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HOUSING, ENGLAND AND WALES

The Housing Finance (Rent Allowance Subsidy)
Order 1979

Made - - - - - 6th March 1979

Laid before Parliament 9th March 1979

Coming into Operation 31st March 1979

The Secretary of State for the Environment as respects England and the Secretary of State for Wales as respects Wales, in exercise of the powers conferred on them by section 8(4) of the Housing Finance Act 1972(a), and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, after consultation with the associations of local authorities appearing to them to be concerned and with the concurrence of the Treasury, hereby make the following order:—

1. This order may be cited as the Housing Finance (Rent Allowance Subsidy) Order 1979 and shall come into operation on 31st March 1979.

2. For the year 1979–80, 100 per cent. is substituted for 80 per cent. in column 2 of the Table in section 8(3) of the Housing Finance Act 1972.

28th February 1979.

Peter Shore,
Secretary of State for the Environment.

1st March 1979

John Morris,
Secretary of State for Wales.

We concur

6th March 1979.

Peter Snape,
J. Dormand,
Two of the Lords Commissioners
of Her Majesty's Treasury.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

Section 8(3) of the Housing Finance Act 1972, with section 8(2), fixes the amount of rent allowance subsidy payable to a local authority for each of the years 1976-77 to 1981-82 at 80 per cent. of the authority's standard amount of rent allowances for the year, or such greater percentage as may be substituted for the year by an order under section 8(4). This Order substitutes, for the year 1979-80, 100 per cent.

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