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HOUSING, ENGLAND AND WALES
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The Housing Association Grant (Disposal of Dwellings) Order 1981

Made - - -	*7th May* 1981
Laid before Parliament	*18th May* 1981
Coming into Operation	*8th June* 1981

The Secretary of State for the Environment as respects England, the Secretary of State for Wales as respects Wales and the Secretary of State for Scotland as respects Scotland, in exercise of powers conferred upon them by sections 130(2) and 151 of the Housing Act 1980(**a**), and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, and with the consent of the Treasury, hereby make the following order:—

1. This order may be cited as the Housing Association Grant (Disposal of Dwellings) Order 1981 and shall come into operation on 8th June 1981 (hereinafter termed "the operative date").

2. For the sum of £5,000 specified in section 130(2) of the Housing Act 1980, there is hereby substituted:—

(*a*) in respect of a dwelling in Greater London, £10,000;

(*b*) elsewhere, £7,500.

3. The substitution effected hereby shall not affect any case falling within section 130(1) of the Housing Act 1980 where the relevant approval of the Secretary of State under section 29 of the Housing Act 1974(**b**) has been given before the operative date.

Michael R. D. Heseltine,
Secretary of State for the Environment.

5th May 1981.

(**a**) 1980 c. 51.

(**b**) 1974 c. 44.

Nicholas Edwards,
6th May 1981. Secretary of State for Wales.

George Younger,
6th May 1981. Secretary of State for Scotland.

We consent.

John Wakeham,
Robert Boscawen,
Two of the Lords Commissioners
7th May 1981. of Her Majesty's Treasury.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

This order increases the amount of grant which the Secretary of State may pay to a registered housing association under section 29 of the Housing Act 1974 where the association disposes of dwellings after carrying out works of repair, improvement or conversion. Section 130(2) of the Housing Act 1980 provides that the maximum grant payable in such a case is £5,000 for any one dwelling, subject to the Secretary of State's power to substitute another amount by order.

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