SCOTTISH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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# LOCAL GOVERNMENT

## The Commissioner for Local Administration in Scotland (Expenses) Regulations 2000

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| *Made - - - -* | *8th March 2000* |
| *Laid before the Scottish Parliament - - - -* | *10th March 2000* |
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The Scottish Ministers, in exercise of the powers conferred upon them by section 22(3) of the Local Government (Scotland) Act 1975(**1**) and of all other powers enabling them in that behalf, and after consultation with such associations of local authorities as appear to them to be concerned, hereby make the following Regulations:

### Citation and commencement

**1.** These Regulations may be cited as the Commissioner for Local Administration in Scotland (Expenses) Regulations 2000 and shall come into force on 1st April 2000.

### Interpretation

**2.** In these Regulations–

"the 1975 Act" means the Local Government (Scotland) Act 1975;

"the designated body for Scotland" means Audit Scotland, which is designated(**2**) by the Scottish Ministers under section 22(1) of the 1975 Act as the designated body for Scotland;

"financial year" means a period of 12 months ending with 31st March.

### Expenses

**3.** All expenses incurred by the designated body for Scotland in connection with the discharge of its functions under Part II of the 1975 Act shall, in relation to the financial year 2000 2001 and each subsequent financial year, be defrayed by local authorities in proportion to the total population aged

(**1**) 1975 c. 30. 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.S.I. 2000/51.