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### Circular No. LG 09/09

Dear Sir/Madam

## LIMIT ON DISTRICT COUNCIL EXPENDITURE FOR SPECIAL PURPOSES 2009/2010

1. I enclose, for your information, details of your Council's limit for the financial year 2009/2010 in respect of expenditure for special purposes.
2. The 1995 revaluation of non-domestic properties created the need for 2 limits to be set, that is one for specified hereditaments (non-domestic properties) and one for unspecified hereditaments (domestic properties). Non-domestic properties reflect 2001 rental values and domestic properties reflect 2005 capital values.
3. The rates in the pound are as follows:-  
  
Specified Hereditaments – the product of a rate of 0.0596 pence in the pound on the rateable value of the district, as defined in the Revaluation (Consequential Provisions) Order (Northern Ireland) 2003.  
  
Unspecified Hereditaments – the product of a rate of 0.00082 pence in the pound on the rateable value of the district, as defined in the Rates (Consequential Provisions) Order (NI) 2007.
4. In order to calculate the total amount available for expenditure under each category, separate domestic and non-domestic penny products have been provided for district councils. Attached to this circular I have set out the domestic and non-domestic estimated penny products for your district and the resulting expenditure limit for special purposes.

5. If you have any queries about this circular please contact Lynne McCann (telephone number 9025 6077).

Yours faithfully,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "M. F. T. Finnegan".

**M F T FINNEGAN (Miss)**

Enc.