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COUNCIL TAX

The Council Tax (Exempt Dwellings) (Scotland) Amendment Order 2002

Made - - - -	*7th March 2002*
Laid before the Scottish Parliament - - - -	*8th March 2002*
Coming into force - -	*1st April 2002*

The Scottish Ministers, in exercise of the powers conferred by section 72(6) and (7) of the Local Government Finance Act 1992(**1**) and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, hereby make the following Order:

Citation and commencement

1. This Order may be cited as the Council Tax (Exempt Dwellings) (Scotland) Amendment Order 2002 and shall come into force on 1st April 2002.

Amendment of Order

2.—(1) The Council Tax (Exempt Dwellings) (Scotland) Order 1997(**2**) shall be amended in accordance with the following provisions of this article.

(2) In article 2 (interpretation), after the definition of "registered housing association", there shall be inserted the following definition:–

> ""registered social landlord" has the meaning given in section 111 of the Housing (Scotland) Act 2001(**3**);".

(3) In paragraph 8(a) of Schedule 1 (dwellings awaiting demolition), after "authority", there shall be inserted ", a registered social landlord".

(**1**) 1992 c. 14. The functions of the Secretary of State were transferred to the Scottish Ministers by virtue of section 53 of the Scotland Act 1998 (c. 46).
(**2**) S.I.1997/728, to which there are amendments not relevant to this Order.
(**3**) 2001 asp 10.