

2011 No. 304

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

**The Local Government (Allowances and Expenses) (Scotland)
Amendment Regulations 2011**

Made - - - - - *9th August 2011*

Laid before the Scottish Parliament *11th August 2011*

Coming into force - - - *14th November 2011*

The Scottish Ministers make the following Regulations in exercise of the powers conferred by section 50 of the Local Government (Scotland) Act 1973(a), sections 11 and 16 of the Local Governance (Scotland) Act 2004(b) and all other powers enabling them to do so.

In accordance with section 11(4) of the Local Governance (Scotland) Act 2004 the Scottish Ministers have considered the information, advice and recommendations given to them by the Scottish Local Authorities Remuneration Committee.

Citation and commencement

1. These Regulations may be cited as the Local Government (Allowances and Expenses) (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 2011 and come into force on 14th November 2011.

Amendment of the Local Government (Allowances and Expenses) (Scotland) Regulations 2007

2.—(1) The Local Government (Allowances and Expenses) (Scotland) Regulations 2007(c) are amended as follows.

(2) In regulation 5(4)(a) for “40 pence per mile” substitute “45 pence per mile”.

(3) For the claim form for allowances and expenses in Schedule 3 substitute the claim form set out in the Schedule to these Regulations.

(a) 1973 c.65. The functions of the Secretary of State in section 50 were transferred to the Scottish Ministers by virtue of section 53 of the Scotland Act 1998 (c.46).

(b) 2004 asp 9.

(c) S.S.I. 2007/108; amended by S.S.I. 2008/414 and 2010/45 and 111.

Saving

3. In respect of travel undertaken prior to the date on which these Regulations come into force regulation 5(4)(a) of the Local Government (Allowances and Expenses) (Scotland) Regulations 2007 continues to have effect as if the amendment made by regulation 2(2) of these Regulations had not been made.

St Andrew's House,
Edinburgh
9th August 2011

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SCHEDULE

Regulation 2(3)

“CLAIM FORM FOR ALLOWANCES AND EXPENSES

Journey Details		Detailed Description of Approved Duty	Expense Items or Details of Journey	Car and Van Mileage	Boat Mileage	Motor-cycle Mileage	Bicycle Mileage	Passenger Mileage ⁽¹⁾	Subsistence	Accommodation Details	Other Travel etc.	Other Expenses
Depart Time and Date	Arrival Time and Date											
			Sub Total									
			Rate	£0.45	£2.00	£0.24	£0.20					
			Cash value of mileage claim	£	£	£	£					

⁽¹⁾ Passenger mileage is £0.05 for car, van and motorcycle passengers and £0.25 for boat passengers.”

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This note is not part of the Regulations)

These Regulations amend regulation 5 of, and Schedule 3 to, the Local Government (Allowances and Expenses) (Scotland) Regulations 2007.

Regulation 2 increases the mileage allowance for travel by car or van by a member of a local authority from 40 to 45 pence per mile and modifies the claim form accordingly. Regulation 3 provides that the new rate shall not apply to travel undertaken before these Regulations come into force.

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