STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1975 No. 779 (S. 127)

RATING AND VALUATION

The Rating (Charitable And Other Organisations) (Scotland) Order 1975

Made - - - -	5*th May* 1975
Laid before Parliament	12*th May* 1975
Coming into Operation	16*th May* 1975

In exercise of the powers conferred on me by section 215(1) of the Local Government (Scotland) Act 1973**(a)** and of all other powers enabling me in that behalf, I hereby make the following order:—

1. This order may be cited as the Rating (Charitable and Other Organisations) (Scotland) Order 1975 and shall come into operation on 16th May 1975.

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

(2) In this order "the Act" means the Local Government (Scotland) Act 1973.

3. Any reduction or remission of payment of rates effected under section 4(5) of the Local Government (Financial Provisions etc.) (Scotland) Act 1962**(c)** by a council abolished by section 1 of the Act which apart from the provisions of the said Act of 1962 and this order would fall to be granted for any year subsequent to the year 1975-76 is excluded from applying beyond 31st March 1976 without prejudice to the right of a rating authority within the meaning of section 109(1) of the Act to grant or renew any such reduction or remission.

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

St Andrew's House,
Edinburgh.

5th May 1975.

(a) 1973 c. 65. (b) 1889 c. 63. (c) 1962 c. 9.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

This Order terminates, from 31st March 1976, any remission of payment of rates by charitable and other organisations effected under section 4(5) of the Local Government (Financial Provisions etc.) (Scotland) Act 1962 by rating authorities which cease to exist on 16th May 1975, though without prejudice to the right of the successor authorities to grant or renew such remission.

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