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HOUSING

Housing Defects (Reinstatement Grant) (Amendment of Conditions for Assistance) Order (Northern Ireland) 1988

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 on it by Article 6(6) of the Housing (Northern Ireland) Order 1986(a) and of every other power enabling it in that behalf, hereby makes the following Order:—

Citation and commencement

1. This Order may be cited as the Housing Defects (Reinstatement Grant) (Amendment of Conditions for Assistance) Order (Northern Ireland) 1988, and shall come into operation on 8th November 1988.

Amendment of conditions

2. In Article 6(4) (conditions for assistance by way of reinstatement grant) of the Housing (Northern Ireland) Order 1986 sub-paragraph (d) shall be omitted.

Sealed with the Official Seal of the Department of the Environment on 13th September 1988.

(L.S.)

F. R. Rodgers

Assistant Secretary

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EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Order.)

Under Part II of the Housing (Northern Ireland) Order 1986 ("the Order") the owner of a defective dwelling (as described in Article 4(2) of the Order) can, if the appropriate conditions are satisfied, require the Executive either to provide assistance by way of a grant towards the reinstatement of the dwelling or to repurchase it. The conditions for determining whether assistance takes the form of a reinstatement grant or repurchase at 95% defect-free value, are set out in Article 6 of the Order. One of those conditions (Article 6(4)(d)) is that if the amount of the grant is likely to exceed the total amount payable on repurchase.

This Order provides for that condition to be omitted. By virtue of Article 6(6) of the Order, applications for assistance made before this Order comes into operation are not affected.

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Roads (Temporary Speed Limit) (Motorway M12) Order (Northern Ireland) 1988

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