STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1976 No. 350 (S.27)

HOUSING, SCOTLAND

The Housing (Limits of Rateable Value for Improvement Grants) (Variation) (Scotland) Order 1976

Made - - - -	*2nd March* 1976
Laid before Parliament	*12th March* 1976
Coming into Operation	*2nd April* 1976

In exercise of the powers conferred on me by sections 3(2)(*c*)(i), 48(2) and 49(3) of the Housing (Scotland) Act 1974**(a)** and of all other powers enabling me in that behalf, I hereby, with the consent of the Treasury, make the following order:—

Citation, commencement and interpretation

1.—(1) This order may be cited as the Housing (Limits of Rateable Value for Improvement Grants) (Variation) (Scotland) Order 1976 and shall come into operation on 2nd April 1976.

(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) In this order the "principal order" means the Housing (Limits of Rateable Value for Improvement Grants) (Scotland) Order 1975**(c)**.

Variation of principal order

2. In the application of the principal order to houses within the City of Glasgow which are situated in a housing action area for improvement or for demolition and improvement declared in accordance with Part II of the Housing (Scotland) Act 1974, for the words "£100" wherever they occur there shall be substituted the words "£120".

William Ross,
One of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

New St. Andrew's House,
Edinburgh.
26th February 1976.

We consent.

Donald R. Coleman,
James A. Dunn,
Two of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury.

2nd March 1976.

(a) 1974 c. 45. (b) 1889 c. 63. (c) S.I. 1975/546 (1975 I, p. 1807).

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

Section 3(2)(*c*) of the Housing (Scotland) Act 1974 provides that an application for improvement grant, other than an application which relates exclusively to the provision of standard amenities, shall not be approved if the house to which the application relates is, on completion of the works, to be occupied by the owner of the house and had on the date of application a rateable value in excess of prescribed limits and that different limits may be prescribed for houses in different areas.

This Order varies the Housing (Limits of Rateable Value for Improvement Grants) (Scotland) Order 1975 and prescribes the limits of rateable value for the purposes of the said section which apply to houses within the City of Glasgow, and which are situated in a housing action area for improvement or for demolition and improvement.

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