STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1988 No. 2192 (S.214)

HOUSING, SCOTLAND

The Housing (Scotland) Act 1988 (Specified Date) Order 1988

Made - - - -	*15th December 1988*
Laid before Parliament	*22nd December 1988*
Coming into force	*16th January 1989*

The Secretary of State, in exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 3(1) of the Housing (Scotland) Act 1988(a) and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, hereby makes the following Order–

1. This Order may be cited as the Housing (Scotland) Act 1988 (Specified Date) Order 1988 and shall come into force on 16th January 1989.

2. The specified date for the purposes of section 3(1) of the Housing (Scotland) Act 1988 shall be 1st April 1989.

James Douglas-Hamilton
Parliamentary Under Secretary of State
Scottish Office

St Andrew's House, Edinburgh
15th December 1988

(a) 1988 c.43.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Order)

This Order specifies 1st April 1989 as the specified date for the purposes of section 3(1) of the Housing (Scotland) Act 1988.

That section provides that, on the specified date, the Scottish Special Housing Association is to be dissolved and its property, rights, obligations and liabilities are to be transferred to and vest in Scottish Homes.

The specified date is also relevant for the purposes of section 4 of the Act. That section provides for the transfer from the Housing Corporation to Scottish Homes on the specified date of its responsibilities with regard to certain housing associations and of certain property, rights, obligations and liabilities of the Housing Corporation.

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Draft Order laid before Parliament under section 60(3) of the Adoption (Scotland) Act 1978 for approval by resolution of each House of Parliament.

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1988 No. (S.)

CHILDREN AND YOUNG PERSONS

The Adoption Allowance Schemes (Scotland) Order 1988

Made - - - -	*1989*
Coming into force	*15th February 1989*

The Secretary of State, in exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 51(9) of the Adoption (Scotland) Act 1978(**a**) and all other powers enabling him in that behalf and having published a report(**b**) under section 51(7) of that Act, hereby makes the following Order, a draft of which has been laid before and approved by resolution of each House of Parliament:

Citation and commencement

1. This Order may be cited as the Adoption Allowance Schemes (Scotland) Order 1988 and shall come into force on 15th February 1989.

Repeals

2. Section 51(8) of the Adoption (Scotland) Act 1978 is hereby repealed.

New St. Andrew's House, Edinburgh
1989

Parliamentary Under Secretary of State,
Scottish Office

(**a**) 1978 c.28.
(**b**) Report by the Secretary of State for Scotland on the First Five Years' Operation of Adoption Allowance Schemes approved by him under section 51(5) of the Adoption (Scotland) Act 1978, which was published on

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Order)

Section 51 of the Adoption (Scotland) Act 1978 prohibits the making of payments in connection with certain adoption procedures and arrangements. Subsection (5) of section 51 disapplies the provisions of that section where a scheme for payment has been submitted to the Secretary of State by an adoption agency and he has approved the scheme. Section 51(8) provides for subsection (5) to expire on the seventh anniversary of section 32 of the Children Act 1975 (c.72) coming into force unless the Secretary of State repeals subsection (8) prior to the said anniversary. (Section 32 of that Act was commenced on 15 February 1982 by the Children Act 1975 (Scotland) (Commencement No. 3) Order 1982 (S.I. 1982/33)).

The power to repeal subsection (8) is exercisable only in connection with the publication of a report on the operation of the said schemes under section 51(7). Copies of the Report referred to in the Order can be obtained free of charge from the Scottish Office Library, New St. Andrew's House, Edinburgh, EH1.

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