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RATING AND VALUATION

The Rating (Charitable Institutions) Order 1978

<i>Made - - - -</i>	17th February 1978
<i>Laid before Parliament</i>	28th February 1978
<i>Coming into Operation</i>	21st March 1978

The Secretary of State for the Environment, in exercise of his powers under section 40(3) of the General Rate Act 1967^(a) and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, hereby makes the following order:—

Title and commencement

1.—(1) This order may be cited as the Rating (Charitable Institutions) Order 1978 and shall come into operation on 21st March 1978.

(2) This order shall have effect from 1st April 1977.

Interpretation

2. The Interpretation Act 1889^(b) shall apply for the interpretation of this order as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

Amendment of Schedule 8 to the General Rate Act 1967

3. The provisions of Schedule 8 to the General Rate Act 1967 as amended^(c) shall have effect subject to the following further amendment:—

at the end of paragraph 6 there shall be added the words—

“with the exception of the permanent private halls of the University of Oxford, that is to say, Champion Hall, St. Benet’s Hall, Mansfield College, Regent’s Park College and Greyfriars.”.

17th February 1978.

Peter Shore,
Secretary of State for the Environment.

^(a) 1967 c. 9.

^(b) 1889 c. 63.

^(c) There is no amendment which relates expressly to the institutions affected by this order.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

This Order amends Schedule 8 to the General Rate Act 1967 (which excludes certain charities from mandatory relief from rating) by omitting from the said Schedule the permanent private halls in the University of Oxford. The Order is given retrospective effect to 1st April 1977 under the express power of section 40(4) of the Act.

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