STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

# 1971 No. 1290

# HOUSING, ENGLAND AND WALES

# HOUSING, SCOTLAND

## The Housing Corporation Advances (Increase of Limit) Order 1971

*Laid before the House of Commons in draft*

*Made* - - - 4*th August* 1971

*Coming into Operation* 18*th August* 1971

The Secretary of State for the Environment, the Secretary of State for Scotland and the Secretary of State for Wales, acting jointly in exercise of their powers under section 9(2) of the Housing Act 1964(a), and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, hereby make the following order in the terms of a draft approved by resolution of the Commons House of Parliament :—

**1.** This order may be cited as the Housing Corporation Advances (Increase of Limit) Order 1971 and shall come into operation on 18th August 1971.

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

**3.** Advances made to the Housing Corporation under section 9(1) of the Housing Act 1964 shall not together exceed £100,000,000.

*Peter Walker*,
Secretary of State for the Environment.

30th July 1971.

*Gordon Campbell*,
Secretary of State for Scotland.

2nd August 1971.

*Peter Thomas*,
Secretary of State for Wales.

4th August 1971.

(a) 1964 c. 56. (b) 1889 c. 63.

## EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

Under section 9 of the Housing Act 1964 the three Secretaries of State respectively may make advances to the Housing Corporation to enable the Corporation to exercise and perform their functions. The total amount which may be advanced to the Corporation is limited to £50,000,000 or such greater sum, not exceeding £100,000,000, as the three Secretaries of State jointly may by order specify. This order specifies that the total amount which may be so advanced shall not exceed £100,000,000, and supersedes the Housing Corporation Advances (Increase of Limit) Order 1969 (S.I. 1969/518) which specifies £75,000,000 as the limit.