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1981 No. 110

BETTING, GAMING AND LOTTERIES

The Lotteries (Variation of Monetary Limits) Order 1981

<i>Made - - - -</i>	<i>2nd February 1981</i>
<i>Laid before Parliament</i>	<i>9th February 1981</i>
<i>Coming into Operation</i>	<i>1st July 1981</i>

In pursuance of section 18(1)(a) and (b) of the Lotteries and Amusements Act 1976(a), I hereby make the following Order:—

1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Lotteries (Variation of Monetary Limits) Order 1981 and shall come into operation on 1st July 1981.

(2) This Order shall not extend to Scotland.

2. In the provisions of the Lotteries and Amusements Act 1976 specified in the first column of the Schedule to this Order (which relate to the matters mentioned in the second column of that Schedule), for the monetary limits specified therein and set out in the third column of that Schedule, there shall be substituted the monetary limits specified opposite thereto in the fourth column of that Schedule.

W. S. I. Whitelaw,
One of Her Majesty's Principal
Secretaries of State.

Home Office.
2nd February 1981.

Article 2

SCHEDULE

1 Provisions specifying monetary limits	2 Matter to which the limit relates	3 Previous limit	4 New limit
Section 5(3)(d)(i)	Maximum total value of tickets or chances which may be sold in a society's lottery if the scheme in accordance with which it is promoted is not to be registered	£5,000	£10,000
Section 10(1)(a)	Limit on the total value of tickets or chances in two or more society's lotteries of the same date promoted on behalf of one society, if those lotteries are to be treated as one for purposes of section 10(1)	£10,000	£20,000
Section 10(1)(b)	Limit on the total value of tickets or chances in two or more lotteries of the same date promoted by one local authority, if those lotteries are to be treated as one for purposes of section 10(1)	£10,000	£20,000
Section 11(2)	Maximum price of a ticket or chance in a society's or local lottery	25p	50p
Section 11(5)	Maximum prize in a society's lottery promoted in accordance with an unregistered scheme	£1,000	£2,000
Section 11(7)	Maximum prizes in other lotteries:		
paragraph (a)	short-term lottery	£1,000	£2,000
paragraph (b)	medium-term lottery	£1,500	£3,000
paragraph (c)	any other lottery	£2,000	£4,000
Section 11(9)	Maximum total value of tickets or chances which may be sold in a lottery promoted in accordance with a registered scheme:		
paragraph (a)	short-term lottery	£10,000	£20,000
paragraph (b)	medium-term lottery	£20,000	£40,000
paragraph (c)	any other lottery	£40,000	£80,000

SCHEDULE (*continued*)

1 Provisions specifying monetary limits	2 Matter to which the limit relates	3 Previous limit	4 New limit
Section 11(13)	Amounts of proceeds of a society's or local lottery for purposes of determining the percentage of those proceeds that may be appropriated for expenses:		
paragraph (a)	25 per cent. permissible	£5,000	£10,000
paragraph (b)	15 to 25 per cent. permissible or authorised	£5,000	£10,000
Schedule 2, paragraph 2	Requirement on a society to submit scheme for registration, if total value of tickets or chances to be sold in a lottery promoted under that scheme exceeds specified sum	£5,000	£10,000

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

This Order increases the monetary limits specified in the provisions of the Lotteries and Amusements Act 1976 which are mentioned in the Schedule to the Order. The limits relate to the rules governing lotteries promoted by local authorities or on behalf of societies registered under Part I of Schedule 1 to that Act.

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