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RATING AND VALUATION, ENGLAND

**The Council Tax and Non-Domestic Rating (Demand Notices)
(England) (Amendment) Regulations 2020**

Made - - - - *11th February 2020*

Laid before Parliament *14th February 2020*

Coming into force - - *12th March 2020*

The Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government makes the following Regulations in exercise of the powers conferred by section 143(1) of, and paragraphs 1 and 2(2)(gf) and (h) of Schedule 9 to, the Local Government Finance Act 1988(a).

Citation and commencement

1.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Council Tax and Non-Domestic Rating (Demand Notices) (England) (Amendment) Regulations 2020.

(2) These Regulations come into force on 12th March 2020.

Amendment of Schedule 2 to the Council Tax and Non-Domestic Rating (Demand Notices) (England) Regulations 2003

2.—(1) Schedule 2 (matters to be contained in rate demand notices and publication of Explanatory Notes) to the Council Tax and Non-Domestic Rating (Demand Notices) (England) Regulations 2003(b) is amended as follows.

(2) In Part 1, in paragraph 7, for the Explanatory Notes substitute the text set out at Part 1 of the Schedule to these Regulations.

(3) In Part 2A (modification of Part 1 in relation to BRS authorities), in paragraph 1(b), for the second paragraph of the note headed “Business Rate Supplements” to be inserted into the Explanatory Notes substitute—

“The business rate supplement/s as shown on your bill is/are being levied by [insert name of levying authority] in relation to [insert name of project/s to which BRS relates] project/s. Further information may be found in the BRS project prospectus, [title of final prospectus], which you can obtain from [insert name of levying authority].”.

(4) In Part 3 (special authorities), in paragraph 3, for the Explanatory Notes substitute the text set out at Part 2 of the Schedule to these Regulations.

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- (a) 1988 c. 41. See section 146(6) for the meaning of “prescribed”. Paragraph 1 of Schedule 9 was amended by Schedule 13 to the Tribunals, Courts and Enforcement Act 2007 (c. 15). Paragraph 2(2)(gf) was inserted by section 8(2) of the Local Government Finance Act 2012 (c. 17). Paragraph 2(2)(h) was amended by the Local Government and Housing Act 1989 (c. 42) Schedule 5, paragraph 44(3) and by section 8(3) of the Local Government Finance Act 2012.
- (b) S.I. 2003/2613; relevant amending instruments are S.I. 2008/387; S.I. 2010/187; S.I. 2013/694; S.I. 2015/427; S.I. 2016/316; S.I. 2017/39; S.I. 2018/92; and S.I. 2019/101.