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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**1998 No. 611 (S.22)**

**POLICE**

**The Police Grant (Scotland) Order 1998**

<i>Made</i>	- - - -	<i>11th March 1998</i>
<i>Laid before Parliament</i>		<i>11th March 1998</i>
<i>Coming into force</i>	- -	<i>31st March 1998</i>

The Secretary of State, in exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 32(3) of the Police (Scotland) Act 1967<sup>(1)</sup> and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, and with the approval of the Treasury, hereby makes the following Order:

**Citation, commencement and interpretation**

1.—(1) This Order may be cited as the Police Grant (Scotland) Order 1998 and shall come into force on 31st March 1998.

(2) In this Order, unless the context otherwise requires—

“the Act” means the Police (Scotland) Act 1967;

“authority” means a police authority (not being a constituent authority) or a joint police board;

“financial year 1997-98” means the period of 12 months commencing on 1st April 1997;

“police grant” means the grant made under section 32(1) of the Act.

**Aggregate amount of grants for 1997-98**

2. The aggregate amount of police grant to be made for the financial year 1997-98 shall be £322,543,331.

**Amount of grant to an authority for 1997-98**

3. The amount of police grant to be made for the financial year 1997-98 to each authority specified in column 1 of the Table below shall be the amount determined in relation to that authority which is set out in column 2 of that Table opposite to the name of that authority—

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(1) 1967 c. 77; section 32 was substituted by section 45(1) of the Crime and Punishment (Scotland) Act 1997 (c. 48).

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**Status:** This is the original version (as it was originally made). This item of legislation is currently only available in its original format.

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TABLE

Central Scotland Joint Police Board	£14,641,591
Dumfries and Galloway Council	£8,916,733
Fife Council	£17,755,425
Grampian Joint Police Board	£26,907,655
Lothian and Borders Joint Police Board	£60,653,608
Northern Joint Police Board	£15,842,603
Strathclyde Joint Police Board	£153,730,756
Tayside Joint Police Board	£24,094,960

St Andrew's House,  
Edinburgh  
6th March 1998

*Henry McLeish*  
Minister of State, Scottish Office

We approve,

11th March 1998

*Jim Dowd*  
*Graham Allen*  
Two of the Lords Commissioners of Her  
Majesty's Treasury

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## EXPLANATORY NOTE

*(This note is not part of the Order)*

This Order is made under section 32(3) of the Police (Scotland) Act 1967, as substituted by section 45(1) of the Crime and Punishment (Scotland) Act 1997, which makes provision for the Secretary of State making grants out of money provided by Parliament for police purposes to police authorities and joint police boards.

This Order determines—

- (a) the aggregate amount of grants to be made under section 32(1) to all police authorities and joint police boards for the financial year 1997-98 (article 2); and
- (b) the amount of such grants to be made to each police authority or joint police board (article 3).