STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1979 No. 1514

LOCAL GOVERNMENT, ENGLAND AND WALES

The Rate Support Grant Regulations 1979

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The Secretary of State for the Environment, in exercise of the powers conferred upon him by sections 2(4) and 10(3) of, and paragraphs 2, 6, 9 and 11 of Schedule 2 to the Local Government Act 1974(**a**) and by section 48(4) of the General Rate Act 1967(**b**), and of all other powers enabling him in that behalf, after consultation with the associations of local authorities appearing to him to be concerned and with the local authority with whom consultation appeared to him to be desirable, hereby makes the following regulations:—

Title and commencement

1. These regulations may be cited as the Rate Support Grant Regulations 1979 and shall come into operation on 1st April 1980.

Interpretation

2. In these regulations, unless the context otherwise requires—

"the Act" means the Local Government Act 1974;

"the Order" means the Rate Support Grant Order 1979;

"the Secretary of State" means the Secretary of State for the Environment;

"year" means a period of twelve months beginning with 1st April;

and in Regulation 11 expressions used in the Education Acts 1944 to 1976 have the same meanings as in those Acts.

Regulations to apply to year 1980–81

3. These regulations shall have effect for the purposes of rate support grants for the year 1980–81, and any references in these regulations to a year not otherwise identified are references to that year.

Submission of information

4.—(1) Each local authority shall submit to the Secretary of State, by such date as he may specify, such information as he may from time to time require in connection with the total estimated expenditure to be incurred by them during the year, for the purposes of paragraph 10(3) of Part III of Schedule 2 to the Act (which relates to the calculation of the uniform rate for purposes of the resources element).

(**a**) 1974 c. 7.

(**b**) 1967 c. 9.

(2) Where the Secretary of State is not satisfied that the information submitted to him by a local authority under paragraph (1) above accurately reflects the amount by reference to which the authority have calculated the general rate for that year, he may, after giving notice of his intention to the authority and affording them an opportunity to submit representations, make such adjustment of the information submitted to him under paragraph (1) above as he considers appropriate.

Estimates and conclusive calculations

5.—(1) The Secretary of State shall, upon the best information available to him, estimate and notify to each local authority the amounts of the constituent elements of rate support grant which will become payable to the authority for the year; and he may make and notify to the authority such further estimates of the said amounts, taking into account information not previously available, as he may think fit.

(2) As soon as practicable after he has received what appears to him to be sufficient information for the purpose, the Secretary of State shall make a conclusive calculation of the said amounts and notify the result thereof to each local authority.

(3) The amount of any element of rate support grant payable to a local authority shall be calculated to the nearest pound.

(4) Where its appears to the Secretary of State from any estimate or calculation made under this regulation that a sum in excess of the amount of the estimate or calculation has already been paid to a local authority in respect of rate support grants for the year, he may recover that sum by deduction from any amounts due to that authority in respect of rate support grants, whether for the year or for any subsequent year, or by payment to him by the authority after a demand therefor or partly by such deduction and partly by such a payment, as he thinks fit.

Population and area

6.—(1) For the purposes of Schedule 2 to the Act, and Schedule 1 to the Order, the population of an area shall be the number estimated by the Registrar General and certified by him to the Secretary of State for rate support grant purposes; and, except where the Order otherwise provides, the number shall be estimated by reference to the population on 30th June 1978.

(2) For the purposes of Schedule 1 to the Order, the day time population of an area shall be ascertained by taking the aggregate of the number of persons resident in the area on 30th June 1978, and the number of persons working but not resident in the area, at the date of the 1971 census, and subtracting therefrom the number of persons resident in but working outside the area at the date of the 1971 census.

(3) Subject to paragraph (4) below, for the purposes of Schedule 1 to the Order the number of acres comprised in the area of a local authority shall be the number so comprised on 1st April 1979, and certified by the Ordnance Survey.

(4) The number of acres comprised in the Isles of Scilly shall, for the purposes of Schedule 1 to the Order, be taken to be 40,358 acres.

(5) For the purposes of Schedule 1 to the Order, the number of persons per acre in an area shall be ascertained by dividing the number of the population of the area by the number of acres comprised in the area.

New permanent dwellings

7. For the purposes of Schedule 1 to the Order, the number of new permanent dwellings started in an area during the period from 1st January 1976 to 31st December 1978 shall be the number of such dwellings estimated by the Secretary of State from returns submitted to him for the purpose of compilation of local housing statistics in England and Wales in respect of that period.

Domestic hereditaments

8. For the purposes of Schedule 1 to the Order, the number of domestic hereditaments in an area shall be the number of such hereditaments shown in the valuation list on 1st April 1979.

Number of persons living in certain circumstances

9.—(1) For the purposes of paragraph 1 of Schedule 1 to the Order—

(*a*) the number of persons in the area of a local authority living in parishes or wards (not being parts of parishes or wards) whose density exceeded 50 persons per hectare at the date of the 1971 census shall be the number of such persons estimated by the Secretary of State on the basis of the 1971 census returns;

(*b*) the number of persons in the area of a local authority living in parts of parishes or wards whose density exceeded 50 persons per hectare at the date of the 1971 census shall be the number of such persons estimated by the Registrar General on the basis of the 1971 census returns and certified by him to the Secretary of State for rate support grant purposes;

(*c*) the number of men 65 years of age or over and women 60 years of age or over living alone, and the number of persons 65 years of age or over living in the area of a local authority at the date of the 1971 census shall be the number of such persons shown in the relevant report on that census;

(*d*) the number of persons 65 years of age or over living in the area of a local authority on 30th June 1978 shall be the number of such persons estimated by the Registrar General and certified by him to the Secretary of State for rate support grant purposes;

(*f*) the number of persons in the area of a local authority living in permanent buildings with a density of occupation greater than one and a half persons per room at the date of the 1971 census shall be the number of such persons shown in the relevant report on that census;

(*f*) the number of persons in the area of a local authority living in permanent or non-permanent buildings in households without the exclusive use of hot water supply, fixed bath or inside water closet, at the date of the 1971 census shall be the number of such persons calculated by the Secretary of State on the basis of the relevant report on that census;

(*g*) the number of lone parent families with dependent children in the area of a local authority at the date of the 1971 census shall be the number of such families estimated by the Secretary of State on the basis of the 1971 census returns;

(*h*) the number of persons in the area of a local authority living in shared households in permanent buildings at the date of the 1971 census shall be the number of such persons calculated by the Secretary of State on the basis of the relevant report on that census;

(2) For the purposes of paragraph 2 of Schedule 1 to the Order—

(*a*) the number of persons in the area of a local authority living in parishes or wards whose density exceeded 60 persons per hectare at the date of the 1971 census shall be the number of such persons estimated by the Secretary of State on the basis of the 1971 census returns;

(*b*) the number of men 65 years of age or over and women 60 years of age or over living alone in the area of a local authority at the date of the 1978 National Dwellings and Housing Survey shall be the number of such persons estimated by the Secretary of State on the basis of the survey;

(*c*) the number of persons in the area of a local authority living in permanent buildings with a density of occupation greater than one and a half persons per room at the date of the 1978 National Dwellings and Housing Survey shall be the number of such persons estimated by the Secretary of State on the basis of the survey;

(*d*) the number of lone parent families with dependent children in the area of a local authority at the date of the 1978 National Dwellings and Housing Survey shall be the number of such families estimated by the Secretary of State on the basis of the survey;

(*e*) the number of persons in the area of a local authority living in shared households in permanent buildings at the date of the 1978 National Dwellings and Housing Survey shall be the number of such persons estimated by the Secretary of State on the basis of the survey;

(*f*) the number of children under five years of age living in the area of a local authority at the date of the 1978 National Dwellings and Housing Survey shall be the number estimated by the Secretary of State on the basis of the survey;

(*g*) the number of families with three or more children, living in the area of a local authority at the date of the 1978 National Dwellings and Housing Survey, shall be the number of such families estimated by the Secretary of State on the basis of the survey;

(*h*) the number of permanent dwellings in the area of a local authority, during the period 1st January 1976 to 31st December 1978, which were unfit and have been made fit or in which defects have been remedied at the initiative of the local authority shall be the number of such dwellings estimated by the Secretary of State from returns submitted to him for the purpose of compilation of local housing statistics in England and Wales in respect of that period.

(3) In sub-paragraph 1(*b*) above "parts of parishes or wards" means parts of those parishes or wards existing immediately before 1st April 1974 of which, by virtue of the Local Government Act 1972(a), a part only is comprised in the area of a non-metropolitan county or metropolitan district, as the case may be.

Children in care

10. For the purposes of Schedule 1 to the Order, the number of children in care in the area of a local authority shall be the number of such children on 31st March 1977 as notified to the Secretary of State by the Secretary of State for Social Services for rate support grant purposes.

(a) 1972 c. 70.

Pupils in schools and students in establishments of further education

11.—(1) Subject to the provisions of this regulation, for the purposes of Schedule 1 to the Order—

(*a*) the number of primary school pupils living in the area of a local authority shall be the aggregate number of pupils who—

(i) had attained the age of five on 31st December 1978 but had not attained the age of 11 on 31st August 1978, and at the beginning of the spring term 1979 were registered as pupils at county or voluntary schools maintained by the authority; or

(ii) had attained the age of five on 31st December 1978 but had not attained the age of 11 on 31st August 1978, and at the beginning of the spring term 1979 were registered as pupils at independent schools (not being pupils receiving special educational treatment) and in respect of whom the tuition fees were paid in full by the authority; or

(iii) had attained the age of five on 31st December 1978 but had not attained the age of 11 on 31st August 1978, and during January 1979 received education in pursuance of arrangements made by the authority under section 56 of the Education Act 1944(**a**);

(*b*) the number of secondary or special school pupils under 16 years of age living in the area of a local authority shall be the aggregate number of pupils who—

(i) on 31st August 1978 had attained the age of 11, but not the age of 16, and at the beginning of the spring term 1979 were registered as pupils at county or voluntary schools maintained by the authority; or

(ii) had attained the age of five on 31st December 1978 but had not attained the age of 16 on 31st August 1978, and at the beginning of the spring term 1979 were registered as pupils at special schools maintained by the authority; or

(iii) had attained the age of five on 31st December 1978 but had not attained the age of 16 on 31st August 1978, and at the beginning of the spring term 1979 were registered as pupils (not being pupils to whom sub-paragraph 1(*a*)(ii) applies) at independent schools and in respect of whom the tuition fees were paid in full by the authority; or

(iv) had attained the age of five on 31st December 1978 but had not attained the age of 16 on 31st August 1978, and at the beginning of the spring term 1979 were registered as pupils at schools approved by the Secretary of State as special schools under section 9(5) of the Education Act 1944 (being schools which were not maintained by any authority) and in respect of whom the tuition fees were paid in full by the authority; or

(v) on 31st August 1978 had attained the age of 11, but not the age of 16, and during January 1979 received education in pursuance of arrangements made by the authority under section 56 of the Education Act 1944;

(**a**) 1944 c. 31.

(*c*) the number of secondary or special school pupils 16 years of age or over living in the area of a local authority shall be the aggregate number of pupils who—

(i) on 31st August 1978 had attained the age of 16, and at the beginning of the spring term 1979 were registered as pupils at county or voluntary schools maintained by the authority; or

(ii) on 31st August 1978 had attained the age of 16, and at the beginning of the spring term 1979 were registered as pupils at independent schools and in respect of whom the tuition fees were paid in full by the authority; or

(iii) on 31st August 1978 had attained the age of 16 and at the beginning of the spring term 1979 were registered as pupils at schools approved by the Secretary of State as special schools under section 9(5) of the Education Act 1944 (being schools which were not maintained by any authority) and in respect of whom the tuition fees were paid in full by the authority; or

(iv) on 31st December 1978 had attained the age of 16 and during January 1979 received education in pursuance of arrangements made by the authority under section 56 of the Education Act 1944;

(*d*) the number of pupils under 16 years of age and the number of pupils 16 years of age or over who are attending direct grant grammar schools at the expense of a local authority shall be respectively the aggregate number of pupils who on 31st August 1978 had not attained the age of 16 or had attained that age, as the case may be, and in either case were at the beginning of the spring term 1979 registered as pupils at schools recognised as grammar schools for the purposes of regulation 4 of the Direct Grant Schools Regulations 1959(**a**) and in respect of whom the full tuition fees were paid by the authority;

(*e*) the number of further education students, full time or full time equivalent, living in the area of a local authority shall be the aggregate number of persons who on 1st November 1977 were attending courses of further education at establishments which at that date were providing full time education pursuant to a scheme of further education made under section 42 of the Education Act 1944 and which were maintained or assisted by the authority, except persons attending—

(i) courses provided in the evening only that are not for any of the qualifications specified in Schedule 1 to these regulations; or

(ii) any courses for the training of teachers; or

(iii) any courses to which paragraph (*a*), (*b*) or (*d*) of Schedule 1 to the Further Education Regulations 1975(**b**) applies.

(2) (*a*) The numbers referred to in paragraph 1 above (except sub-paragraph (*e*) thereof) shall be estimated and certified to the Secretary of State for rate support grant purposes—

(i) in respect of pupils living in the area of a local authority in England by the Secretary of State for Education and Science; and

(ii) in respect of pupils living in the area of a local authority in Wales, by the Secretary of State for Wales;

(**a**) S.I. 1959/1832. (**b**) S.I. 1975/1054.

(*b*) the numbers referred to in sub-paragraph 1(*e*) above shall be estimated and so certified by the Secretary of State for Education and Science.

(3) For the purpose of paragraph (1) above any pupil or student who lived in the area of one authority and was registered as a pupil at a school or was attending a course at an establishment of further education maintained or assisted by another authority shall be treated as if the school or further education establishment were maintained or assisted by the authority for the first mentioned area and not by the other authority.

(4) For the purposes of estimating the number of students full time or full time equivalent under sub-paragraph (1)(*e*) above the numbers of day students attending other than full time and students attending only in the evening shall be taken as 20 per cent. and 10 per cent. respectively of the numbers of such students.

(5) In this regulation references to the authority are references to the local education authority for the area of a local authority.

Number of unemployed persons

12. For the purposes of Schedule 1 to the Order, the number of persons unemployed and registered for employment in the area of a non-metropolitan county, metropolitan district or the Isles of Scilly shall be the number of such persons in respect of October 1978 estimated by the Secretary of State on the basis of information supplied to him by the Secretary of State for Employment and the Registrar General.

Cost of labour

13. For the purposes of Schedule 1 to the Order, the labour cost differential shall be the amount by which the average weekly cost of a composite unit of labour in the area of a local authority exceeds the weekly cost of a composite unit of labour generally prevailing in the areas of local authorities in England and Wales outside Greater London other than those authorities in relation to which the labour cost differential factor applies, and shall be estimated by the Secretary of State in relation to units of labour not engaged in teaching on the basis of the results of the 1977 and 1978 New Earnings Surveys undertaken by the Department of Employment, and, in relation to units of labour engaged in teaching, on the basis of information supplied by the Secretary of State for Education and Science.

Rateable values

14.—(1) Subject to the provisions of this regulation, for the purposes of paragraph 9(2) of Part III of Schedule 2 to the Act (which provides for the determination of effective rateable value in relation to any hereditament in the area of a local authority in order to arrive at a rateable value per head of population of the area, in connection with entitlement to resources element), effective rateable value shall be the rateable value ascribed to a hereditament in the valuation list on 1st April 1979.

(2) The reference in the preceding paragraph to a hereditament includes a reference to a notional hereditament which a body is treated as occupying by virtue of any enactment.

(3) Effective rateable value of a hereditament falling within section 40(1) of the General Rate Act 1967 (relief for charitable and other organisations) shall

be one half of the rateable value ascribed to the hereditament in the valuation list on 1st April 1979.

(4) For the purposes of paragraph 11(1)(*b*) of Part III of Schedule 2 to the Act (which provides for the recalculation of the resources element payable to a local authority following a reduction in the rateable value of hereditaments in their area if that reduction exceeds a specified percentage) the specified percentage shall be $2\frac{1}{2}$ per cent.

Determination of proportions of needs element to be paid to district councils within non-metropolitan counties

15.—(1) If, in the case of a non-metropolitan county, the expenditure of the county council is less than 95 per cent. of the total local authority expenditure in the county area for the year beginning 1st April 1979, that part specified in column 1 of Schedule 2 to these regulations, in relation to each non-metropolitan county, of the needs element which, apart from this regulation, would be payable to the county council, shall instead be payable to the councils of the districts in that area in the proportions set out in column 2 of that Schedule.

(2) For the purpose of this regulation the amount of any expenditure shall be estimated by the Secretary of State.

Distribution of the domestic element

16.—(1) The amount of the domestic element payable to a local authority for the year shall be determined by multiplying the amount of the domestic element fixed by article 3(1) of the Order by $\frac{a}{A}$, where—

a is the domestic rateable value of the area of the local authority for the year multiplied by the amount of the reduction prescribed in relation to that area by article 3(5) of the Order, and

A is the aggregate of the amounts calculated as for a in respect of each local authority in England and Wales entitled to receive domestic element in the year.

(2) For the purposes of this regulation the domestic rateable value of the area of a local authority shall be the amount divided by two, of the aggregate of the rateable values of dwellinghouses in the area shown in the valuation list on 1st April 1980 and of those shown on 31st March 1981 as certified by the valuation officer.

(3) No payment in respect of the domestic element shall be made to the Sub-Treasurer of the Inner Temple or the Under Treasurer of the Middle Temple if no rate in the nature of a general rate is levied in the Temple in question during the year.

Apportionment of rate reductions in the City of London by reference to the domestic element

17.—(1) Section 48 of the General Rate Act 1967 and paragraph 5 of Schedule 2 to the Act (which provide for the reduction of rates on dwellings by reference to the domestic element) shall, in their application to the City of London, have effect subject to the provisions of this regulation.

(2) Reductions of rates under the said provisions shall be apportioned between the poor rate and the general rate in the relevant proportions (taken to the nearest whole penny).

(3) Payments in respect of the domestic element shall be treated as being, in the relevant proportions, the proceeds of the poor rate and the general rate.

(4) In this regulation "the relevant proportions" means the proportions which, for the year, the number of pence in the pound of the poor rate and the general rate bear respectively to the aggregate of the number of pence in the pound of both of the said rates.

SCHEDULE 1 *Regulation 11*

QUALIFICATIONS REFERRED TO IN SUB-PARAGRAPH (1)(*e*)(i)

University certificates and diplomas.
National certificates and diplomas.
Diplomas and certificates of the Technician and Business Education Councils.
Membership of professional institutions.
City and Guilds certificates.
The Certificate in Office Studies.
College qualifications.
Certificate of Secondary Education.
General Certificate of Education.
Certificate of Further Education.
Certificates of regional examining unions (except shorthand and typing courses).

SCHEDULE 2 *Regulation 15*

PAYMENT OF NEEDS ELEMENT TO THE COUNCILS OF NON-METROPOLITAN DISTRICTS

Column 1		*Column 2*	
Proportion of needs element otherwise payable to council of non-metropolitan county payable instead to the councils of the districts in that county		*Proportion of needs element otherwise payable to each non-metropolitan county payable instead to the council of each district in that county*	
England			
Avon	0.13580	Bath	0.01412
		Bristol	0.06804
		Kingswood	0.00916
		Northavon	0.01289
		Wansdyke	0.00937
		Woodspring	0.02222
Bedfordshire	0.11787	Luton	0.04298
		Mid Bedfordshire	0.01810
		North Bedfordshire	0.03137
		South Bedfordshire	0.02542
Berkshire	0.14793	Bracknell	0.01705
		Newbury	0.01988
		Reading	0.03677
		Slough	0.03045
		Windsor and Maidenhead	0.02541
		Wokingham	0.01837
Buckinghamshire	0.11497	Aylesbury Vale	0.02084
		Chiltern	0.01473
		Milton Keynes	0.03068
		South Bucks	0.01602
		Wycombe	0.03270
Cambridgeshire	0.11793	Cambridge	0.02335
		East Cambridgeshire	0.01029
		Fenland	0.01461
		Huntingdon	0.02262
		Peterborough	0.03130
		South Cambridgeshire	0.01576

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Cheshire	0.13610	Chester	0.01894
		Congleton	0.00927
		Crewe and Nantwich	0.01577
		Ellesmere Port and Neston	0.01260
		Halton	0.01752
		Macclesfield	0.01660
		Vale Royal	0.02068
		Warrington	0.02472
Cleveland	0.14672	Hartlepool	0.01848
		Langbaurgh	0.03877
		Middlesbrough	0.04715
		Stockton-on-Tees	0.04232
Cornwall	0.14452	Caradon	0.01686
		Carrick	0.02973
		Kerrier	0.02618
		North Cornwall	0.02390
		Penwith	0.02283
		Restormel	0.02502
Cumbria	0.14172	Allerdale	0.02745
		Barrow-in-Furness	0.02623
		Carlisle	0.02757
		Copeland	0.02544
		Eden	0.00956
		South Lakeland	0.02547
Derbyshire	0.13111	Amber Valley	0.01384
		Bolsover	0.00991
		Chesterfield	0.01838
		Derby	0.03103
		Erewash	0.01456
		High Peak	0.01187
		North East Derbyshire	0.01586
		South Derbyshire	0.00713
		West Derbyshire	0.00853
Devon	0.13533	East Devon	0.01503
		Exeter	0.01601
		Mid Devon	0.00702
		North Devon	0.01221
		Plymouth	0.03377
		South Hams	0.00907
		Teignbridge	0.01544
		Torbay	0.01588
		Torridge	0.00639
		West Devon	0.00451

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Dorset	0.13005	Bournemouth	0.03950
		Christchurch	0.00809
		North Dorset	0.00800
		Poole	0.02686
		Purbeck	0.00726
		West Dorset	0.01473
		Weymouth and Portland	0.01396
		Wimborne	0.01165
Durham	0.16274	Chester-le-Street	0.01399
		Darlington	0.02663
		Derwentside	0.02266
		Durham	0.02443
		Easington	0.02404
		Sedgefield	0.02621
		Teesdale	0.00487
		Wear Valley	0.01991
East Sussex	0.17115	Brighton	0.04850
		Eastbourne	0.02271
		Hastings	0.01916
		Hove	0.02223
		Lewes	0.01797
		Rother	0.01790
		Wealden	0.02268
Essex	0.13851	Basildon	0.01758
		Braintree	0.00795
		Brentwood	0.00559
		Castle Point	0.00806
		Chelmsford	0.01019
		Colchester	0.01059
		Epping Forest	0.01015
		Harlow	0.01127
		Maldon	0.00382
		Rochford	0.00531
		Southend-on-Sea	0.01829
		Tendring	0.01058
		Thurrock	0.01475
		Uttlesford	0.00438
Gloucestershire	0.12100	Cheltenham	0.02387
		Cotswold	0.01276
		Forest of Dean	0.01511
		Gloucester	0.02686
		Stroud	0.01812
		Tewkesbury	0.02428

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Hampshire	0.14231	Basingstoke and Deane	0.01139
		East Hampshire	0.00691
		Eastleigh	0.00686
		Fareham	0.00702
		Gosport	0.00663
		Hart	0.00551
		Havant	0.00954
		New Forest	0.01198
		Portsmouth	0.02534
		Rushmoor	0.00825
		Southampton	0.02881
		Test Valley	0.00708
		Winchester	0.00699
Hereford and Worcester	0.12750	Bromsgrove	0.01444
		Hereford	0.00944
		Leominster	0.00578
		Malvern Hills	0.01451
		Redditch	0.01271
		South Herefordshire	0.00750
		Worcester	0.01559
		Wychavon	0.02114
		Wyre Forest	0.02639
Hertfordshire	0.14400	Broxbourne	0.01100
		Dacorum	0.01890
		East Hertfordshire	0.01207
		Hertsmere	0.01580
		North Hertfordshire	0.01278
		St. Albans	0.01474
		Stevenage	0.01488
		Three Rivers	0.01263
		Watford	0.01671
		Welwyn Hatfield	0.01449
Humberside	0.12801	Beverley	0.01223
		Boothferry	0.00785
		Cleethorpes	0.01045
		Glanford	0.00904
		Great Grimsby	0.01499
		Holderness	0.00586
		Kingston upon Hull	0.04301
		North Wolds	0.01130
		Scunthorpe	0.01328
Isle of Wight	0.13796	Medina	0.06489
		South Wight	0.07307

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Kent	0.14702	Ashford	0.00768
		Canterbury	0.01231
		Dartford	0.00929
		Dover	0.01081
		Gillingham	0.00702
		Gravesham	0.00910
		Maidstone	0.01234
		Medway	0.01447
		Sevenoaks	0.01166
		Shepway	0.00946
		Swale	0.01097
		Thanet	0.01351
		Tonbridge and Malling	0.00913
		Tunbridge Wells	0.00927
Lancashire	0.15840	Blackburn	0.02127
		Blackpool	0.01641
		Burnley	0.01172
		Chorley	0.00746
		Fylde	0.00668
		Hyndburn	0.00961
		Lancaster	0.01444
		Pendle	0.00986
		Preston	0.01631
		Ribble Valley	0.00505
		Rossendale	0.00852
		South Ribble	0.00910
		West Lancashire	0.01237
		Wyre	0.00960
Leicestershire	0.11338	Blaby	0.00877
		Charnwood	0.01608
		Harborough	0.00681
		Hinckley and Bosworth	0.01008
		Leicester	0.04888
		Melton	0.00446
		North West Leicestershire	0.00951
		Oadby and Wigston	0.00541
		Rutland	0.00338
Lincolnshire	0.12247	Boston	0.01183
		East Lindsey	0.02256
		Lincoln	0.02481
		North Kesteven	0.01336
		South Holland	0.01598
		South Kesteven	0.02013
		West Lindsey	0.01380

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Norfolk	0.13672	Breckland	0.01661
		Broadland	0.01425
		Great Yarmouth	0.02019
		North Norfolk	0.01572
		Norwich	0.03229
		South Norfolk	0.01432
		West Norfolk	0.02334
Northamptonshire	0.12206	Corby	0.01525
		Daventry	0.01074
		East Northamptonshire	0.01192
		Kettering	0.01701
		Northampton	0.04253
		South Northamptonshire	0.01106
		Wellingborough	0.01355
Northumberland	0.14408	Alnwick	0.01262
		Berwick-upon-Tweed	0.01012
		Blyth Valley	0.03930
		Castle Morpeth	0.01779
		Tynedale	0.02384
		Wansbeck	0.04041
North Yorkshire	0.12725	Craven	0.00886
		Hambleton	0.01115
		Harrogate	0.02211
		Richmondshire	0.00906
		Ryedale	0.01172
		Scarborough	0.02939
		Selby	0.01637
		York	0.01859
Nottinghamshire	0.13269	Ashfield	0.01242
		Bassetlaw	0.01281
		Broxtowe	0.01155
		Gedling	0.01048
		Mansfield	0.01488
		Newark	0.01082
		Nottingham	0.05021
		Rushcliffe	0.00952
Oxfordshire	0.11515	Cherwell	0.01716
		Oxford	0.03121
		South Oxfordshire	0.02714
		Vale of White Horse	0.02423
		West Oxfordshire	0.01541

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Salop	0.13379	Bridgnorth	0.01308
		North Shropshire	0.01588
		Oswestry	0.01092
		Shrewsbury and Atcham	0.03005
		South Shropshire	0.01182
		The Wrekin	0.05204
Somerset	0.12226	Mendip	0.01925
		Sedgemoor	0.03665
		Taunton Deane	0.02759
		West Somerset	0.00761
		Yeovil	0.03116
Staffordshire	0.11697	Cannock Chase	0.00967
		East Staffordshire	0.01071
		Lichfield	0.00877
		Newcastle-under-Lyme	0.01547
		South Staffordshire	0.00865
		Stafford	0.01005
		Staffordshire Moorlands	0.00838
		Stoke-on-Trent	0.03444
		Tamworth	0.01083
Suffolk	0.13944	Babergh	0.01267
		Forest Heath	0.01211
		Ipswich	0.03394
		Mid Suffolk	0.01349
		St. Edmundsbury	0.01827
		Suffolk Coastal	0.02207
		Waveney	0.02689
Surrey	0.13405	Elmbridge	0.01802
		Epsom and Ewell	0.01010
		Guildford	0.01590
		Mole Valley	0.01165
		Reigate and Banstead	0.01373
		Runnymede	0.00755
		Spelthorne	0.01209
		Surrey Heath	0.00899
		Tandridge	0.00797
		Waverley	0.01560
		Woking	0.01245
Warwickshire	0.13019	North Warwickshire	0.01320
		Nuneaton	0.04273
		Rugby	0.02730
		Stratford-on-Avon	0.02055
		Warwick	0.02641

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West Sussex	0.15202	Adur	0.01416
		Arun	0.02996
		Chichester	0.02025
		Crawley	0.02356
		Horsham	0.01713
		Mid Sussex	0.02005
		Worthing	0.02691
Wiltshire	0.12742	Kennet	0.01501
		North Wiltshire	0.02188
		Salisbury	0.02218
		Thamesdown	0.05023
		West Wiltshire	0.01812
Wales			
Clwyd	0.16671	Alyn and Deeside	0.02333
		Colwyn	0.02216
		Delyn	0.03973
		Glyndŵr	0.01331
		Rhuddlan	0.02365
		Wrexham Maelor	0.04453
Dyfed	0.15824	Carmarthen	0.02676
		Ceredigion	0.02867
		Dinefwr	0.01329
		Llanelli	0.04331
		Preseli	0.02440
		South Pembrokeshire	0.02181
Gwent	0.17505	Blaenau Gwent	0.03871
		Islwyn	0.02592
		Monmouth	0.02119
		Newport	0.05082
		Torfaen	0.03841
Gwynedd	0.16826	Aberconwy	0.04603
		Arfon	0.03789
		Dwyfor	0.01433
		Meirionnydd	0.02241
		Ynys Môn—Isle of Anglesey	0.04760
Mid Glamorgan	0.19457	Cynon Valley	0.02700
		Merthyr Tydfil	0.03322
		Ogwr	0.03470
		Rhondda	0.03155
		Rhymney Valley	0.04302
		Taff-Ely	0.02508
Powys	0.11899	Brecknock	0.04575
		Montgomery	0.05395
		Radnor	0.01929

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South Glamorgan	0.15762	Cardiff	0.11718
		Vale of Glamorgan	0.04044
West Glamorgan	0.20320	Afan	0.04099
		Lliw Valley	0.02675
		Neath	0.02692
		Swansea	0.10854

Michael R. D. Heseltine,
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22nd November 1979.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Regulations.)

These Regulations provide for carrying into effect the provisions of the Local Government Act 1974 with respect to the payment of rate support grants to local authorities for the year 1980–81. Rate support grants comprise three elements—namely, the needs element, the resources element and the domestic element. The actual amounts payable in respect of each of these elements are fixed by the Rate Support Grant Order 1979, but the method of making various calculations is left over to these Regulations.

In particular, the Regulations—

(*a*) determine how certain numbers relating to population referred to in the Rate Support Grant Order are to be ascertained;

(*b*) determine how other factors referred to in the order are to be calculated;

(*c*) provide for determination of effective rateable values for purposes of arriving at rateable value per head of population in any area;

(*d*) provide for submission by local authorities to the Secretary of State of information required by him in connection with certain rate support grant calculations;

(*e*) provide for estimates and conclusive calculation of the amounts of the constituent elements of rate support grants and for the adjustment of excess payments;

(*f*) provide how the domestic element is to be distributed;

(*g*) provide for the determination of the proportions of needs element to be paid to district councils within non-metropolitan counties.

The Regulations also make special provision with regard to the City of London so that payment of the domestic element can take account of its special rating circumstances.

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