SCOTTISH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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LAND REFORM

The Crofting Community Right to Buy (Grant Towards Compensation Liability) (Scotland) Regulations 2004

Made - - - -	*18th May 2004*
Laid before the Scottish Parliament - - - -	*21st May 2004*
Coming into force - -	*15th June 2004*

The Scottish Ministers in exercise of the powers conferred by section 90(6) of the Land Reform (Scotland) Act 2003(**1**), and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, hereby make the following Regulations:

Citation, commencement and interpretation

1.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Crofting Community Right to Buy (Grant Towards Compensation Liability) (Scotland) Regulations 2004 and shall come into force on 15th June 2004.

(2) In these Regulations–

"the Act" means the Land Reform (Scotland) Act 2003;

"the claimant" means any of the persons specified in section 89(1) of the Act.

2. An application for a grant made under section 90 of the Act shall be submitted to Ministers, with the information and documents specified in the Schedule to these Regulations, by the crofting community body which is liable to pay compensation under section 89(1) of the Act.

3. An application for a grant under regulation 2 shall be submitted within 90 days of–

(a) the date on which the crofting community body and the claimant agreed the amount of compensation payable; or

(b) the date on which the Land Court determined under section 89(5) of the Act the amount of compensation payable,

whichever date is the earlier.

4. Ministers shall issue their decision on an application for a grant under section 90 of the Act within 21 days of the date of its receipt.

(**1**) 2003 asp 2. Section 98(1) of the Act contains the definitions of "Ministers" and "prescribed" relevant to the exercise of the statutory powers under which these Regulations are made.