
 STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1985 No. 641 (S.63)

BETTING, GAMING AND LOTTERIES

**The Gaming Act (Variation of Monetary Limits) (Scotland)
Order 1985**

<i>Made</i>	- - -	17th April 1985
<i>Laid before Parliament</i>		1st May 1985
<i>Coming into Operation</i>		27th May 1985

In exercise of the powers conferred on me by sections 20(8), 31(3) and 51 of the Gaming Act 1968(a), and of all other powers enabling me in that behalf, I hereby make the following order:—

1.—(1) This order may be cited as the Gaming Act (Variation of Monetary Limits) (Scotland) Order 1985 and shall come into operation on 27th May 1985.

(2) This order shall extend to Scotland only.

2. Section 20(8) of the Gaming Act 1968(b) (which specifies the maximum amount by which weekly winnings in bingo clubs may exceed the stakes hazarded) shall have effect as if for the reference to the sum of £1,000 there was substituted a reference to the sum of £1,250.

3. Section 31(3) of the Gaming Act 1968(c) (which relates to the charge for playing a game once by means of a machine to which Part III of that Act applies on licensed or registered premises) shall have effect as if, for the reference to the sum of 10p, there was substituted a reference to the sum of 20p.

4.—(1) Article 3 of the Gaming Act (Variation of Monetary Limits) (Scotland) Order 1981(d) (which provides that section 31(3) of the Gaming Act 1968 shall continue to have effect with the substitution of the reference to the sum of 10p for the reference to the sum specified in that sub-section) is hereby revoked.

(2) In the Schedule to the Gaming Act (Variation of Monetary Limits) (Scotland) Order 1981 the entry relating to section 20(8) is hereby revoked.

New St Andrew's House,
Edinburgh.
17th April 1985.

George Younger,
One of Her Majesty's Principal
Secretaries of State.

(a) 1968 c.65.

(b) The sum specified in section 20(8) is as substituted by S.I. 1981/58.

(c) The sum specified in section 31(3) is as substituted by S.I. 1981/58.

(d) S.I. 1981/58, to which there are amendments not relevant to this order.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Order.)

This Order increases the monetary limit specified in section 20(8) of the Gaming Act 1968 for the maximum amount by which weekly winnings in bingo clubs may exceed the stakes hazarded from £1,000 to £1,250. It also increases the monetary limit specified in section 31(3) of that Act for the amount which may be charged for playing a game once by means of a machine to which Part III of that Act applies on licensed or registered premises from 10p to 20p.

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