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**2011 No.**

**The Ministerial and other Salaries  
Act 1975 (Amendment) Order 2011**

**Citation and commencement**

1. This Order may be cited as the Ministerial and other Salaries Act 1975 (Amendment) Order 2011 and comes into force on the day after the day on which it is made.

**Amendment of the Ministerial and other Salaries Act 1975**

2. The Ministerial and other Salaries Act 1975 is amended in accordance with articles 3 to 7 of this Order.

**Speakers' salaries**

3. In section 1—

- (a) in subsection (3)(1), for the annual amount specified as the salary of the Speaker of the House of Commons, substitute £75,766; and
- (b) in subsection (3A)(2), for the annual amount specified as the salary of the Speaker of the House of Lords, substitute £101,038.

**Alteration of salaries**

4. In section 1A(3)—

- (a) in subsection (1) for the words from “year” to “minimum annual amount,” substitute “relevant period, the annual amount”;
- (b) after subsection (1) insert—
  - “(1A) “Relevant period” means—
  - (a) the period beginning with the day after the day on which the relevant Parliament is dissolved and ending with the following 31st March (“the first relevant period”), and
  - (b) each successive period of 12 months.
- (1B) The “relevant Parliament” means the Parliament in which subsection (1A) comes into force.”;
- (c) in subsection (2) for “year” substitute “period”; and
- (d) after subsection (2) insert—

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(1) Subsection (3) was amended by [S.I. 1996/1913](#).

(2) Subsection (3A) was inserted by [S.I. 2006/1640](#).

(3) Section 1A was inserted by section 1(2) of the Ministerial and other Salaries Act [1997 \(c.62\)](#).

“(2A) If the first relevant period does not begin on 1st April, in relation to that period the reference in subsection (2) to 1st April of the period concerned is to be read as a reference to 1st April before the beginning of the first relevant period.”

### **Ministerial salaries**

5. For Parts I to IV of Schedule 1(4), substitute the provisions in Schedule 1 to this Order.
6. In paragraph 1 of Part V of Schedule 1—
  - (a) in sub-paragraph (1)(5) omit the words from the first “or” to the end; and
  - (b) after sub-paragraph (2) insert—
    - “(3) For the purposes of this Schedule a person is a member of the House of Commons for the period beginning with the day after the day of the poll for the parliamentary election at which the person is elected, and ending with—
      - (a) if the person is a member immediately before Parliament is dissolved, the day of the poll for the parliamentary general election which follows the dissolution;
      - (b) otherwise, the day on which the person ceases to be a member.”

### **Opposition Leaders’ and Whips’ salaries**

7. For Part I of Schedule 2 (6), substitute the provisions in Schedule 2 to this Order.

*Name*  
Clerk of the Privy Council

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(4) Part I of Schedule 1 was amended by S.I. 1996/1913, 2001/3502, 2002/794. Part II was amended by S.I. 1996/1913, 1999/2037, 2001/3502. Part III was amended by sections 48(6) and 87(1) of the Scotland Act 1998 (c.46) and S.I. 1996/1913, 1997/1500, 1999/1820, 2001/3502. Part IV was amended by S.I. 1996/1913, 2001/3502.

(5) Paragraph 1(1) was amended by section 2(2) of the Ministerial and other Salaries Act 1997 (c.62).

(6) Part I was amended by S.I. 1996/1913, 2001/3502.