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### SCHEDULE 1

Article 3

## CALCULATION OF HOUSING BENEFIT SUBSIDY IN RESPECT OF ADMINISTRATION COSTS

## PART I

### GENERAL

1. The additional sum which may be paid to an authority under section 30(3) of the Act shall be the aggregate of the housing benefit applicable amount and the further amount calculated in accordance with Part II, and the supplementary amount calculated in accordance with Part III, of this Schedule.

# PART II

## APPLICABLE AND FURTHER AMOUNTS

#### Housing benefit applicable amount

**2.** For the purposes of Part I of this Schedule, the housing benefit applicable amount shall be calculated by applying the following formula—

 $A \times \frac{B}{C}$ 

where ----

A is —

- (a) in the case of the new town corporations in England or Scotland, the Development Board for Rural Wales, or the Scottish Homes, £1,647,300;
- (b) in the case of authorities other than those specified in sub-paragraph (a) of this paragraph—
  - (i) in England, £40,876,600;
  - (ii) in Wales, £1,790,275;
  - (iii) in Scotland, £4,264,075;

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- (a) except where paragraph (b) below applies, in the case of an authority listed in column (1) of Schedule 7, is the aggregate of the amounts obtained by multiplying the figure prescribed in column (2)(a)(i) to (b)(iv) of that Schedule for that authority by the figure appropriate to that category and authority prescribed in column (2)(a) or (b), as the case may be, of Schedule 8,
- (b) in the case of an authority listed in column (1) of Schedule 9, is the aggregate amount determined in accordance with paragraph (a) above further multiplied by the figure specified for that authority in column (2) of Schedule 9; and

C is the total of the amounts for all authorities in the category to which the particular authority belongs specified in sub-paragraph (a), (b)(i), (b)(ii), or (b)(iii), as the case may be, of the definition of A.

### Further amount

**3.** For the purposes of Part I of this Schedule the further amount shall be calculated by applying the following formula—

 $D \times \frac{E}{F}$ 

where —

D is —

- (a) in the case of the new town corporations in England or Scotland, the Development Board for Rural Wales, or the Scottish Homes, £86,700;
- (b) in the case of authorities other than those specified in sub-paragraph (a) of this paragraph—
  - (i) in England, £2,151,400;
  - (ii) in Wales, £94,225;
  - (iii) in Scotland, £224,425;

Е —

- (a) except where paragraph (b) below applies, in the case of an authority listed in column (1) of Schedule 7, is the amount prescribed in column (4)(a) of that Schedule for that authority,
- (b) in the case of an authority listed in column (1) of Schedule 9, is the aggregate amount determined in accordance with paragraph (a) above multiplied by the figure specified for that authority in column (2) of Schedule 9; and

F is the total of the amounts for all authorities in the category to which the particular authority belongs specified in sub-paragraph (a), (b)(i), (b)(ii) or (b)(iii), as the case may be, of the definition of D.

# PART III

## SUPPLEMENTARY AMOUNT

### Supplementary amount

**4.**—(1) Except where sub-paragraph (2) of this paragraph applies, subject to paragraphs 5, 6, 7 and 8, for the purposes of Part I of this Schedule the supplementary amount shall be calculated by applying the following formula—

GxH

where ----

G is —

- (a) in the case of the new town corporations in England or Scotland, the Development Board for Rural Wales, or the Scottish Homes, £73,024;
- (b) in the case of authorities other than those specified in sub-paragraph (a) of this paragraph—
  - (i) in England, £1,812,038;
  - (ii) in Wales, £79,361;
  - (iii) in Scotland, £189,025;

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- (a) except where paragraph (b) below applies, in the case of an authority listed in column (1) of Schedule 7, is the aggregate of the amounts obtained by multiplying each figure prescribed in columns 2(a)(i) to 2(b)(iv) of that Schedule for that authority by the figure appropriate to that category and authority prescribed in column (2)(a) or (b), as the case may be, of Schedule 8,
- (b) in the case of an authority listed in column (1) of Schedule 9, is the aggregate amount determined in accordance with paragraph (a) above further multiplied by the figure specified for that authority in column (2) of Schedule 9; and

J is the total of the amounts for all authorities in the category to which the particular authority belongs specified in sub-paragraph (a), (b)(i), (b)(ii) or (b)(iii), as the case may be, of the definition of G.

- (2) The supplementary amount in the case of—
  - (a) Corby new town corporation; and
  - (b) authorities in Scotland who administer only community charge benefit,

shall be nil.

5. Except in respect of those authorities specified in sub-paragraph 4(2), where the supplementary amount for an appropriate authority as calculated in accordance with paragraph 4 is less than £750 for that authority it shall be  $\pounds$ 750.

6. Where the total of the supplementary amounts calculated in accordance with paragraphs 4 and 5 exceeds—

- (a) in the case of new town corporations in England or Scotland and the Development Board for Rural Wales, £73,024;
- (b) in the case of authorities other than those specified in sub-paragraph (a) of this paragraph—
  - (i) in England, £1,812,038;
  - (ii) in Wales, £79,361;
  - (iii) in Scotland, £189,025;

the supplementary amount for an authority to which paragraph 5 does not apply shall be further calculated, subject to paragraph 7, by applying the following formula—

K x L M

where----

K is the supplementary amount calculated under paragraph 4;

L is the amount which remains after deducting the aggregate of the amounts for authorities to which paragraph 5 applies from the total of supplementary amounts as specified in subparagraphs (a) and (b)(i), (ii) and (iii), as the case may be, of the definition of G in paragraph 4; and

M is the aggregate of all the supplementary amounts calculated under paragraph 4 for all the authorities except those authorities to which paragraph 5 applies.

7. Where the supplementary amount for an appropriate authority as further calculated in accordance with paragraph 6 is less than  $\pounds750$  for that authority it shall be  $\pounds750$ .

**8.** Until such time as the aggregate of the authorities' supplementary amounts calculated under paragraphs 5, 6 and 7 equals the aggregate of the amounts specified in sub-paragraphs (a) and (b) (i), (ii) and (iii) of the definition of G in paragraph 4, the calculations set out in paragraphs 6 and

7 shall, subject to the modifications set out below, continue to apply to calculate the supplementary amount for those authorities to which neither paragraph 5 nor 7 has applied; and for that purpose—

- (a) K shall apply as if the supplementary amount were the amount calculated under paragraph 6 or, if by virtue of this paragraph there has been more than one calculation, the last amount calculated under that paragraph in respect of that authority;
- (b) L shall apply as if the amount to be deducted to determine the balance of the total amount available were the aggregate of the supplementary amounts for authorities to which, in the calculation under paragraphs 6 and 7 or, if there has been more than one calculation under those paragraphs, the last such calculation, paragraph 7 applied; and
- (c) M shall apply as if the total of the supplementary amounts were the total of all the supplementary amounts calculated under paragraph 6 or, if by virtue of this paragraph there has been more than one calculation, the last calculated under that paragraph in respect of all appropriate authorities to which paragraph 7 did not apply in that calculation.