STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1976 No. 2211 (S. 181)

COMMUNITY LAND

The Acquisition from the Crown (Grants) Amendment (Scotland) Order 1976

Laid before the House of Commons in draft

Made - - - - 21*st December* 1976

Coming into Operation 14*th January* 1977

In exercise of the powers conferred on me by sections 40(1) and 53(2) and (3) of the Community Land Act 1975(**a**), and of all other powers enabling me in that behalf, and with the consent of the Treasury, I hereby make the following order in the terms of a draft which has been laid before and approved by a resolution of the Commons House of Parliament:—

1. This order applies to Scotland and shall come into operation on 14th January 1977 and may be cited as the Acquisition from the Crown (Grants) Amendment (Scotland) Order 1976. The Acquisition from the Crown (Grants) Order 1976(**b**) and this order may be cited together as the Acquisition from the Crown (Grants) (Scotland) Orders 1976.

2. The Interpretation Act 1889(**c**) shall apply for the interpretation of this order as it applies for the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

3. The Acquisition from the Crown (Grants) Order 1976 is hereby amended as follows:—

In the Schedule there shall be added to the list of bodies specified for the purpose of section 40(1) of the Community Land Act 1975—

"the council of a district in Scotland which is within the area of a general planning authority, as defined in section 172 of the Local Government (Scotland) Act 1973"(**d**).

Bruce Millan,

One of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

New St. Andrew's House,
Edinburgh.
20th December 1976.

We consent

J. Dormand,

T. E. Graham,

Two of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury.

21st December 1976.

(**a**) 1975 c. 77.
(**b**) S.I. 1976/1219 (1976 II, p. 3463).
(**c**) 1889 c. 63.
(**d**) 1973 c. 65.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

When certain bodies acquire land from the Crown on and after the first appointed day for the purposes of the Community Land Act 1975 the Secretary of State may, with the approval of the Treasury, if he considers it appropriate make to the bodies concerned a grant of such amount as may be approved by the Treasury having regard to the purchase price, rent or other payments made by the body to the Crown.

This Order adds to the bodies in the Schedule to the Acquisition from the Crown (Grants) Order 1976 (to whom such grants may be made) district councils in the area of a general planning authority in Scotland.

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