

1982 No. 369

HOUSING

**Housing (Intermediate and Repairs Grants) (Amendment) Order
(Northern Ireland) 1982***Made* 9th November 1982*Coming into operation* 31st December 1982*To be laid before Parliament under paragraph 3(3) of Schedule 1
to the Northern Ireland Act 1974.*

The Department of the Environment, in exercise of the powers conferred upon it by Articles 65(2) and 68(4) of the Housing (Northern Ireland) Order 1981(a) and of every other power enabling it in that behalf, with the consent of the Department of Finance and Personnel(b), hereby makes the following Order:—

Citation and commencement

1. This Order may be cited as the Housing (Intermediate and Repairs Grants) (Amendment) Order (Northern Ireland) 1982 and shall come into operation on 31st December 1982.

Amendment

2. In Article 2 of the Housing (Intermediate and Repairs Grants) Order (Northern Ireland) 1982(c) (which increases, in relation to certain intermediate and repairs grants, the appropriate percentage specified in Article 68(1) of the Housing (Northern Ireland) Order 1981) for the date "31st December 1982" there shall be substituted the date "31st March 1984".

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of the Environment for Northern Ireland on 9th November 1982.

(L.S.)

F. R. Rodgers

Assistant Secretary

The Department of Finance and Personnel for Northern Ireland hereby consents to the foregoing Order.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of Finance and Personnel for Northern Ireland on 9th November 1982.

(L.S.)

J. M. Dowdall

Assistant Secretary

(a) S.I. 1981/156 (N.I. 3)

(b) Formerly Department of Finance: *see* S.I. 1982/338 (N.I. 6) Art. 3

(c) S.R. 1982 No. 83

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Order.)

Article 68(1) of the Housing (Northern Ireland) Order 1981 provides that the appropriate percentage for the purposes of determining the amount, or the maximum amount, of grants is 75% of the cost (subject to an upper limit) of the works eligible for grant aid.

Article 2 of the Housing (Intermediate and Repairs Grants) Order (Northern Ireland) 1982 increases to 90% the appropriate percentage in respect of intermediate and repairs grant where applications for such grants are made on or before 31st December 1982.

This Order extends the period for which the increase in the appropriate percentage is to have effect by substituting 31st March 1984 as the date on or before which application may be made.