

SCHEDULE 1

Regulation 2

COUNCIL TAX FIGURE

Interpretation

1. In this Schedule—

- (a) “council tax base” means an authority’s council tax base calculated, where the authority is a billing authority, in accordance with section 33 of the 1992 Act and Regulations made under that section, and, where the authority is a major precepting authority, in accordance with section 44 of that Act and Regulations made under that section,
- (b) “Finance Report” means the Local Government Finance Report (England) 1995/96 approved by the House of Commons on 30th January 1995,
- (c) “existing billing authority” means the billing authority in the area of which the relevant area was situated in the financial year beginning on 1st April 1995, and “existing county” means the county council in the area of which the relevant area was situated in that year,
- (d) “new authority” means a new authority established by a section 17 order as a district council for an area, but does not include an authority established as described in section 14(6) of the Act,
- (e) “Notional Amounts Report” means the Limitation of Council Tax and Precepts (Relevant Notional Amounts) Report (England) 1996/97 approved by the House of Commons on 31st January 1996,
- (f) “RSG tax base” means an authority’s council tax base for Revenue Support Grant purposes, and
- (g) “SSA” means standard spending assessment and has the same meaning as in the Finance Report.

Formula

2. The council tax figure is calculated by applying the formula

$$A - B$$

where—

A is the notional council tax for the existing or transferred area, as defined in paragraph 3 below, and

B is the adjusted council tax for that area, as defined in paragraph 4 below.

Notional council tax

3.—(1) The notional council tax of an existing or transferred area shall be calculated by the Secretary of State to the nearest penny, any half penny being rounded up, in accordance with sub-paragraphs (2) to (5) below.

(2) The following formulae shall apply to the following relevant billing authorities—

(a) the formula in sub-paragraph (3) below to—

- (i) an existing district council to which are transferred by or in consequence of a section 17 order the functions of county councils in relation to the district council’s area, and
- (ii) a new authority which is a district council which has the functions of a county council;

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- (b) the formula in sub-paragraph (4) below to a district council, other than one to which sub-paragraph (a)(i) above applies, which is subject to a boundary change made by or in consequence of a section 17 order; for this purpose “boundary change” shall be construed in accordance with section 14 of the Act; and
 - (c) the formula in sub-paragraph (5) below to a district council which is not subject to a section 17 order but the area of which is situated in the area of a reorganised county.
- (3) The formula for the calculation of the notional council tax is—

$$\frac{D-E}{H} + \frac{F \times G}{H}$$

where—

D is the notional amount for the relevant billing authority specified against the name of that authority in Annex A to the Notional Amounts Report,

E is the figure shown opposite the name of the relevant billing authority in column 2 of Part 1 of Schedule 3 to these Regulations, that figure being the Secretary of State’s estimate of what the relevant billing authority’s SSA for the financial year beginning on 1st April 1995 would have been had that date been the reorganisation date; the estimate is made using the methodology for the calculation of SSAs employed for the purposes of the Finance Report,

F is £507.426726906402, being the Standard Tax Element shown in Annex B to the Finance Report opposite the “Isle of Wight Council”,

G is the figure shown opposite the name of the relevant billing authority in column 3 of Part 1 of Schedule 3 to these Regulations, that figure being the RSG tax base of that authority for the financial year beginning on 1st April 1995; for this purpose—

- (a) where the relevant billing authority is an authority referred to in sub-paragraph (2)(a)(i) above, such RSG tax base is the RSG tax base which was calculated for the authority in accordance with the rules contained in Annex C to the Finance Report, and
- (b) where the relevant billing authority is an authority referred to in sub-paragraph (2)(a)(ii) above, such RSG tax base is the Secretary of State’s estimate of what that tax base would have been had the reorganisation date been 1st April 1995, calculated by aggregating the RSG tax bases for that year for each transferred area comprised in the area of the relevant billing authority, the RSG tax base for a transferred area being estimated by the Secretary of State using the rules contained in Annex C to the Finance Report and using information provided by the relevant transferor authority, and

H is the figure shown opposite the name of the relevant billing authority in column 4 of Part 1 of Schedule 3 to these Regulations, that figure being the council tax base of that authority for the financial year beginning on 1st April 1995; for this purpose—

- (a) where the relevant billing authority is an authority referred to in sub-paragraph (2)(a)(i) above, such council tax base is its council tax base calculated by the authority for that year, and
- (b) where the relevant billing authority is an authority referred to in sub-paragraph (2)(a)(ii) above, such council tax base is the Secretary of State’s estimate of what that tax base would have been had the reorganisation date been 1st April 1995, calculated by aggregating the council tax bases for the financial year beginning on 1st April 1995 for each transferred area comprised in the area of the relevant billing authority, the council tax base for a transferred area being estimated by the Secretary of State using information provided by the relevant transferor authority; the figure for that council tax base for each transferred area is shown against the name of the transferor authority in column 3 of Part 4 of Schedule 3 to these Regulations.

- (4) The formula for the calculation of the notional council tax is—

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the aggregate of the formulae in sub-paragraphs (a) and (b) below—

(a)
$$\frac{J-K}{N} + \frac{L \times M}{N}$$

where—

J is the notional amount for the relevant billing authority specified against the name of the authority in Annex A to the Notional Amounts Report,

K is the figure shown opposite the name of the relevant billing authority in column 2 of Part 2 of Schedule 3 to these Regulations, that figure being the Secretary of State's estimate of what the authority's SSA for the financial year beginning on 1st April 1995 would have been had that date been the reorganisation date; the estimate is made using the methodology for the calculation of SSAs employed for the purposes of the Finance Report,

L is £78.859327957451, being the Standard Tax Element shown in Annex B to the Finance Report opposite "Non-Metropolitan District Councils", and

M is the figure shown opposite the name of the relevant billing authority in column 3 of Part 2 of Schedule 3 to these Regulations, that figure being the Secretary of State's estimate of what the authority's RSG tax base for the financial year beginning on 1st April 1995 would have been had that date been the reorganisation date, such estimate being made using the rules contained in Annex C to the Finance Report and using information provided by the relevant billing authority, and

N is the figure shown opposite the name of the relevant billing authority in column 4 of Part 2 of Schedule 3 to these Regulations, that figure being the Secretary of State's estimate of what the authority's council tax base for the financial year beginning on 1st April 1995 would have been had that date been the reorganisation date, such estimate being made using information provided by the relevant billing authority, and

(b)
$$\frac{Jc - Kc}{Nc} + \frac{Lc \times Mc}{Nc}$$

where—

Jc is the notional amount for the reorganised county specified opposite the name of the authority in Annex A to the Notional Amounts Report,

Kc is the figure shown opposite the name of the reorganised county in column 2 of Part 3 of Schedule 3 to these Regulations, that figure being the Secretary of State's estimate of what the reorganised county's SSA for the financial year beginning on 1st April 1995 would have been had that date been the reorganisation date; the estimate is made using the methodology for the calculation of SSAs employed for the purposes of the Finance Report,

Lc is £428.567398948952, being the Standard Tax Element shown in Annex B to the Finance Report opposite "County Councils (except the Isle of Wight Council)",

Mc is the figure shown opposite the name of the reorganised county in column 3 of Part 3 of Schedule 3 to these Regulations, that figure being the Secretary of State's estimate of what the reorganised county's RSG tax base for the financial year beginning on 1st April 1995 would have been had that date been the reorganisation date; for this purpose the RSG tax base is estimated by the Secretary of State by aggregating the RSG tax bases for that year of each of the billing authorities to which the reorganised county is entitled to issue a precept in respect of the financial year beginning on 1st April 1996, the RSG tax base for such a billing authority being—

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- (a) where the billing authority is one referred to in sub-paragraph (2)(c) above, the RSG tax base which was calculated for the authority in accordance with the rules contained in Annex C to the Finance Report, and
- (b) in any other case, the figure for item M calculated for the purposes of sub-paragraph (4)(a) above, and

N_c is the figure for that council tax base shown opposite the name of the reorganised county in column 4 of Part 3 of Schedule 3 to these Regulations, that figure being the Secretary of State's estimate of what the reorganised county's council tax base for the year beginning 1st April 1995 would have been had that date been the reorganisation date; for this purpose the council tax base is estimated by the Secretary of State by aggregating the council tax bases for that year of each of the billing authorities to which the reorganised county is entitled to issue a precept in respect of the financial year beginning on 1st April 1996, the council tax base for a such a billing authority being—

- (a) where the billing authority is one referred to in sub-paragraph (2)(c) above, its council tax base for the financial year beginning on 1st April 1995, calculated by the authority, and
- (b) in any other case, the figure for item N calculated for the purposes of sub-paragraph (4)(a) above.

(5) The formula for the calculation of the notional council tax is—

$$\frac{J_c - K_c}{N_c} + \frac{L_c \times M_c}{N_c}$$

where

J_c and L_c have the same meaning as in paragraph (4)(b) above and K_c, M_c and N_c are the figures for those items shown opposite the name of the reorganised county in Part 3 of Schedule 3 to these Regulations.

Adjusted council tax

4.—(1) Subject to sub-paragraph (2) below, the adjusted council tax of an existing or transferred area shall be calculated by the Secretary of State to the nearest penny, any half penny being rounded up, by aggregating the formulae in paragraphs (a) and (b) below—

(a)
$$\frac{P - R - S}{T}$$

where—

P is the existing billing authority's budget requirement for the financial year beginning on 1st April 1995 calculated by the authority in accordance with section 32 of the 1992 Act and Regulations made under that section,

R is the aggregate of the amounts payable to the existing billing authority in the financial year beginning on 1st April 1995 in respect of Revenue Support Grant and the Distributable Amount, referred to in paragraphs 2 and 5 of the Finance Report, and calculated by reference to that report,

S is the aggregate of the amounts of any precepts from local precepting authorities issued to, or anticipated by, the existing billing authority in relation to the financial year beginning on 1st April 1995 and taken into account by it under section 32(6) of the 1992 Act, and

T is the council tax base of the existing billing authority for the financial year beginning on 1st April 1995, and

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(b)
$$\frac{P_c - R_c}{T_c}$$

where

P_c is the existing county's budget requirement for the financial year beginning on 1st April 1995 calculated by the county in accordance with section 43 of the 1992 Act and Regulations made under that section,

R_c is the aggregate of the amounts payable to the existing county in the financial year beginning on 1st April 1995 in respect of Revenue Support Grant and the Distributable Amount, referred to in paragraphs 2 and 5 of the Finance Report, and calculated by reference to that report, and

T_c is the council tax base of the existing county for the financial year beginning on 1st April 1995.

(2) Where the existing or transferred area is situated in the area of an authority referred to in paragraph 3(2)(c) above, the adjusted council tax shall be calculated by the Secretary of State to the nearest penny, any half penny being rounded up, according to the following formula—

$$\frac{P_c - R_c}{T_c}$$

where

P_c , R_c and T_c have the same meanings as in sub-paragraph (1)(b) above.

SCHEDULE 2

Regulation 6

DEDUCTIBLE AMOUNT

1. Subject to paragraph 2 below, the deductible amount is calculated by applying the following formula—

$$\frac{(C - U) \times V}{W} = X$$

where—

C is the council tax figure calculated in accordance with Schedule 1 to these Regulations,

U is £104,

V is the council tax base for the relevant area for the financial year beginning on 1st April 1995; for this purpose—

- (a) where the relevant billing authority is an authority referred to in paragraph 3(2)(a)(i) above, the council tax base for the relevant area is the figure for item H shown opposite the name of the authority in column 4 of Part 1 of Schedule 3 to these Regulations,
- (b) where the relevant billing authority is an authority referred to in paragraph 3(2)(a)(ii) above, the council tax base for the relevant area is the figure shown opposite the name of the relevant transferor authority in column 3 of Part 4 of Schedule 3 to these Regulations,
- (c) where the relevant billing authority is an authority referred to in paragraph 3(2)(b) above, the council tax base for the relevant area is the figure shown opposite the name of the relevant billing authority in column 4 of Part 2 of Schedule 3 to these Regulations, and
- (d) where the relevant billing authority is an authority referred to in paragraph 3(2)(c) above, the council tax base for the relevant area is the relevant billing authority's council tax base, calculated by the authority for that year,

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W is the council tax base for the relevant area for the financial year beginning on 1st April 1996, calculated by the relevant billing authority, and

X, if it is a positive amount, is the deductible amount for a relevant dwelling in valuation band D and, if it is not a positive amount, the deductible amount is zero.

2. The deductible amount for a relevant dwelling in any valuation band other than band D shall bear the same relation to the deductible amount for a relevant dwelling in valuation band D calculated in accordance with paragraph 1 above, as the figure for that band, set out in section 5 of the 1992 Act, bears to the figure set out in that section for band D.

SCHEDULE 3

PART 1

Figures for the purposes of Schedule 1, paragraph 3(3)

(1) relevant billing authority	(2) E	(3) G	(4) H
The district of Bath and North East Somerset	104,933,690	60,991	59,096
The City of Bristol	269,429,259	123,085	117,268
The district of South Gloucestershire	136,852,247	77,285	77,398
The district of North West Somerset	112,189,224	65,720	63,121
The borough of Hartlepool	72,564,730	25,371	24,912
The borough of Middlesbrough	122,522,718	39,252	38,410
The borough of Redcar and Cleveland	110,620,804	42,239	40,621
The borough of Stockton-on-Tees	132,803,217	51,456	50,427
The district of the East Riding of Yorkshire	195,997,339	100,386	99,045
The City of Kingston upon Hull	207,570,197	67,886	64,881
The district of North East Lincolnshire	117,566,323	45,163	43,777
The district of North Lincolnshire	105,687,368	44,724	44,499

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(1) relevant billing authority	(2) E	(3) G	(4) H
The district of York	104,199,777	58,905	56,745

PART 2

Figures for the purposes of Schedule 1, paragraph 3(4)

(1) relevant billing authority	(2) K	(3) M	(4) N
The borough of Harrogate	12,239,414	54,922	53,839
The district of Ryedale	4,601,348	19,150	18,737
The district of Selby	6,698,612	24,800	24,154

PART 3

Figures for the purposes of Schedule 1, paragraph 3(4)

(1) reorganised county	(2) Kc	(3) Mc	(4) Nc
The county of North Yorkshire	308,047,101	203,671	198,089

PART 4

Figures for the purposes of calculation of H in Schedule 1, paragraph 3(3) and V in Schedule 2, paragraph 1

(1) relevant billing authority	(2) transferor authority	(3) council tax base for transferred area
The district of Bath and North East Somerset	The City of Bath	29,785
The district of Bath and North East Somerset	The district of Wansdyke	29,312
The district of South Gloucestershire	The borough of Kingswood	30,208
The district of South Gloucestershire	The district of Northavon	47,190

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(1) relevant billing authority	(2) transferor authority	(3) council tax base for transferred area
The district of the East Riding of Yorkshire	The borough of Beverley	40,597
The district of the East Riding of Yorkshire	The borough of Boothferry	13,845
The district of the East Riding of Yorkshire	The borough of East Yorkshire	28,484
The district of the East Riding of Yorkshire	The borough of Holderness	16,119
The district of North East Lincolnshire	The borough of Cleethorpes	19,891
The district of North East Lincolnshire	The borough of Great Grimsby	23,886
The district of North Lincolnshire	The borough of Boothferry	6,191
The district of North Lincolnshire	The borough of Glanford	22,158
The district of North Lincolnshire	The borough of Scunthorpe	16,150
The district of York	The borough of Harrogate	1,915
The district of York	The district of Ryedale	16,029
The district of York	The district of Selby	7,096
The district of York	The City of York	31,705