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POLICE

The Police Grant (Variation) (Scotland) Order 2007

Made	23rd January 2007
Laid before the Scottish Parliament	26th January 2007
Coming into force	9th March 2007

The Scottish Ministers, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 32(3) and (5) of the Police (Scotland) Act $1967(\mathbf{a})$ and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, hereby make the following Order:

Citation and commencement

1. This Order may be cited as the Police Grant (Variation) (Scotland) Order 2007 and shall come into force on 9th March 2007, but article 2 shall have effect from 1st April 2006.

Variation of Police Grant (Scotland) Order 2006

2. The Police Grant (Scotland) Order 2006(b) is amended as follows-

- (a) in article 2 (aggregate amount of grants for financial year 2006-2007), "540,345,960" is substituted for "540,679,000"; and
- (b) in article 3 (amount of grant to an authority for financial year 2006-2007), the following table is substituted for the table contained therein-

(1)	(2)
Authority	Amount of Grant
Central Scotland Joint Police Board	£25,063,318
Dumfries and Galloway Council	£14,857,307
Fife Council	£30,588,800
Grampian Joint Police Board	£48,822,223
Lothian and Borders Joint Police Board	£95,114,668

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⁽a) 1967 c.77; section 32 was substituted by the Crime and Punishment (Scotland) Act 1997 (c.48), section 45(1) and amended by the Scotland Act 1998 (Consequential Modifications) (No. 2) Order 1999 (S.I. 1999/1820), Schedule 2, paragraph 41(2). The functions of the Secretary of State were transferred to the Scotlish Ministers by virtue of section 53 of the Scotland Act 1998 (c.46).

⁽b) S.S.I. 2006/91.

(1)	(2)	
Authority	Amount of Grant	
Northern Joint Police Board	£27,007,070	
Strathclyde Joint Police Board	£257,486,709	
Tayside Joint Police Board	£41,405,865	

CATHY JAMIESON A member of the Scottish Executive

St Andrew's House, Edinburgh 23rd January 2007

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Order)

This Order varies the Police Grant (Scotland) Order 2006 for the financial year 2006/07 to state the actual aggregate police grant and the amounts of police grant paid to each police authority and joint police board in respect of that financial year, as redetermined on the basis of audited accounts.

A redetermination of the police grant is carried out because the police grant as stated in the Police Grant (Scotland) Order 2006 was based on estimated budget figures. Upon receipt of audited accounts, the Scottish Ministers have substituted audited figures into the formula used to calculate the police grant and the amount of police grant has been redetermined accordingly.

A report on the considerations taken into account by the Scottish Ministers in making the redetermination has been prepared and laid before the Scottish Parliament in accordance with section 32(6) and (9) of the Police (Scotland) Act 1967.

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