DEPARTMENT FOR WORK AND PENSIONS

Authorities in England/Wales	Form MPF714A
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Statement of Local Authority claimed entitlement to **Housing Benefit subsidy**

Financial year ending (FYE) March 2025 estimate			2	25	01			
Authority name								001
Authority number								002
IMPORTANT: 1. Please read the guidance notes before you fill in this form. 2. Page 1 must be signed by the Responsible Finance Officer.								

Estimated claim for housing benefit subsidy					
Rent rebate	(Cells 018 + 031)	£	003		
Rent allowance	(Cell 047)	£	004		
Total administration costs allocation		£	005		
Total amount claimed		£	006		

Local authority certificate

I apply on behalf of the authority for payment of the amount at cell 006 above.

I undertake to submit an initial final and a certified final claim within the time limits currently in force and promise to pay the Secretary of State on demand the amounts of any excess monies previously paid.

I certify that the entries on this form are in accordance with the Acts specified in the guidance notes and the relevant regulations, determinations, directions, circulars, notes, instructions and other agreed arrangements and that to the best of my knowledge and belief the information is correct.

Signed:	Date:
Name (block):	Position held:

This signature, certifying the claim, must be that of the officer who is responsible pursuant to Section 151 of the Local Government Act 1972 (Responsible Finance Officer).

Please provide a local authority contact:				
Name:	telephone no. (+ std):			
Ext:				
For depart	ment use only			
Input by	Date			
Authorised	Date			

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Estimated rent rebates granted to tenants of Non-HRA properties

Expenditure for the financial year.	£	800		
Board and lodging or non-self-contained licensed temporary accommodation where the loca	l authori	ty is the landlord		
Expenditure up to the lower of the one bedroom self-contained LHA rate and the upper limit (£500 or £375).		009		
Expenditure above the lower of the one bedroom self-contained LHA rate and the upper limit (£500 or £375).	£	010		
Leased or self-contained licensed temporary accommodation where the local authority is the	andlor	d		
Expenditure up to the lower of 90% of the appropriate LHA rate for the property and the upper limit (£500 or £375).	£	011		
Expenditure above the lower of 90% of the appropriate LHA rate for the property plus the management costs element and the upper limit (£500 or £375).	£	012		
Overpaid rent rebates granted to tenants of Non-HRA properties				
Expenditure in respect of eligible overpayments.	£	013		
Expenditure in respect of technical error and recovered DWP O/P's.	£	014		
Expenditure in respect of local authority error and administrative delay overpayments.	£	015		
Estimated full rate subsidy (Cell 008 - (Cells 010 + 012 + 013 + 014 + 015)).	£	016		
Subsidy claimed at reduced rate (Cell 013×0.40).	£	017		
Total subsidy (Cells 016 + 017 + 063)	£	018		
Cells 019 – 023 - Spare				
Estimated rent rebates granted to tenants of HRA properties				
Expenditure for the financial year.		024		
Overpaid rent rebates granted to tenants of HRA properties				
Expenditure in respect of eligible overpayments.	£	025		
Expenditure in respect of technical error and recovered DWP O/P's.	£	026		
Expenditure in respect of local authority error and administrative delay overpayments.	£	027		
Disproportionate rent increase (Wales only) Expenditure in respect of non-exemption from DRI rule	£	028		
Estimated full rate subsidy (Cell 024 - (Cells 025 + 026 + 027 + 028)).	£	029		
Subsidy claimed at reduced rate (Cell 025 x 0.40).	£	030		
Total subsidy (cells 029 + 030 + 064)	£	031		

Estimated rent allowances Expenditure for the financial year. £ 032 Rent officer referrals £ Expenditure in respect of eligible rent above RO's determinations where no restriction could be 033 made under Regs.13 or 13ZA. Expenditure in respect of eligible rent above the RO's determinations where restrictions could be £ 034 made under regs 13 or 13ZA. Exclude amounts in cell 033. Expenditure on board and lodging and non-self-contained licensed temporary accommodation provided where a registered housing association is the landlord Expenditure up to the lower of the one bedroom self-contained LHA rate and the upper limit (£500 £ 035 or £375). Expenditure above the lower of the one bedroom self-contained LHA rate and the upper limit (£500 £ 036 or £375). Expenditure on self-contained licensed accommodation and temporary accommodation owned or leased by a registered housing association is the landlord Expenditure up to the lower of 90% of the appropriate LHA rate for the property and the upper £ 037 limit (£500 or £375). Expenditure above the lower of 90% of the appropriate LHA rate for the property plus the £ 038 management costs element and the upper limit (£500 or £375). Overpaid rent allowances Expenditure in respect of duplicate payments. £ 039 Expenditure in respect of eligible overpayments. £ 040 Expenditure in respect of recovered DWP/payments on account overpayments £ 041 Expenditure in respect of local authority error and administrative delay overpayments. £ 042 Estimated full rate subsidy £ 043 (Cell 032 - (Cells 033 + 034 + 036 + 038 + 039 + 040 + 041 + 042)). Subsidy claimed at reduced rate £ 044 (Cell 033 x 0.60) + (Cell 039 x 0.25) + (Cell 040 x 0.40). Total estimated subsidy (Cells 043 + 044 + 065). £ 045 Modified scheme subsidy (this figure to be transferred from Cell 071). £ 046 £ Total subsidy (Cells 045 + 046). 047

Cells 048-055 - Spare

Local authority error and administrative delay subsidy

(Cells 016 + 029 + 043).

Lower threshold (Cell 056 x 0.48%).

Upper threshold (Cell 056 x 0.54%).

£	056
£	057
£	058

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Estimated total local authority error and administrative delay overpayments	£	059
(Cells 015 + 027 + 042).		
Subsidy calculation Enter the figure from 059 if cell 059 is less than or equal to cell 057. Otherwise enter "0".	£	060
Enter the figure from cell 059 if cell 059 is more than cell 057 but less than or equal to cell 058. Otherwise enter "0".	£	061
Local authority error and administrative delay subsidy due (Cell 060 + (Cell 061 x 0.40)).	£	062
Local authority error and administrative delay subsidy apportionments		
Rebates for non-HRA properties (Cell 062 x (Cell 015 divided by Cell 059)). This figure to be included in Cell 018.	£	063
Rebates for HRA properties (Cell 062 x (Cell 027 divided by Cell 059)). This figure to be included in Cell 031.	£	064
Rent Allowances (Cell 062 x (Cell 042 divided by Cell 059)). This figure to be included in Cell 045.	£	065
Cell 066 - Spare		
Modified schemes subsidy		
Total subsidy claimed before any addition in respect of the operation of a local scheme. (Cells 018 + 031 + 045).	£	067
Enter 0.2% of cell 067.	£	068
Estimated expenditure due to the <i>voluntary</i> disregarding of War Disablement Pensions or War Widows Pensions.	£	069
Enter 75% of cell 069.	£	070
Enter the lower of cells 068 and 070. This figure to be transferred to cell 046.	£	071

Certification number:

Completed estimates should be returned by e-mail to: hbsubsidy@dwp.gov.uk
Completed Local Authority Certificates of Entitlement should be scanned and emailed separately to hbsubsidy@dwp.gov.uk

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