambeth	18,705.94	14,625.50	1,832.56	938.44	5,551.56	2,789.94	12,902.19	645.75	5,766.75
Lancaster	2,189.31	3,661.75	219.25	372.50	937.13	1,101.25	6,832.31	722.25	3,312.13
Langbaurgh on Tees	1,578.50	2,498.25	480.75	235.06	2,979.50	737.69	11,745.00	1,200.56	5,814.69
Leeds	30,806.88	14,779.00	3,716.06	1,377.19	16,836.25	5,033.94	45,589.38	6,272.00	30,506.19
Leicester	13,751.25	7,496.56	1,691.00	905.00	5,895.88	1,885.63	25,421.06	3,060.25	11,485.25
Leominster	0.00	1,302.13	0.00	270.25	0.00	627.00	1,775.06	321.81	1,042.00
Lewes	1,426.63	1,472.13	280.75	222.94	867.44	594.69	4,282.75	481.94	2,394.13
Lewisham	5,481.38	12,468.00	1,299.13	626.69	5,381.38	2,027.38	21,943.63	2,768.81	9,054.00
Litchfield	1,712.75	578.19	140.50	78.38	991.00	290.13	3,314.94	464.38	2,181.38
Lincoln	4364.38	2,289.94	403.19	267.13	1,719.31	525.50	7,019.31	616.56	2,849.31
Liverpool	24,193.31	127,001.19	1,627.25	1,337.38	10,589.19	8,719.31	50,226.75	5,984.63	27,890.50
Luton	4,661.50	4863.38	291.25	231.33	2,234.25	876.38	11,577.88	491.56	4,512.88
Macclesfield	1,115.75	1,269.69	324.00	208.94	1,497.50	541.81	5,431.44	870.44	3,730.31
Maidstone	2,890.69	1,459.19	319.25	194.06	1,758.94	621.06	5,564.88	698.56	3,502.50
Maldon	798.50	697.38	108.50	112.00	570.25	265.00	2,405.13	222.00	1,336.25
Malvern Hills	1,778.25	820.88	205.00	161.69	1,017.00	333.38	3,411.63	337.19	1,855.13
Manchester	42,251.81	21,468.69	4,766.75	1,947.75	16,309.50	5,439.19	49,439.75	5,432.50	20,412.69
Mansfield	3,241.25	1,981.50	313.25	243.19	2,580.25	715.38	6,176.00	732.69	4,972.88
Melton	708.75	351.69	102.56	89.94	586.50	186.44	1,439.44	326.25	1,199.19
Mendip	1,879.75	1,721.06	340.75	320.81	1,183.31	486.69	4,378.81	698.31	2,601.50
Merton	4,095.75	4,134.56	457.25	367.00	2,029.75	1,228.38	9,269.31	629.25	4,158.13
Mid Bedfordshire	655.79	1,838.84	61.38	234.18	528.96	1,230.48	3,643.63	299.31	2,503.69
Mid Devon	1,306.75	841.19	200.25	199.13	829.50	353.50	2,763.94	481.63	1,640.75



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Mid Suffolk	1,422.25	663.75	161.25	126.94	981.50	286.69	3,128.75	300.19	1,924.44
Mid Sussex	9.75	2,425.69	1.50	490.88	2.00	1,405.69	3,510.19	354.13	2,068.44
Middlesbrough	8,719.00	4,175.69	870.94	324.81	3,105.63	1,294.25	14,630.94	1,431.50	5,968.38
Milton Keynes	5,749.44	4,033.06	649.00	487.75	3,023.50	967.75	9,294.25	949.75	4,627.25
Mole Valley	1,119.00	520.06	184.00	151.50	872.56	300.44	2,168.06	308.25	1,387.00
New Forest	2,125.44	1,853.94	510.75	443.50	1,506.63	846.06	5,737.88	1,028.50	3,918.94
Newark and Sherwood	2,336.75	1,429.63	191.00	154.19	1,750.25	606.44	4,833.38	503.94	3,615.19
Newbury	23.88	3,145.94	5.25	486.25	14.00	1,766.88	3,947.06	649.00	2,595.63
Newcastle-under-Lyme	3,492.56	1,024.38	211.75	117.13	1,877.75	431.00	6,018.19	557.38	3,891.00
Newcastle-upon-Tyne	8,583.75	8,234.50	1,795.50	583.63	8,763.75	2,851.19	28,039.50	2,793.38	14,186.94
Newham	12,531.94	13,844.13	1,326.63	855.94	5,415.38	2,385.56	19,673.31	1,767.56	8,072.69
North Cornwall	1,639.56	1,425.50	408.25	366.94	878.25	499.56	3,833.06	1,182.69	2,377.81
North Devon	1,461.75	2,250.13	196.25	358.88	740.75	587.06	4,251.88	575.13	1,979.31
North Dorset	0.00	1,404.31	0.00	265.00	0.00	844.25	1,953.81	211.25	1,172.50
North East Derbyshire	3,190.75	544.25	210.25	61.69	2,338.50	256.00	4,973.25	682.94	4,260.75
North Hertfordshire	2,748.69	1,543.25	479.88	217.06	2,308.75	706.81	4,901.94	569.94	3,447.81

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North Kesteven	1,469.50	682.25	144.00	104.94	1,162.00	271.25	3,095.00	314.19	2,123.25
North Norfolk	2,017.75	1,308.81	260.25	321.31	1,119.31	529.88	4,819.81	525.81	2,616.19
North Shropshire	1,046.44	599.56	114.00	115.13	624.25	279.88	2,358.25	296.13	1,505.63
North Tyneside	8,723.44	3,728.50	842.19	431.19	5,496.88	1,892.44	14,436.69	1,706.38	10,613.31
North Warwickshire	1,275.50	533.69	108.00	77.06	1,133.00	334.69	3,558.44	601.81	3,256.94
North West Leicestershire	1,458.50	845.19	107.50	100.31	1,414.25	363.25	3,209.94	263.06	2,747.00
North Wiltshire	2,295.75	1,031.94	281.00	194.81	1,449.00	352.38	4,176.69	375.06	2,425.63
Northampton	6,576.00	3,035.81	460.56	226.31	2,824.75	766.19	10,703.06	898.38	5,215.19
Northavon	1,852.63	1,031.94	188.63	155.75	1,247.38	374.06	4,605.56	624.88	2,723.69
Norwich	7,767.31	3,062.50	882.13	411.50	3,999.94	1,078.81	10,251.81	1,380.88	5,682.25
Nottingham	17,414.69	10,126.63	1,123.63	782.75	6,871.63	2,654.94	26,529.81	2,175.63	11,093.56
Nuneaton and Bedworth	3,213.88	1,610.94	241.56	182.94	2,025.25	596.19	6,810.06	835.25	5,040.44
Oadby and Wigston	526.88	347.63	48.75	77.75	329.75	193.88	1,572.25	191.25	1,275.88
Oldham	9,216.75	3,548.75	963.75	401.25	4,462.75	1,255.50	16,330.00	2,337.50	9,158.25
Oswestry	945.56	551.06	111.00	99.06	412.25	135.69	1,984.38	218.56	813.69
Oxford	3,265.88	4,098.25	731.75	718.25	2,033.94	1,062.06	5,329.88	1,067.75	3,925.25
Pendle	2,002.63	1,428.63	203.00	157.38	995.75	421.81	4,533.50	544.88	2,687.56
Penwith	0.00	3,560.38	0.00	554.38	0.00	1,154.50	4,789.44	529.88	1,911.56
Peterborough	5,128.50	4,877.25	369.75	547.00	2,142.38	1,292.00	10,924.75	1,094.00	4,613.88

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Plymouth	8,228.88	7,795.63	813.13	828.69	3,466.19	2,090.69	15,482.50	1,424.06	6,605.13
Poole	2,217.19	2,541.75	195.06	286.63	1,348.94	808.00	7,237.19	349.94	3,304.19
Portsmouth	1,861.81	6,108.75	1,301.06	866.94	3,629.81	1,703.38	11,662.81	1,118.25	4,814.69
Preston	4,780.50	3,025.19	467.75	335.31	1,734.81	981.06	9,017.94	1,408.81	4,068.63
Purbeck	635.13	638.19	128.69	154.44	470.31	282.19	1,760.81	211.88	1,096.75
Reading	3,695.38	3,828.44	640.38	553.38	2,006.06	1,073.81	6,778.06	947.00	3,845.63
Redbridge	3,618.25	5,673.69	382.75	511.88	1,998.56	1,064.31	12,734.44	1,162.88	5,164.88
Redditch	3,255.44	706.56	451.56	103.69	1,330.31	209.00	4,763.75	503.00	2,063.31
Reigate and Banstead	1,772.31	1,054.56	280.81	176.38	1,428.69	548.25	3,587.88	549.19	2,633.69
Restormell	1,642.25	2,336.06	217.56	380.88	927.31	688.75	5,235.06	619.44	2,494.31
Ribble Valley	448.25	337.75	77.00	75.94	310.50	132.19	1,225.25	281.94	1,015.94
Richmond upon-Thames	3,029.31	2,740.44	386.81	349.50	1,788.19	1,409.81	6,415.25	568.56	3,713.50
Richmond upon-Thames	519.63	275.75	223.88	96.69	605.31	164.81	1,751.38	424.81	886.88
Rochdale	8,243.44	3,654.94	749.75	296.88	3,570.00	1,248.69	15,950.38	2,195.63	8,695.69
Rochester upon-Medway	12.19	6,628.81	0.94	602.31	1.25	2,801.50	8,939.25	339.75	2,908.75
Rochford	859.63	844.00	97.75	107.75	490.50	317.88	3,439.13	263.75	1,629.63
Rossendale	2,183.75	907.06	248.50	120.00	1,064.75	329.13	4,067.06	615.50	2,315.13
Rother	1,298.75	1,516.38	215.50	302.50	809.75	571.38	4,253.88	577.00	2,290.63
Rotherham	2,242.88	2,972.69	517.81	185.31	5,768.06	1,194.06	19,025.56	1,669.38	10,954.13
Rugby	1,750.50	1,132.75	189.75	160.19	1,126.25	397.88	4,009.00	460.44	2,546.63
Runnymede	100.50	724.75	250.00	104.06	933.50	384.19	2,103.75	343.81	1,633.44
Rushcliffe	1,180.75	1,225.25	117.50	151.94	985.50	424.13	2,667.00	304.69	2,170.63
Rushmoor	1,783.38	1,010.44	320.25	155.00	1,099.50	441.81	2,836.06	224.25	1,491.56

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Rutland	510.50	208.69	96.00	61.69	333.50	93.00	934.19	143.69	598.50
Ryedale	0.00	1,727.38	0.00	341.81	0.00	1,180.31	2,642.38	337.31	1,999.81
Salford	14,390.755	4,011.31	1,608.50	486.81	8,572.75	2,170.81	22,717.312	6,677.06	14,176.81
Salisbury	1,950.88	1,393.69	580.38	403.69	1,617.81	603.69	3,537.81	703.56	2,520.75
Sandwell	19,575.443	9,935.06	1,480.06	389.00	10,444.001	1,051.00	28,873.752	9,948.56	16,895.25
Scarborough	2,544.25	2,420.25	356.25	512.69	1,347.81	766.50	5,771.50	800.94	3,021.56
Scunthorpe	1,127.75	1,143.63	312.25	120.56	1,640.75	343.06	4,715.63	551.06	2,853.81
Sedgefield	1,270.25	820.25	544.75	91.50	3,365.25	550.81	6,107.75	848.00	4,880.06
Sedgemoor	1,149.13	1,795.38	294.50	273.63	1,322.13	494.06	4,989.25	527.38	2,820.94
Sefton	7,913.38	7,777.50	389.25	461.63	2,933.75	2,529.06	20,142.631	4,450.63	9,181.31
Selby	1,031.81	638.50	100.00	81.50	886.81	288.31	2,385.56	226.25	1,716.88
Sevenoaks	2.25	2,785.44	0.00	406.50	0.00	1,883.69	3,736.94	357.25	2,433.44
Sheffield	31,820.639	13,133.88	2,052.50	690.88	16,862.752	6,679.50	41,694.254	5,544.38	26,638.50
Shepway	1,760.81	3,118.81	198.75	423.56	882.75	925.44	5,941.63	693.31	2,733.94
Shrewsbury & Atcham	2,304.50	1,111.13	255.75	223.19	1,170.75	430.06	4,240.88	510.19	2,367.06
Slough	3,362.56	2,292.69	323.75	182.88	1,983.94	394.75	5,757.00	591.63	2,862.19
Solihull	6,426.25	1,286.44	456.75	152.75	2,486.44	618.19	10,621.449	68.00	5,312.88
South Bedfordshire	2,389.75	1,191.13	234.00	133.75	1,617.00	426.81	4,817.38	384.25	2,909.81
South Bucks	35.38	1,378.13	2.19	205.00	1.00	1,119.13	1,777.25	183.94	1,401.88
South Cambridgeshire	1,757.56	734.38	205.25	230.25	1,501.88	274.38	3,347.44	290.75	2,021.75
South Derbyshire	1,289.00	703.94	78.00	78.94	1,079.00	267.94	3,025.94	248.19	2,285.44
South Hams	1,279.56	1,173.25	334.75	310.00	767.75	381.06	3,249.31	696.00	1,571.31

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South Herefordshire	764.25	671.25	145.00	143.88	447.75	215.75	1,925.25	305.38	1,025.50
South Holland	1,462.13	469.94	148.81	81.56	1,130.81	192.81	3,007.06	400.38	2,238.88
South Kesteven	2,524.50	1,121.56	383.25	270.88	1,828.75	471.75	4,645.31	849.13	3,228.50
South Lakeland	1,354.06	1,060.19	210.25	308.56	955.56	497.75	3,065.25	789.31	2,511.81
South Norfolk	1,755.00	897.44	214.25	166.69	1,227.75	380.25	4,048.44	383.44	2,699.75
South Northamptonshire	974.25	386.06	127.75	77.00	921.00	149.75	2,027.56	255.25	1,645.25
South Oxfordshire	1,788.44	1,113.81	305.00	280.38	1,354.69	402.81	3,402.75	487.38	2,421.50
South Ribble	0.00	2,321.88	0.00	271.50	0.00	1,083.13	3,804.69	597.75	2,442.63
South Shropshire	1.00	1,146.75	0.00	251.00	0.50	684.75	1,549.50	312.00	1,095.81
South Somerset	3,030.06	1,670.69	832.25	343.50	2,537.25	535.00	5,391.25	1,379.50	4,461.00
South Staffordshire	2,013.56	673.44	187.06	100.88	1,416.00	280.50	3,960.25	360.44	2,619.75
South Tyneside	10,996.75	4,405.19	365.00	188.50	5,497.50	1,348.25	16,263.19	796.00	9,143.50
Southampton	841.75	6,907.94	781.25	589.56	3,578.75	2,006.19	14,733.94	924.81	6,132.19
Southend-on-Sea	3,716.69	5,940.81	343.31	575.81	1,744.88	1,526.19	12,174.00	1,144.88	5,233.06
Southwar	22,180.06	7,466.50	1,955.94	497.94	7,766.38	1,631.81	26,954.31	1,824.13	8,577.94
Spelthornd	303.75	1,006.94	166.00	173.63	978.63	378.63	3,259.44	259.63	1,917.75
St Albans	2,128.25	1,288.38	307.00	177.00	1,405.06	511.69	3,871.88	546.25	2,641.25

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St Edmundsbury	2,119.50	985.75	274.50	155.88	1,428.25	421.63	3,858.25	617.63	2,451.13
St Helens	8,151.94	2,745.38	469.06	193.94	3,586.75	1,038.56	13,583.31	1,863.50	7,062.06
Stafford	2,038.00	1,027.81	240.00	139.06	1,669.75	493.13	3,734.56	387.81	2,938.13
Staffordshire Moorlands	184.94	557.81	74.75	70.25	837.75	256.88	2,653.00	171.00	2,291.13
Stevenage	3,796.63	1,125.69	376.00	91.69	2,155.13	304.81	5,113.31	698.69	2,912.69
Stockport	7,486.75	5,012.44	534.25	452.88	2,868.44	1,806.44	19,226.69	1,682.38	9,264.63
Stockton-on-Tees	7,700.75	2,848.63	616.81	276.44	3,340.13	916.75	12,640.63	1,239.75	6,071.13
Stoke-on-Trent	10,311.00	4,000.75	638.50	409.56	5,637.00	1,500.44	18,107.25	1,117.06	10,665.94
Stratford-on-Avon	1,859.25	862.94	260.25	216.19	1,386.75	498.38	3,740.44	563.69	2,923.88
Stroud	2,201.75	1,098.88	307.50	235.75	1,457.50	398.06	4,397.13	615.75	2,971.56
Suffolk Coastal	10.25	3,097.31	0.75	545.94	1.75	1,568.94	4,247.81	600.94	2,366.44
Sunderland	7,462.00	5,408.25	1,465.00	359.25	9,201.75	1,869.50	24,708.75	2,264.00	14,337.75
Surrey Heath	0.00	1,273.06	0.00	185.69	0.00	749.88	1,555.31	152.94	953.38
Sutton	3,798.06	2,403.25	435.56	322.19	2,295.56	999.88	8,044.06	610.25	4,311.94
Swale	12.63	5,139.88	0.00	412.19	0.06	2,171.50	7,184.75	372.94	3,311.81
Tameside	8,377.56	3,292.06	825.13	335.00	4,136.81	1,329.06	16,444.88	2,527.88	10,225.63
Tamworth	2,767.81	848.00	288.13	104.44	1,257.19	328.69	4,687.81	298.06	2,134.63
Tandridge	1,014.06	488.31	116.75	92.56	677.50	202.81	2,135.38	197.06	1,265.81
Taunton Deane	2,371.50	1,812.44	420.75	340.63	1,352.00	463.25	4,500.94	716.63	2,285.00
Teesdale	390.25	352.56	32.50	66.50	252.00	209.63	982.06	104.25	710.88

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Teignbridge	671.25	2,011.44	234.88	463.06	896.31	756.06	5,292.94	659.69	2,813.88
Tendring	1,825.94	3,256.19	144.25	330.38	849.50	1,100.94	8,551.63	660.13	4,745.94
Test Valley	2,017.75	677.13	391.25	168.06	1,337.44	363.44	3,254.63	360.81	1,845.63
Tewkesbury	167.25	699.81	169.25	166.69	807.25	353.25	2,450.31	485.44	1,814.75
Thamesdown	4,760.94	2,750.13	350.50	235.25	2,498.63	839.25	8,487.56	541.25	4,718.38
Thanet	1,468.67	7,129.02	189.89	930.67	693.72	2,274.09	9,723.69	1,009.81	4,820.56
The Wrekin	6,003.31	2,055.81	658.94	296.81	3,005.00	507.56	9,665.63	1,136.00	4,759.56
Three Rivers	1,554.50	634.31	288.50	92.50	1,258.94	266.00	3,119.06	425.75	2,266.19
Thurrock	4,646.63	1,436.00	301.69	131.38	2,952.81	386.44	7,572.88	369.31	4,283.25
Tonbridge & Malling	7.44	2,836.81	7.81	411.81	1.31	1,839.94	3,825.50	528.63	2,465.25
Torbay	1,769.75	5,671.63	207.75	780.31	570.25	1,326.81	9,876.63	711.56	3,362.56
Torridge	825.56	1,407.31	79.75	264.31	389.75	333.38	3,164.38	317.81	1,294.13
Tower Hamlets	18,708.255	772.94	1,360.25	436.00	5,317.19	1,155.56	23,660.19	1,300.00	5,952.25
Trafford	4,383.75	3,285.06	307.75	310.19	2,656.75	1,323.31	11,178.56	862.19	6,307.56
Tunbridge Wells	37.25	2,889.88	4.25	598.56	1.31	1,794.88	3,681.38	435.56	2,099.94
Tynedale	1,132.75	444.75	136.50	105.88	853.75	227.25	2,125.25	383.63	1,702.50
Uttlesford	971.75	524.13	192.00	110.63	876.00	229.06	2,014.63	383.63	1,484.56
Vale of White Horse	1,527.81	762.94	225.06	201.00	1,158.56	291.44	3,002.00	390.56	2,218.50
Vale Royal	2854.69	737.38	169.75	98.19	999.00	289.44	4,298.31	350.69	2,367.69
Wakefield	14,089.753	079.19	1,008.00	312.38	9,769.75	1,326.38	18,898.44	1,709.13	14,485.38
Walsall	14,293.192	911.69	862.56	299.63	5,951.44	817.75	19,860.13	1,893.69	10,321.69

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Waltham Forest	7,432.00	8,079.13	474.25	456.44	2,717.75	1,777.25	15,485.13	752.69	5,686.25
Wandsworth	1,984.44	11,097.00	1,424.06	865.31	4,483.00	2,814.31	16,340.19	1,218.88	5,293.81
Wansbeck	2,686.75	644.75	227.75	68.19	2,202.00	557.13	4,021.25	504.44	3,781.13
Wansdykel	366.13	611.31	178.25	109.63	1,119.00	217.19	2,872.94	410.88	2,376.69
Warrington	1,551.75	2,458.13	546.50	303.00	2,747.13	1,316.50	8,889.13	1,456.75	6,112.13
Warwick	2,587.94	1,763.63	289.56	241.94	1,523.88	638.13	5,310.06	499.75	3,147.25
Watford	1,999.31	1,534.06	288.25	139.06	1,323.38	420.00	3,132.63	429.31	2,246.38
Waveney	2,177.50	3,336.56	321.50	535.13	1,449.69	1,221.06	6,907.56	574.63	3,867.50
Waverley	1,764.75	876.31	373.75	179.56	1,493.00	418.69	3,525.56	501.56	2,506.44
Wealden	1,289.69	1,282.19	281.25	334.63	976.25	583.81	4,279.63	897.38	3,091.06
Wear Valley	2,977.50	1,119.63	218.00	86.31	1,731.50	604.13	5,100.38	346.31	3,210.88
Wellingborough	1,071.19	1,126.13	112.50	92.13	941.38	305.88	4,112.81	91.88	1,183.25
Welwyn Hatfield	3,229.44	917.56	322.00	111.38	2,197.44	282.56	4,703.25	438.13	2,845.00
West Devon	535.00	828.88	119.50	238.56	349.25	294.19	1,777.38	387.06	1,114.19
West Dorset	0.00	2,652.75	0.00	573.19	0.00	1,599.13	3,355.50	502.69	2,169.38
West Lancashire	4,251.75	1,035.75	513.50	88.44	1,727.50	343.94	6,775.25	923.69	3,724.44
West Lindsey	1,708.00	921.19	147.25	125.19	862.00	359.69	3,722.19	341.94	1,975.44
West Norfolk	3,452.56	1,695.38	280.38	249.44	1,743.19	707.56	7,023.44	786.81	3,908.50
West Oxfordshire	1,287.81	951.06	219.81	240.94	904.25	317.81	2,926.88	312.75	1,719.56
West Somerset	676.38	716.81	159.00	265.13	482.25	245.38	1,684.19	395.13	1,051.13



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West Wiltshire	1,856.06	1,619.60	342.06	296.19	1,491.31	534.63	4,379.06	551.25	2,835.69
Westminster	1,955.25	10,445.75	556.25	670.00	2,947.00	2,341.25	10,777.25	135.75	1,794.25
Weymouth & Portland	1,470.00	1,898.56	215.00	293.00	633.69	496.44	3,444.06	386.75	1,472.38
Wigan	13,080.50	2,926.19	735.25	202.44	5,980.00	1,140.38	20,833.19	1,415.19	11,788.63
Winchester	1,675.25	1,079.31	352.00	265.44	1,484.00	456.19	3,153.06	716.69	2,483.69
Windsor & Maidenhead	1,883.88	1,162.69	332.56	180.06	1,831.56	559.00	3,780.56	489.88	3,053.31
Wirral	10,600.25	2,704.19	692.50	677.19	4,682.75	3,129.81	23,986.19	2,121.69	12,826.56
Woking	1,395.31	824.75	305.69	154.25	939.88	375.31	2,906.81	479.44	1,784.44
Wokingham	1,065.81	726.50	215.50	173.13	822.31	277.13	2,984.81	534.38	1,978.94
Wolverhampton	1,601.31	1,163.63	1,340.31	349.75	6,478.69	1,067.81	23,823.69	1,806.56	10,562.50
Woodspring	1,915.19	3,401.94	532.75	604.56	1,931.25	1,296.81	5,803.13	845.81	10,272.06
Worcester	2,190.13	1,894.31	275.81	234.69	1,142.06	537.38	4,661.19	503.50	2,525.44
Worthing	1,078.19	2,327.94	208.50	424.69	678.06	1,032.81	4,433.63	511.69	2,736.88
Wychavon	0.00	2,803.44	0.00	403.26	0.00	1,819.37	3,890.44	640.00	2,718.38
Wycombe	2,751.56	1,354.88	411.44	180.63	1,951.94	402.06	5,125.44	527.06	3,527.25
Wyre	1,332.38	1,251.19	147.56	219.63	607.63	505.13	4,289.31	707.44	3,009.25
Wyre Forest	2,845.56	1,058.38	163.44	128.50	1,425.06	303.31	5,194.69	347.94	2,827.63
York	3,533.75	2,123.81	557.56	419.00	1,856.00	730.25	5,843.31	741.81	3,067.75
<b>WALES</b>									
Aberconwy	1,957.00	1,227.19	166.25	210.00	542.25	461.56	2,755.44	279.50	1,307.06
Alyn and Deeside	1,899.31	843.44	185.00	130.44	1,123.75	291.81	3,360.00	216.69	1,838.31
Arfon	1,977.94	1,390.31	273.50	136.13	1,033.75	377.31	3,946.00	407.88	1,826.06

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Blaenau Gwent	3,719.00	1,309.63	363.00	97.00	2,745.00	607.44	5,890.38	215.00	3,146.44
Brecknock	1,835.50	487.81	100.75	128.81	540.50	171.56	1,801.56	155.56	875.56
Cardiff	10,097.63	9,650.81	998.38	810.88	3,319.31	2,367.63	21,707.19	1,989.25	5,786.44
Carmarthen	1,127.25	986.44	175.25	159.31	592.00	223.25	2,700.69	356.81	934.25
Ceredigion	1,004.13	1,531.56	149.63	248.50	595.38	378.63	2,922.94	349.38	1,266.75
Colwyn	1,043.06	1,441.63	147.50	225.94	504.75	468.63	3,345.69	406.44	1,523.88
Cynon Valley	2,237.06	1,542.94	174.00	101.75	1,251.25	528.13	5,526.50	231.75	2,086.13
Delyn	1,948.00	879.94	289.00	115.25	833.13	254.81	3,936.94	504.75	1,460.19
Dinefwr	808.63	804.75	114.75	98.44	666.00	240.25	1,999.13	275.19	1,266.50
Dwyfor	491.81	549.56	78.25	92.06	253.94	220.94	1,460.88	119.56	665.88
Glyndwr	877.00	589.06	91.06	126.50	540.75	215.75	1,694.31	131.31	964.50
Islwyn	2,060.50	869.25	232.25	101.19	1,655.50	392.19	3,937.50	174.19	1,995.94
Llanelli	2,862.31	1,247.19	263.88	121.50	1,695.56	444.81	5,712.25	312.63	2,847.13
Lliw Valley	1,944.38	845.63	257.75	91.31	1,014.81	310.69	4,058.50	356.56	1,542.25
Meirionnydd	685.00	670.63	97.00	128.81	372.63	181.19	2,015.88	158.31	841.06
Merthyr Tydfil	3,108.75	1,421.44	285.50	109.25	1,499.00	554.44	5,372.19	166.50	2,023.69
Monmouth	1,522.00	799.81	261.00	185.56	1,101.25	317.06	3,323.31	334.56	1,568.81
Montgomery	772.50	818.94	147.50	186.38	498.50	276.38	2,357.94	232.13	1,034.38
Neath	2,154.75	1,038.19	304.50	112.00	1,390.75	422.94	4,454.19	490.00	2,355.19
Newport	6,043.81	3,464.88	466.25	229.56	2,850.88	847.63	10,574.69	1,984.56	4,399.25
Ogwr	4,063.50	2,248.31	324.75	195.19	2,246.50	773.13	8,159.81	678.44	4,002.38
Port Talbot	2,259.75	916.50	146.50	45.94	1,299.75	317.69	4,067.50	143.69	1,730.94
Preseli Pembrokeshire	2,182.31	1,193.50	228.88	166.00	1,092.00	333.44	4,324.31	361.38	1,882.44

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Radnorshire	602.75	565.56	66.00	110.44	194.81	164.88	1,123.06	118.44	362.69
Rhondda	2,407.00	1,721.19	170.75	111.25	1,094.75	690.44	6,825.44	288.75	2,553.44
Rhuddlan	1,152.75	1,839.75	117.75	175.63	517.50	547.88	3,634.50	258.13	1,672.63
Rhymer Valley	4,552.00	1,541.50	306.75	99.13	2,441.50	564.06	8,328.00	238.88	3,435.06
South Pembrokeshire	1,275.00	1,001.00	118.75	138.75	528.00	300.00	3,025.50	202.50	1,034.75
Swansea	7,650.81	4,790.44	534.50	421.50	3,332.00	1,463.19	14,969.75	681.25	5,468.44
Taff-Ely	2,911.25	1,352.44	192.25	94.00	1,494.00	411.00	5,954.94	220.75	2,263.75
Torfaen	4,648.44	902.44	647.50	123.56	2,903.88	288.63	6,436.13	419.56	2,846.00
Vale of Glamorgan	2,633.69	2,476.06	286.00	252.44	1,123.19	680.06	6,515.00	276.69	1,731.50
Wrexham Maelor	5,378.25	1,309.50	540.50	157.69	2,987.81	419.31	7,843.00	1,142.69	4,346.38
Ynys Môn	2,322.75	1,487.38	285.50	167.13	1,066.00	355.88	4,800.63	351.88	1,902.38
<b>SCOTLAND</b>									
Aberdeen	8,765.81	1,716.56	517.50	235.88	4,337.44	810.63	0.00	0.00	0.00
Angus	3,238.00	963.44	281.50	96.00	1,780.50	407.38	0.00	0.00	0.00
Annandale & Eskdale	1,045.44	322.88	179.25	35.75	910.50	129.38	0.00	0.00	0.00
Argyll and Bute	1,939.13	1,094.19	375.00	179.81	1,300.75	495.31	0.00	0.00	0.00
Badenoch and Strathspey	240.50	189.06	73.00	61.50	149.25	97.50	0.00	0.00	0.00
Banff and Buchan	2,777.25	616.56	218.50	90.00	1,564.00	266.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

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Bearsden & Milngavie	447.56	93.31	44.13	20.38	291.50	29.56	0.00	0.00	0.00
Berwickshire	423.50	238.50	55.25	30.50	466.25	130.94	0.00	0.00	0.00
Borders	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	4,210.94	709.50	3,931.44
Caithness	1,047.75	261.94	119.25	19.31	509.50	82.75	0.00	0.00	0.00
Central	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	19,784.25	1,957.38	12,931.38
Clackmannanshire	432.25	430.81	160.75	22.06	1,499.50	189.56	0.00	0.00	0.00
Clydebank	3,283.81	736.69	268.50	63.06	2,129.25	266.63	0.00	0.00	0.00
Clydesdale	2,332.25	286.25	361.50	50.13	1,456.25	72.69	0.00	0.00	0.00
Cumbernauld and Kilsyth	1,010.44	523.38	118.06	51.25	799.25	167.63	0.00	0.00	0.00
Cumnock & Doon Valley	2,699.75	204.50	256.25	19.25	2,063.50	93.75	0.00	0.00	0.00
Cunningham	685.94	1,396.81	695.75	130.44	4,093.75	423.19	0.00	0.00	0.00
Dumbarton	3,830.38	701.50	445.00	81.38	2,262.50	272.31	0.00	0.00	0.00
Dumfries & Galloway	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	7,078.06	1,225.94	5,157.75
Dundee	10,466.50	3,183.44	1,309.75	387.44	6,584.25	1,389.06	0.00	0.00	0.00
Dunfermline	1,046.50	1,163.44	471.75	82.06	3,811.00	531.19	0.00	0.00	0.00
East Kilbride	307.06	487.56	27.25	62.31	232.00	136.81	0.00	0.00	0.00
East Lothian	3,106.75	754.31	318.75	117.50	2,401.50	291.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Eastwood	485.88	230.94	46.00	21.50	336.25	139.25	0.00	0.00	0.00
Edinburgh	14,855.75	11,186.19	2,332.00	1,510.94	7,730.25	4,187.06	0.00	0.00	0.00

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Ettrick & Lauderdale	811.25	439.88	79.75	67.50	598.25	249.31	0.00	0.00	0.00
Falkirk	7,601.75	1,005.69	623.75	57.56	4,512.50	425.06	0.00	0.00	0.00
Fife	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	22,690.81	2,479.19	16,740.19
Glasgow	60,579.31	120,649.81	14,747.38	1,151.69	30,823.44	6,522.56	0.00	0.00	0.00
Gordon	1,069.88	362.88	138.50	62.75	942.38	158.44	0.00	0.00	0.00
Grampian	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	18,950.19	1,656.31	12,870.19
Hamilton	6,572.44	558.00	439.88	29.06	3,666.75	232.19	0.00	0.00	0.00
Highland	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	9,991.19	1,125.19	6,418.31
Inverclyde	6,273.50	1,044.88	517.00	61.50	3,674.25	531.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Inverness	2,104.31	646.00	328.63	93.06	1,062.25	265.25	0.00	0.00	0.00
Kilmarnock and Loudoun	4,363.25	711.94	573.25	46.88	2,737.31	210.81	0.00	0.00	0.00
Kincardine & Deeside	621.50	285.81	70.00	39.38	483.75	163.13	0.00	0.00	0.00
Kirkcaldy	6,533.88	1,934.94	711.56	189.75	4,694.25	714.38	0.00	0.00	0.00
Kyle & Carrick	4,585.38	1,123.56	675.94	146.63	3,124.44	362.69	0.00	0.00	0.00
Lochaber	634.75	258.06	141.00	33.56	365.75	95.44	0.00	0.00	0.00
Lothian	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	29,423.94	6,232.69	31,447.13
Midlothian	1,976.75	752.69	147.50	85.63	1,451.25	537.69	0.00	0.00	0.00
Monklands	8,011.00	220.38	675.00	9.63	4,632.75	119.44	0.00	0.00	0.00
Moray	2,310.75	876.69	307.25	135.81	1,501.25	359.69	0.00	0.00	0.00
Motherwell	1,667.94	795.44	786.00	59.38	6,772.56	424.50	0.00	0.00	0.00
Nairn	322.50	122.88	60.75	30.13	184.50	66.19	0.00	0.00	0.00
Nithsdale	1,923.63	661.75	256.50	92.38	1,142.44	282.94	0.00	0.00	0.00

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North East Fife	1,619.50	548.06	132.81	97.00	1,116.13	218.50	0.00	0.00	0.00
Orkney Islands	313.81	235.31	77.00	81.94	191.25	67.13	748.13	153.44	375.88
Perth & Kinross	3,033.25	1,604.94	350.69	311.25	2,237.38	698.75	0.00	0.00	0.00
Renfrew	10,393.56	1,833.44	957.00	195.00	7,056.00	731.13	0.00	0.00	0.00
Ross & Cromarty	2,052.50	557.69	246.13	71.06	980.56	177.63	0.00	0.00	0.00
Roxburgh	995.75	506.06	150.75	81.00	1,073.00	280.44	0.00	0.00	0.00
Shetland Islands	539.19	94.38	107.50	14.25	253.81	37.44	837.06	90.50	377.50
Skye & Lochalsh	252.69	180.81	104.81	26.88	156.19	61.63	0.00	0.00	0.00
Stewartry	587.31	229.19	100.75	60.81	370.06	61.06	0.00	0.00	0.00
Stirling	3,476.25	546.50	355.94	63.81	1,989.44	264.31	0.00	0.00	0.00
Strathclyde	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	178,957.00	108,974.19	120,680.63
Strathkelvin	2,038.31	3445.56	161.50	33.31	1,451.31	159.13	0.00	0.00	0.00
Sutherland	448.75	104.50	70.00	13.88	240.50	40.94	0.00	0.00	0.00
Tayside	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	21,101.06	2,901.38	16,318.81
Tweeddale	293.00	182.50	42.25	59.25	229.50	137.25	0.00	0.00	0.00
West Lothian	4,657.25	1,399.00	388.31	157.21	3,115.56	836.41	0.00	0.00	0.00
Western Isles	886.25	239.56	199.00	21.19	348.00	53.38	2,053.56	203.94	678.38
Wigtown	1,378.75	535.63	221.75	105.25	807.00	202.63	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>DEVELOPMENT CORPORATIONS</b>									
Cumbernauld (DC)	1,194.25	0.00	314.25	0.00	1,073.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

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East Kilbride (DC)	2,937.75	0.00	326.25	0.00	1,761.50	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Glenrothes (DC)	1,936.75	0.00	186.25	0.00	1,057.50	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Irvine (DC)	1,220.25	0.00	147.00	0.00	624.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Livingston (DC)	2,377.00	0.00	313.50	0.00	929.75	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Rural Wales	275.00	0.00	60.25	0.00	115.75	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Scottish Homes	19,382.75	0.00	2,540.35	0.00	12,265.15	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

## SCHEDULE 11

Schedules 1 and 2

## PRESCRIBED FIGURES FOR THE CALCULATION OF THE APPLICABLE AMOUNT

(1) Authority	(2) Housing Benefit						(3) Council Tax Benefit		
	(a) Persons on Income support			(b) Persons not on Income support			(a) (b) (c)	(Earnings) (Non-earners)	(Earnings) (Non-earners)
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Local authorities in England, Wales, Scotland and	130	298	167	345	142	310	129	161	141

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New Towns etc.								

SCHEDULE 12

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COST ADJUSTMENT FACTORS

(1) Authority	(2) Cost Adjustment Factor
Adur	1.047850
Allerdale	0.966865
Alnwick	0.966888
Amber Valley	0.981003
Arun	1.047929
Ashfield	0.981021
Ashford	1.048013
Aylesbury Vale	1.048373
Babergh	0.992318
Barking and Dagenham	1.145321
Barnet	1.148854
Barnsley	1.002803
Barrow-in-Furness	0.966969
Basildon	1.096067
Basingstoke and Deane	1.048047
Bassetlaw	0.981140
Bath	1.002548
Bedford	1.049165
Berwick-upon-Tweed	0.966869



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Beverley	0.979461
Bexley	1.145130
Birmingham	1.005536
Blaby	0.981408
Blackburn	0.985378
Blackpool	0.983429
Blythe Valley	0.966854
Bolsover	0.981040
Bolton	1.003969
Boothferry	0.979465
Boston	0.981058
Bournemouth	1.002495
Bracknell Forest	1.096418
Bradford	1.004987
Braintree	1.047823
Breckland	0.992324
Brent	1.152258
Brentwood	1.096123
Bridgnorth	0.979824
Brighton	1.048720
Bristol	1.002655
Broadland	0.992237
Bromley	1.145231
Bromsgrove	0.979825
Broxbourne	1.126893
Broxtowe	0.981288
Burnley	0.984130
Bury	1.003275
Calderdale	1.003470
Cambridge	0.993885
Camden	1.286266
Camrock Chase	0.979913
Canterbury	1.048084
Caradon	1.001948

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Carlisle	0.967039
Carrick	1.002064
Castle Morpeth	0.966961
Castle Point	1.047697
Charnwood	0.982032
Chelmsford	1.047914
Cheltenham	1.002481
Cherwell	1.048121
Chester	0.983523
Chester-le-Street	0.966848
Chesterfield	0.981094
Chichester	1.048058
Chiltern	1.096453
Chorley	0.983362
Christchurch	1.001977
City of London	1.514552
Cleethorpes	0.979547
Colchester	1.048206
Congleton	0.983212
Copeland	0.966916
Corby	0.981342
Cotswold	1.002076
Coventry	1.004488
Craven	0.979470
Crawley	1.097144
Crewe and Nantwich	0.983471
Croydon	1.147266
Dacorum	1.096317
Darlington	0.967146
Dartford	1.127139
Daventry	0.981133
Derby	0.982411
Derbyshire Dales	0.981017
Derwentside	0.966883

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Doncaster	1.002969
Dover	1.047949
Dudley	1.003152
Durham	0.967068
Ealing	1.150429
Easington	0.966957
East Cambridgeshire	0.992317
East Devon	1.002013
East Dorset	1.001990
East Hampshire	1.048117
East Hertfordshire	1.096065
East Lindsey	0.981088
East Northamptonshire	0.981172
East Staffordshire	0.980307
East Yorkshire	0.979419
Eastbourne	1.048247
Eastleigh	1.047943
Eden	0.966809
Ellesmere Port and Neston	0.983298
Elmbridge	1.127827
Enfield	1.147756
Epping Forest	1.126920
Epsom and Ewell	1.127754
Erewash	0.981182
Exeter	1.002320
Fareham	1.047925
Fenland	0.992333
Forest Heath	0.992502
Forest of Dean	1.001881
Fylde	0.983354
Gateshead	1.002874
Gedling	0.981300
Gillingham	1.048424
Glanford	0.979475

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Gloucester	1.002686
Gosport	1.048028
Gravesham	1.048777
Great Grimsby	0.979682
Great Yarmouth	0.992379
Greenwich	1.283410
Guildford	1.096668
Hackney	1.287578
Halton	0.983283
Hambleton	0.979444
Hammersmith and Fulham	1.284657
Harborough	0.981140
Haringey	1.150820
Harlow	1.096387
Harrogate	0.979588
Harrow	1.148965
Hart	1.048299
Hartlepool	0.967097
Hastings	1.048192
Havant	1.047974
Havering	1.144679
Hereford	0.979943
Hertsmere	1.127404
High Peak	0.981103
Hillingdon	1.146281
Hinckley and Bosworth	0.981075
Holderness	0.979349
Horsham	1.048028
Hounslow	1.148747
Hove	1.048881
Huntingdonshire	0.992528
Hyndburn	0.984095
Ipswich	0.992828
Isle of Wight	1.047846

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Isles of Scilly	1.502045
Islington	1.285489
Kemret	1.002146
Kensington and Chelsea	1.287194
Kerrier	1.002097
Kettering	0.981416
Kingston-upon-Hull	0.979860
Kingston-upon-Thames	1.146345
Kingswood	1.001837
Kirklees	1.004092
Knowsley	1.003025
Lambeth	1.286353
Lancaster	0.983468
Langbaugh-on-Tees	0.966958
Leeds	1.003537
Leicester	0.985656
Leominster	0.979981
Lewes	1.047939
Lewisham	1.284667
Lichfield	0.979792
Lincoln	0.981475
Liverpool	1.003360
Luton	1.050471
Macclesfield	0.983419
Maidstone	1.048023
Maldon	1.047748
Malvern Hills	0.979910
Manchester	1.004670
Mansfield	0.981233
Melton	0.981275
Mendip	1.001935
Merton	1.147562
Mid Bedfordshire	1.047954
Mid Devon	1.001983

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Mid Suffolk	0.992325
Mid Sussex	1.048081
Middlesbrough	0.967516
Milton Keynes	1.048593
Mole Valley	1.096369
New Forest	1.047925
Newark and Sherwood	0.981163
Newbury	1.048042
Newcastle-under-Lyme	0.979944
Newcastle-upon-Tyne	1.003447
Newham	1.151087
North Cornwall	1.001932
North Devon	1.001955
North Dorset	1.002088
North East Derbyshire	0.980941
North Hertfordshire	1.048466
North Kesteven	0.981137
North Norfolk	0.992295
North Shropshire	0.979856
North Tyneside	1.002833
North Warwickshire	0.979751
North West Leicestershire	0.981086
North Wiltshire	1.002162
Northampton	0.981922
Northavon	1.001953
Norwich	0.992652
Nottingham	0.982555
Nuneaton and Bedworth	0.980254
Oadby and Wigston	0.982267
Oldham	1.004052
Oswestry	0.979816
Oxford	1.049648
Pendle	0.984531
Penwith	1.002104

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Plymouth	1.002323
Poole	1.002086
Portsmouth	1.048400
Preston	0.984714
Purbeck	1.002053
Reading	1.049412
Redbridge	1.147643
Redditch	0.980143
Reigate and Banstead	1.127226
Restormel	1.001962
Ribble Valley	0.983299
Richmond-upon-Thames	1.146173
Richmondshire	0.979679
Rochdale	1.003969
Rochester-upon-Medway	1.048393
Rochford	1.047665
Rossendale	0.983687
Rother	1.048021
Rotherham	1.002957
Rugby	0.980523
Runnymede	1.096526
Rushcliffe	0.981334
Rushmoor	1.048304
Rutland	0.981205
Ryedale	0.979456
Salford	1.003190
Salisbury	1.002244
Sandwell	1.004598
Scarborough	0.979548
Scunthorpe	0.979943
Sedgefield	0.966868
Sedgemoor	1.001906
Sefton	1.002853

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Selby	0.979474
Sevenoaks	1.096232
Sheffield	1.003426
Shepway	1.048105
Shrewsbury and Atcham	0.979924
Slough	1.130764
Solihull	1.003026
South Bedfordshire	1.047988
South Bucks	1.127421
South Cambridgeshire	0.992520
South Derbyshire	0.981125
South Hams	1.002054
South Herefordshire	0.980015
South Holland	0.981110
South Kesteven	0.981209
South Lakeland	0.966858
South Norfolk	0.992242
South Northamptonshire	0.981118
South Oxfordshire	1.048093
South Ribble	0.983303
South Shropshire	0.979922
South Somerset	1.001988
South Staffordshire	0.979777
South Tyneside	1.002972
Southampton	1.048662
Southend-on-Sea	1.048156
Southwark	1.285380
Spelthorne	1.127269
St Albans	1.096808
St Edmundsbury	0.992424
St Helens	1.002850
Stafford	0.979996
Staffordshire Moorlands	0.979843
Stevenage	1.048116



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Stockport	1.003062
Stockton-on-Tees	0.967086
Stoke-on-Trent	0.980276
Stratford-on-Avon	0.979893
Stroud	1.002044
Suffolk Coastal	0.992443
Sunderland	1.002924
Surrey Heath	1.096588
Sutton	1.145396
Swale	1.047884
Tameside	1.003417
Tamworth	0.979765
Tandridge	1.096361
Taunton Deane	1.002020
Teesdale	0.966874
Teignbridge	1.002063
Tendring	1.047736
Test Valley	1.047941
Tewkesbury	1.1102008
Thamesdown	1.002502
Thanet	1.047997
The Wrekin	0.980235
Three Rivers	1.127384
Thurrock	1.096159
Tonbridge and Malling	1.047906
Torbay	1.002051
Torridge	1.001956
Tower Hamlets	1.287530
Trafford	1.003486
Tunbridge Wells	1.048249
Tynedale	0.966894
Uttlesford	1.047834
Vale of White Horse	1.047992
Vale Royal	0.983354

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Wakefield	1.002893
Walsall	1.003883
Waltham Forest	1.148261
Wandsworth	1.285493
Wansbeck	0.966897
Wansdyke	1.001894
Warrington	0.983406
Warwick	0.980608
Watford	1.128083
Waveney	0.992238
Waverley	1.096494
Wealden	1.048000
Wear Valley	0.967011
Wellingborough	0.982113
Welwyn Hatfield	1.096394
West Devon	1.002068
West Dorset	1.002039
West Lancashire	0.983253
West Lindsey	0.981095
West Norfolk	0.992317
West Oxfordshire	1.047967
West Somerset	1.001983
West Wiltshire	1.002189
Westminster	1.287683
Weymouth and Portland	1.002062
Wigan	1.002792
Winchester	1.048074
Windsor and Maidenhead	1.096970
Wirral	1.002873
Woking	1.097104
Wokingham	1.048311
Wolverhampton	1.005127
Woodspring	1.001960
Worcester	0.980115

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Worthing	1.048113
Wychavon	0.979837
Wycombe	1.048945
Wyre	0.983226
Wyre Forest	0.979889
York	0.979750

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### **EXPLANATORY NOTE**

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

This Order makes provision for the calculation of housing benefit and council tax benefit subsidy payable under the Social Security Administration Act 1992 to authorities administering housing benefit or council tax benefit.

It sets out in Part II the manner in which the total figure for an authority's housing benefit subsidy in respect of rent rebates and allowances for the year ending 31st March 1996 is calculated (articles 3(a) and 4 to 9 and Schedules 3,5,6,7 and 8) and the manner of calculating the additional sum payable to an authority in respect of the costs of administering housing benefit (article 3(b) and Schedules 1, 2, 10, 11 and 12).

The Order also makes provision for additions and deductions to subsidy in respect of rent rebates or allowances (articles 4(3), 6, 9, 10, 11 and 12 and Schedules 4, 6, 8 and 9).

In addition, the Order sets out in Part III the manner in which the total figure for the appropriate authority's subsidy in respect of council tax benefit for the year ending 31st March 1996 is calculated (articles 15(a), 16 and 17) and the manner of calculating the additional sum payable to an appropriate authority in respect of the costs of administering council tax benefit (article 15(b) and Schedules 1, 2, 10, 11 and 12) and makes provision for additions and deductions to subsidy in respect of community charge and council tax benefits (articles 16(2), 18, 19,20 and 21 and Schedules 4 and 8).

This Order does not impose a charge on businesses.