STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1992 No. 1837

The Assistance for Minor Works to Dwellings (Lead Pipes) Order 1992

Specified Purposes

2. The following are specified as purposes for which a local housing authority may give assistance as mentioned in section 131(2) of the Local Government and Housing Act 1989 (assistance for the provision of minor works to dwellings)—

- (a) the replacement of—
 - (i) the whole or part of a pipe which is made wholly or substantially of lead and which connects (directly or indirectly) to the main a tap which is used mainly for supplying water for drinking or cooking in a dwelling, and
 - (ii) any associated equipment,

by a pipe and any associated equipment not made of lead, which will connect that tap directly or, where that is not practicable, indirectly to the main; and

(b) the replacement of the electrical earthing arrangements of that dwelling where these use such a lead pipe and that lead pipe is being replaced in circumstances in which paragraph (a) above applies.