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SCOTTISH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2019 No. 90**

**LOCAL GOVERNMENT**

**The Local Government Finance (Scotland) Order 2019**

*Made* - - - - *12th March 2019*

*Coming into force* - - *13th March 2019*

The Scottish Ministers make the following Order in exercise of the powers conferred by paragraphs 1 and 9(4) of schedule 12 of the Local Government Finance Act 1992(1) and all other powers enabling them to do so.

In accordance with paragraph 2(2) of that schedule, they have consulted with such associations of local authorities as appear to them to be appropriate.

In accordance with paragraph 2(3) of that schedule(2), a draft of this Order has been laid before, and approved by resolution of, the Scottish Parliament.

**Citation and commencement**

1. This Order may be cited as the Local Government Finance (Scotland) Order 2019 and comes into force on the day after the day on which it is made.

**Revenue support grant for 2019-2020**

2.—(1) The local authorities to which revenue support grant is payable in respect of the financial year 2019-2020 are specified in column 1 of schedule 1.

(2) The amount of the revenue support grant payable to each local authority specified in column 1 of schedule 1 in respect of the financial year 2019-2020 is the amount determined in relation to that local authority set out in column 2 of that schedule opposite the name of that local authority.

**Distribution of non-domestic rate income for 2019-2020**

3.—(1) The distributable amount of non-domestic rate income arrived at under paragraph 9 of schedule 12 of the Local Government Finance Act 1992 in respect of the financial year 2019-2020 is £2,853,000,000.

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(1) 1992 c.14. The functions of the Secretary of State were transferred to the Scottish Ministers by virtue of section 53 of the Scotland Act 1998 (c.46). The requirement to obtain Treasury consent was removed by section 55 of that Act.  
(2) Paragraph 2(3) has been modified by paragraph 6 of schedule 3 of the Interpretation and Legislative Reform (Scotland) Act 2010 (asp 10).

(2) The local authorities among whom the distributable amount of non-domestic rate income is distributed in respect of the financial year 2019-2020 are specified in column 1 of schedule 1.

(3) The amount of non-domestic rate income distributed to each local authority specified in column 1 of schedule 1 in respect of the financial year 2019-2020 is that part of the distributable amount for that year determined in relation to that local authority set out in column 3 of that schedule opposite the name of that local authority.

#### **Revenue support grant for 2018-2019**

4.—(1) The local authorities to which revenue support grant is payable in respect of the financial year 2018-2019 are specified in column 1 of schedule 2.

(2) The amount of the revenue support grant payable to each local authority specified in column 1 of schedule 2 in respect of the financial year 2018-2019 is the amount redetermined in relation to that local authority set out in column 2 of that schedule opposite the name of that local authority.

#### **Revocations**

5. Article 2 and column 2 of schedule 1 of the Local Government Finance (Scotland) Order 2018(3) (which previously determined the amount of revenue support grant payable to each local authority in respect of the financial year 2018-2019) are revoked.

St Andrew's House,  
Edinburgh  
12th March 2019

*KATE FORBES*  
Authorised to sign by the Scottish Ministers

## SCHEDULE 1

Articles 2 and 3

REVENUE SUPPORT GRANT AND DISTRIBUTION  
OF NON-DOMESTIC RATE INCOME 2019-2020

<i>Column 1</i> <i>Local Authority</i>	<i>Column 2</i> <i>Amount of revenue</i> <i>support grant</i> <i>£m</i>	<i>Column 3</i> <i>Amount of non-</i> <i>domestic rate income</i> <i>£m</i>
Aberdeen City	61.897	258.560
Aberdeenshire	283.270	123.812
Angus	171.115	27.468
Argyll & Bute	155.159	35.634
Clackmannanshire	74.726	17.315
Dumfries & Galloway	227.196	51.150
Dundee City	221.942	64.307
East Ayrshire	195.112	27.360
East Dunbartonshire	158.282	22.669
East Lothian	142.565	25.550
East Renfrewshire	159.190	15.377
Edinburgh (City of)	338.837	365.250
Eilean Siar	84.626	8.482
Falkirk	201.354	69.739
Fife	459.377	165.717
Glasgow City	846.295	356.234
Highland	292.031	143.240
Inverclyde	140.225	19.834
Midlothian	123.164	31.615
Moray	111.351	43.563
North Ayrshire	224.928	41.124
North Lanarkshire	488.752	107.252
Orkney Islands	57.704	10.459
Perth & Kinross	186.872	56.590
Renfrewshire	197.528	104.417
Scottish Borders	164.755	36.624
Shetland Islands	53.526	25.925
South Ayrshire	153.775	42.462

**Status:** This is the original version (as it was originally made).

<i>Column 1</i> <i>Local Authority</i>	<i>Column 2</i> <i>Amount of revenue support grant</i> <i>£m</i>	<i>Column 3</i> <i>Amount of non-domestic rate income</i> <i>£m</i>
South Lanarkshire	203.729	341.166
Stirling	118.992	44.042
West Dunbartonshire	97.596	84.736
West Lothian	223.849	85.327
<i>Scotland Total</i>	<i>6,619.720</i>	<i>2,853.000</i>

## SCHEDULE 2

Article 4

## REVENUE SUPPORT GRANT 2018-2019

<i>Column 1</i> <i>Local Authority</i>	<i>Column 2</i> <i>Amount of revenue support grant</i> <i>£m</i>
Aberdeen City	94.028
Aberdeenshire	299.374
Angus	171.984
Argyll & Bute	159.109
Clackmannanshire	77.472
Dumfries & Galloway	235.765
Dundee City	234.782
East Ayrshire	195.124
East Dunbartonshire	161.480
East Lothian	145.184
East Renfrewshire	162.680
Edinburgh (City of)	363.102
Eilean Siar	86.515
Falkirk	207.094
Fife	467.622
Glasgow City	869.967
Highland	310.402
Inverclyde	142.616
Midlothian	126.301
Moray	115.398

<i>Column 1</i> <i>Local Authority</i>	<i>Column 2</i> <i>Amount of revenue support grant</i> <i>£m</i>
North Ayrshire	227.824
North Lanarkshire	496.237
Orkney Islands	59.296
Perth & Kinross	191.654
Renfrewshire	183.015
Scottish Borders	169.350
Shetland Islands	56.663
South Ayrshire	158.702
South Lanarkshire	251.381
Stirling	121.626
West Dunbartonshire	104.549
West Lothian	228.501
<i>Scotland Total</i>	<i>6,874.797</i>

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### **EXPLANATORY NOTE**

*(This note is not part of the Order)*

This Order—

- (a) determines the amount of the revenue support grant payable to each local authority in Scotland in respect of the financial year 2019-2020 (article 2 and schedule 1),
- (b) determines the amount of non-domestic rate income to be distributed to each local authority in respect of that year (article 3 and schedule 1),
- (c) redetermines the amount of the revenue support grant payable to each local authority in respect of the financial year 2018-2019 (article 4 and schedule 2), and
- (d) makes consequential revocations in the Local Government Finance (Scotland) Order 2018 (article 5).