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SCOTTISH STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2004 No. 257**

**The Police (Scotland) Regulations 2004**

**PART 2**

**GOVERNMENT**

**Part-time appointments**

6.—(1) A chief constable may, after consultation with local representatives of the representative bodies, appoint persons to perform part-time service in any rank.

(2) In these Regulations a person appointed to perform part-time service includes a person appointed to share a job with another person.

(3) A person appointed to perform part-time service may not be appointed to serve as a full-time member without that person's consent.

(4) A person appointed to perform part-time service immediately after serving as a full-time member may give notice in writing of that person's intention to be re-appointed as a full-time member and shall be so appointed—

- (a) within one month of the date the notice is received by the police authority, where the authority has a suitable vacancy; or
- (b) except where sub-paragraph (a) applies, when 3 months have elapsed since the day the notice was received, or from an earlier date if reasonably practicable.

(5) A person serving as a full-time member of a police force may not be appointed to perform part-time service without that person's consent.

(6) In this regulation "full-time member" means a member appointed otherwise than under this regulation.

(7) In relation to persons appointed under this regulation to perform part-time service—

- (a) regulation 12(1) has effect as if the words "other than such a person who transferred to the force having completed the required period of probation therein" were omitted; and
- (b) regulation 25 has effect as if—
  - (i) in paragraph (1) for all the words after "compensated in respect of time" there were substituted "spent on duty in excess of such period as the Scottish Ministers may determine"; and
  - (ii) paragraph (2) were omitted.