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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**1997 No. 938 (S.80)**

**LOCAL GOVERNMENT, SCOTLAND**

**The Local Government Finance (Scotland) Order 1997**

*Made* - - - - *12th February 1997*  
*Laid before the House of*  
*Commons* - - - - *13th February 1997*  
*Coming into force* - - *5th March 1997*

The Secretary of State, in exercise of the powers conferred on him by paragraphs 1 and 9(4) of Schedule 12 to the Local Government Finance Act 1992<sup>(1)</sup> and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, and after consultation with such associations of local authorities as appear to him to be appropriate in accordance with paragraph 2(2) of that Schedule, and with the consent of the Treasury, hereby makes the following Order:

**Citation and commencement**

1. This Order may be cited as the Local Government Finance (Scotland) Order 1997 and shall come into force on the day after the day on which it is approved by a resolution of the House of Commons.

**Revenue support grant for 1997-98**

2.—(1) The local authorities to which revenue support grant is payable in respect of the financial year 1997-98 are specified in column 1 of Schedule 1 to this Order.

(2) The amount of the revenue support grant payable to each local authority specified in column 1 of Schedule 1 to this Order in respect of the financial year 1997-98 shall be the amount determined in relation to that local authority set out in column 2 of that Schedule opposite the name of that local authority.

**Distribution of non-domestic rate income for 1997-98**

3.—(1) The distributable amount of non-domestic rate income arrived at under paragraph 9 of Schedule 12 to the Local Government Finance Act 1992 in respect of the financial year 1997-98 is £1,326,129,000.

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(2) The local authorities among whom the distributable amount of non-domestic rate income is distributed in respect of the financial year 1997-98 are specified in column 1 of Schedule 1 to this Order.

(3) The amount of non-domestic rate income distributed to each local authority specified in column 1 of Schedule 1 to this Order in respect of the financial year 1997-98 shall be that part of the distributable amount for that year determined in relation to that local authority set out in column 3 of that Schedule opposite the name of that local authority.

#### **Revenue support grant for 1996-97**

4.—(1) The local authorities to which revenue support grant is payable in respect of the financial year 1996-97 are specified in column 1 of Schedule 2 to this Order.

(2) The amount of the revenue support grant payable to each local authority specified in column 1 of Schedule 2 to this Order in respect of the financial year 1996-97 shall be the amount redetermined in relation to that local authority set out in column 2 of that Schedule opposite the name of that local authority.

#### **Revenue support grant for 1994-95**

5. The amount of the revenue support grant payable in respect of the financial year 1994-95 to the Western Isles Islands Council<sup>(2)</sup> is hereby redetermined at £57,009,000.

#### **Revocations**

6. Article 2 of, and column 2 of Schedule 1 to, the Local Government Finance (Scotland) Order 1996<sup>(3)</sup> (which previously determined the amount of revenue support grant payable to each local authority in respect of financial year 1996-97) are hereby revoked.

St Andrew's House,  
Edinburgh  
12th February 1997

*Michael Forsyth*  
One of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of  
State

We consent,

12th February 1997

*Roger Knapman*  
*Richard Ottaway*  
Two of the Lords Commissioners of Her  
Majesty's Treasury

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(2) This amount was last redetermined by S.I.1996/755.

(3) S.I. 1996/755.

## SCHEDULE 1

Articles 2 and 3

REVENUE SUPPORT GRANT AND DISTRIBUTION  
OF NON-DOMESTIC RATE INCOME 1997-98

<i>Column 1</i> <i>Local Authority</i>	<i>Column 2</i> <i>Amount of revenue support grant</i> £	<i>Column 3</i> <i>Amount of non-domestic rate income</i> £
Aberdeen City	117,291,000	56,571,000
Aberdeenshire	131,823,000	58,484,000
Angus	65,750,000	28,856,000
Argyll & Bute	77,375,000	23,574,000
Clackmannanshire	30,968,000	12,604,000
Dumfries & Galloway	102,140,000	38,184,000
Dundee City	115,748,000	38,987,000
East Ayrshire	78,536,000	31,784,000
East Dunbartonshire	54,134,000	28,691,000
East Lothian	51,522,000	22,624,000
East Renfrewshire	42,564,000	22,758,000
City of Edinburgh	250,475,000	115,545,000
Falkirk	84,154,000	36,867,000
Fife	215,793,000	90,774,000
Glasgow City	547,325,000	159,662,000
Highland	167,201,000	53,777,000
Inverclyde	66,632,000	22,897,000
Midlothian	49,600,000	20,623,000
Moray	57,769,000	22,500,000
North Ayrshire	89,917,000	36,020,000
North Lanarkshire	208,074,000	84,355,000
Orkney Islands	31,782,000	5,130,000
Perth & Kinross	73,056,000	34,290,000
Renfrewshire	108,132,000	46,042,000
Scottish Borders	73,826,000	27,418,000
Shetland Islands	48,224,000	5,961,000
South Ayrshire	68,577,000	29,579,000
South Lanarkshire	188,274,000	79,367,000
Stirling	58,573,000	21,242,000

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<i>Column 1</i> <i>Local Authority</i>	<i>Column 2</i> <i>Amount of revenue support grant</i> £	<i>Column 3</i> <i>Amount of non-domestic rate income</i> £
West Dunbartonshire	71,705,000	24,859,000
West Lothian	98,415,000	38,607,000
Western Isles	56,352,000	7,497,000

## SCHEDULE 2

Article 4

## REVENUE SUPPORT GRANT 1996-97

<i>Column 1</i> <i>Local Authority</i>	<i>Column 2</i> <i>Amount</i> £
Aberdeen City	125,850,000
Aberdeenshire	130,519,000
Angus	64,065,000
Argyll & Bute	80,684,000
Clackmannanshire	31,752,000
Dumfries & Galloway	103,587,000
Dundee City	118,240,000
East Ayrshire	84,662,000
East Dunbartonshire	59,117,000
East Lothian	51,304,000
East Renfrewshire	45,318,000
City of Edinburgh	249,402,000
Falkirk	85,545,000
Fife	222,540,000
Glasgow City	601,007,000
Highland	173,173,000
Inverclyde	72,150,000
Midlothian	52,152,000
Moray	58,886,000
North Ayrshire	94,665,000
North Lanarkshire	230,599,000
Orkney Islands	31,458,000

<i>Column 1</i> <i>Local Authority</i>	<i>Column 2</i> <i>Amount</i> £
Perth & Kinross	73,594,000
Renfrewshire	118,830,000
Scottish Borders	75,586,000
Shetland Islands	40,861,000
South Ayrshire	71,834,000
South Lanarkshire	204,556,000
Stirling	58,780,000
West Dunbartonshire	81,177,000
West Lothian	100,883,000
Western Isles	56,918,000

### **EXPLANATORY NOTE**

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

This Order—

- (a) determines the amount of the revenue support grant payable to each local authority in Scotland in respect of the financial year 1997-98 (article 2 and Schedule 1);
- (b) determines the amount of non-domestic rate income to be distributed to each local authority in respect of that year (article 3 and Schedule 1);
- (c) redetermines the amount of the revenue support grant payable to each local authority in respect of the financial year 1996-97 (article 4 and Schedule 2);
- (d) redetermines the amount of the revenue support grant payable to the Western Isles Islands Council in respect of the financial year 1994-95 (article 5); and
- (e) makes consequential revocations in the Local Government Finance (Scotland) Order 1996 (article 6).