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CORRECTION

Please note the following correction:

On the final page the figure for “Net Resource 2011-12 Required on Account” should read 98,550 and not 98,500.

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Introduction

VOTE ON ACCOUNT FOR 2011-12

Vote on Account for 2011-12

The Vote on Account provides resources and cash to allow existing services to continue during the early months of the coming financial year, pending Parliament's consideration of the main Supply Estimates for 2011-12. 'Existing services' means services for which Parliament has given approval before 31 March 2011. Statutory authority for the issue of a sum from the Consolidated Fund equal to the Vote on Account will be sought in the Consolidated Fund Bill.

2. The main Supply Estimates for 2011-12 will be presented around April 2011. Parliament authorises the provision sought when the Appropriation Act is passed.

Amounts required

3. The amounts in the Vote on Account are normally a standard 45 per cent of the amounts already voted for the corresponding services in the current year. This should normally be sufficient to ensure that the provision made for each service is not exhausted before the Appropriation Act is passed in the summer, but not so high as to prejudice Parliament's consideration of the main Supply Estimate.

4. A Vote on Account provision outside the standard 45 per cent may be sought when:

- a. it is possible to anticipate a change in the structure of a Supply Estimate;
- b. if consumption of resources or expenditure of cash during the early months of the financial year is expected to be significantly different from the standard.

5. The services covered by the Vote on Account are for those shown in the main Supply Estimate for 2010-11.

6. The Vote on Account in respect of Central Government Supply is anticipated to be presented today by the Financial Secretary to the Treasury. A Vote on Account for the National Audit Office, Electoral Commission, Independent Parliamentary Standards Authority and the Local Government Boundary Commission for England is expected to be presented to Parliament at around the same time.

Vote on Account 2011-12

House of Commons: Administration Supply Estimate

Total net resource requirement	£98,550,000
Total capital requirement	£9,000,000
Total net cash requirement	£90,000,000

Amounts required for a VOTE ON ACCOUNT for the year ending 31 March 2012 in respect of the House of Commons Administration.

	2010-11	2011-12
	Total to date on which provision on account is based	Required on Account
	£'000	£'000
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Net Resource	219,000	98,500
Capital	20,000	9,000
Net Cash	200,000	90,000

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