

## 1984 No. 468 (S. 48)

## BETTING, GAMING AND LOTTERIES

The Gaming Act (Variation of Monetary Limits) (Scotland)  
Order 1984

<i>Made - - - -</i>	<i>29th March 1984</i>
<i>Laid before Parliament</i>	<i>9th April 1984</i>
<i>Coming into Operation</i>	<i>30th April 1984</i>

In exercise of the powers conferred on me by sections 20(3), 21(8), 41(9) and 51(4) of the Gaming Act 1968(a), and of all other powers enabling me in that behalf, I hereby make the following order:—

1.—(1) This order may be cited as the Gaming Act (Variation of Monetary Limits) (Scotland) Order 1984 and shall come into operation on 30th April 1984.

(2) This order shall extend to Scotland only.

2. Section 20(3) of the Gaming Act 1968 (b) (which specifies the maximum permitted aggregate amount of winnings in respect of games of bingo played in one week simultaneously on different bingo club premises) shall have effect as if for the reference to the sum of £2,500 there were substituted a reference to the sum of £3,000.

3. The provisions of section 21(2) of the Gaming Act 1968 (special provisions as to gaming for prizes) specified in column 1 of Schedule 1 to this order (which relate to the maximum sums permitted in respect of the matters mentioned in column 2 of that Schedule) shall have effect as if, for the references in those provisions to the sums specified in column 3 of the Schedule (c), there were substituted references to the sums specified in column 4 of the Schedule.

4.—(1) The provisions of section 41 of the Gaming Act 1968 (gaming at entertainments not held for private gain) specified in column 1 of Schedule 2 to this order (which relate to the maximum sums permitted in respect of the matters mentioned in column 2 of that Schedule) shall have effect as if, for the references in those provisions to the sums specified in column 3 of that Schedule (d), there were substituted references to the sums specified in column 4 of that Schedule.

(2) Paragraph (1) above shall have effect only in relation to entertainments held on or after the date on which this order comes into operation.

5.—(1) The Gaming Act (Variation of Monetary Limits) (Scotland) Order 1982 (e) is hereby revoked.

(a) 1968 c.65; section 20(3) was amended by section 1 of the Gaming (Amendment) Act 1980 (c.8).

(b) The sum specified in section 20(3) is as substituted by S.I. 1982/131.

(c) The sums specified in column 3 are as substituted by S.I. 1982/131.

(d) The sums specified in column 3 are as substituted by S.I. 1981/58.

(e) S.I. 1982/131.

(2) In the Schedule to the Gaming Act (Variation of Monetary Limits) (Scotland) Order 1981 (a) the entries relating to section 41 shall be omitted.

*George Younger,*  
One of Her Majesty's Principal  
Secretaries of State.

New St Andrew's House,  
Edinburgh.  
29th March 1984.

SCHEDULE 1			Article 3
1	2	3	4
<i>Provisions referring to maximum sums</i>	<i>Matter to which sum relates</i>	<i>Previous sum</i>	<i>New sum</i>
Paragraph (a)	Amount paid for any one chance to win a prize	25p	30p
Paragraph (b)	Aggregate amount by way of sale of chances in any one determination of a winner	£12.50	£15.00
Paragraph (c)	Amount of money prize	25p	30p
Paragraph (e)	Aggregate amount of prizes on any one determination of winners	£12.50	£15.00

SCHEDULE 2			Article 4
1	2	3	4
<i>Provisions of section 41 referring to maximum sums</i>	<i>Matter to which sum relates</i>	<i>Previous sum</i>	<i>New sum</i>
Subsection (3)	Entrance fee or stake	£1.50	£2
Subsection (4)	Total value of prizes and awards	£150	£200
Subsection (8)	Series of entertainments:		
Paragraph (b)	Total value of prizes at final entertainment	£150 £300	£200 £400

(a) S.I. 1981/58.

## EXPLANATORY NOTE

*(This Note is not part of the Order.)*

Article 2 of the Order increases the maximum aggregate sum permitted to be paid to players as winnings in respect of all “linked” games of bingo (that is to say, where each game is played simultaneously on different premises) played in any one week in a group of licensed bingo clubs.

Article 3 of and Schedule 1 to the order increase the maximum amounts permitted—

- (a) to be paid for any one chance;
- (b) to be taken by way of the sale of chances;
- (c) to be offered as a money prize;
- (d) as the aggregate value of prizes on any one determination of winners,

in respect of gaming for prizes at licensed club premises under section 21 of the Gaming Act 1968.

Article 4 of and Schedule 2 to the order increase the maximum limits permitted in respect of—

- (a) entrance fee or stake;
- (b) total value of prizes and awards; and
- (c) total value of prizes at final entertainment,

in respect of gaming at entertainments and held for private gain, under section 4 of the Gaming Act 1968.

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