

REGIONAL SELECTIVE ASSISTANCE

GRANT OFFERS ACCEPTED JANUARY – MARCH 2011

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Regional Selective Assistance (RSA) is the main national scheme of financial assistance to industry. It provides discretionary grants to investment projects that will create and safeguard employment in the Assisted Areas – areas designated for regional aid under European Community law. It also includes 'Tier 3' assistance in other designated areas where we can offer support to Small and Medium-sized Enterprises (SMEs), delivered under the EC's General Block Exemption Regulations.

The attached table details the RSA offers accepted in the three months to end March 2011. In this period 25 businesses in Scotland accepted RSA grant offers totalling over £9 million. These offers relate to projects with planned investment of over £48.3 million, aimed at the planned creation and safeguarding of 1,641 jobs. Tier 3 accepted offers are marked with an *.

Payment of RSA is made in instalments, typically over several years as job and capital expenditure targets are met. Not all projects will proceed, and nor do all accepted offers result in full payment, as projects are sometimes scaled down or abandoned before payments are made. The figures quoted in the tables, therefore, represent the maximum grant potentially payable if the project is satisfactorily completed, and not the amount actually paid to date. All job numbers given in this report are firms' forecast figures, and are subject to change depending on future economic conditions and other factors affecting the businesses concerned.

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Company Name	Location	Project Activity	New Jobs	Safeguarded Jobs	Grant Offered
6Central Limited	Glasgow	Design and supply of e-content management software	10	0	£100,000
A&I Accessory Limited	Irvine, Ayrshire	Overhaul and repair of component parts of industrial and aerospace gas turbine engines	7	0	£75,000
Aldomak Limited	Glasgow, Renfrewshire	Manufacture and supply of confectionery products	5	2	£85,000*
Amazon.co.uk Limited	Dunfermline, Fife	Customer fulfilment and distribution service centre	685	78	£1,400,000
BioSil Limited	Cumbernauld, Lanarkshire	Design and manufacture of saline and silicone based medical devices	26	0	£150,000
Caledonian Pavers Limited	Renfrew, Renfrewshire	Production and supply of block paving stones	18	0	£180,000
Clyde Space Limited	Glasgow	Design, manufacture and supply of small and micro spacecraft systems	18	0	£220,000*
Croftek Limited	Glasgow	Manufacture of testing equipment to detect faults in high and low voltage power lines for electricity grids, telecommunications and railway industries	11	0	£170,000
Euro Precision Ltd t/a Qualtronic	Glenrothes, Fife	Provision of precision engineering services	5	5	£125,000
Exova (UK) Limited	Hillington, Renfrewshire	Provision of laboratory testing, assurance and advisory services	18	0	£150,000
Gaia-Wind Limited	Glasgow	Design, manufacture and supply of wind turbines	20	0	£240,000
Global Voices Limited	Stirling, Forth Valley	Web based translation services including access to documents in sector specific databases	10	0	£130,000
Impact Systems UK Limited	Glasgow	Manufacture of sensor devices and software solutions for the aerospace, defence, marine and energy industries	14	0	£238,000
Loch Lomond Brewery Limited	Alexandria, Dunbartonshire	Specialist craft microbrewery	4	0	£20,000

* Tier 3 Offers

Company Name	Location	Project Activity	New Jobs	Safeguarded Jobs	Grant Offered
The National Farmers Union Mutual Insurance Society Limited	Glasgow	Provision of general insurance, life assurance, pension and investment services	45	0	£200,000
NCR UK Group Limited	Motherwell, Lanarkshire	Provision of services to support the Group design, develop, manufacture and market ATMs	200	0	£1,200,000
Outplay Entertainment Limited	Dundee, Tayside	Design, development and creation of online games for mobile and social gaming	150	0	£2,250,000
Partrac Limited	Glasgow	Provision of marine science consultancy services	13	0	£150,000
Rickard Lanes and W H Box Limited	Edinburgh	Wholesale supply and distribution of herbal remedies	10	0	£80,000*
RMK Engineering Limited	Motherwell, Lanarkshire	Provision of specialist precision engineering services	13	0	£200,000
Scotgold Resources Limited	Tyndrum, Forth Valley	Exploration, development and operation of the Connish gold and silver mine	47	1	£600,000*
Stewart Brewing Limited	Edinburgh	Brewing of hand crafted cask ales and beers	8	3	£150,000*
Telecom Service Centres Limited t/a HEROtsc	Larbert, Forth Valley	Provision of business process outsourcing services	200	0	£850,000
Valt Vodka Company Limited	Kingussie, Highlands and Islands	Manufacture and supply of premium vodka	6	0	£40,000
Yellow Jacket Europe Limited	To be confirmed, Fife	Manufacture of heavy duty cable protectors	10	0	£90,000

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