WELSH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2009 No. 461 (W.48)

RATING AND VALUATION, WALES

The Non-Domestic Rating (Collection and Enforcement) (Local Lists) (Amendment) (Wales) Regulations 2009

Made - - - -	*2 March 2009*
Laid before the National Assembly for Wales - -	*4 March 2009*
Coming into force - -	*31 March 2009*

The Welsh Ministers in exercise of the powers conferred on the Secretary of State by sections 143(1) and (2) of, and paragraph 1 of Schedule 9 to, the Local Government Finance Act 1988(**1**) and now vested in them(**2**), make the following Regulations:

Title, commencement and application

1. The title of these Regulations is The Non-Domestic Rating (Collection and Enforcement) (Local Lists) (Amendment) (Wales) Regulations 2009 and they come into force on 31 March 2009.

Amendment of the Non-Domestic Rating (Collection and Enforcement) (Local Lists) Regulations 1989

2.—(1) The Non-Domestic Rating (Collection and Enforcement) (Local Lists) Regulations 1989(**3**) are amended as follows.

(2) After regulation 7 (payments under demand notices: further provision) insert—

"**Backdated liability: special provision in relation to 2005 rating lists**

7A. Notwithstanding the requirements of a demand notice issued in accordance with regulation 7, a ratepayer and a billing authority may reach an agreement in accordance with Schedule 1A.".

(3) After Schedule 1, insert Schedule 1A set out in the Schedule to these Regulations.

(**1**) 1988 c. 41. Paragraph 1 of Schedule 9 has been prospectively amended by Schedule 13 to the Tribunals, Courts and Enforcement Act 2007 (c. 15).

(**2**) The powers of the Secretary of State were transferred, in relation to Wales, to the National Assembly for Wales by the National Assembly for Wales (Transfer of Functions) Order 1999 (S.I. 1999/672). The functions of the National Assembly for Wales were transferred to the Welsh Ministers under section 162 of, and paragraph 30 of Schedule 11 to, the Government of Wales Act 2006 (c. 32).

(**3**) S.I. 1989/1058, to which there are amendments not relevant to these Regulations.

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2 March 2009