STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1983 No. 165

LOCAL GOVERNMENT, ENGLAND AND WALES

The Accounts and Audit (Second Appointed Day) Order 1983

Made - - - 14th February 1983

The Secretary of State for the Environment and the Secretary of State for Wales, in exercise of the powers conferred on them by sections 33(2) and 35(1) of the Local Government Finance Act 1982 (a) (hereinafter referred to as "the Act"), and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, hereby make the following order:—

- 1. This order may be cited as the Accounts and Audit (Second Appointed Day) Order 1983.
- 2. For the purposes of section 33(2) of the Act, which provides that the provisions of Part III of the Act shall have effect in relation to accounts for any period beginning on or after such date as may be appointed, 1st April 1983 is hereby appointed.

Tom King, Secretary of State for the Environment.

11th February 1983.

Nicholas Edwards, Secretary of State for Wales.

14th February 1983.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

The Audit Commission for Local Authorities in England and Wales, provision in relation to which is made by Part III of the Local Government Finance Act 1982, came into existence on 21st January 1983, which was the day appointed by the Secretary of State by the Accounts and Audit (First Appointed Day) Order 1982 (S.I. 1982/1881) made under section 33(1) of that Act

The provisions of Part III relating to the audit of accounts are by virtue of section 33(2) to have effect in relation to accounts for any period beginning on or after such later date as may be appointed by order made under section 33(2) of the Act. By this order 1st April 1983 is appointed for the purposes of that subsection.

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