



# Police and Criminal Evidence Act 1984

## 1984 CHAPTER 60

### PART I

#### POWERS TO STOP AND SEARCH

#### **5 Reports of recorded searches and of road checks.**

(1) Every annual report—

- [<sup>F1</sup>(a) under section 22 of the <sup>M1</sup>Police Act 1996; or]
- (b) made by the Commissioner of Police of the Metropolis,

shall contain information—

- (i) about searches recorded under section 3 above which have been carried out in the area to which the report relates during the period to which it relates; and
- (ii) about road checks authorised in that area during that period under section 4 above.

[<sup>F2</sup>(1A) Every annual report under section 57 of the Police Act 1997 (reports by Director General of the National Crime Squad) shall contain information—

- (a) about searches recorded under section 3 above which have been carried out by members of the National Crime Squad during the period to which the report relates, and
- (b) about road checks authorised by members of the National Crime Squad during that period under section 4 above.]

(2) The information about searches shall not include information about specific searches but shall include—

- (a) the total numbers of searches in each month during the period to which the report relates—
  - (i) for stolen articles;
  - (ii) for offensive weapons [<sup>F3</sup>or articles to which section 1(8A) above applies]; and
  - (iii) for other prohibited articles;

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- (b) the total number of persons arrested in each such month in consequence of searches of each of the descriptions specified in paragraph (a)(i) to (iii) above.
- (3) The information about road checks shall include information—
- (a) about the reason for authorising each road check; and
  - (b) about the result of each of them.

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#### **Textual Amendments**

- F1** S. 5(1)(a) substituted (22.8.1996) by 1996 c. 16, ss. 103(1), 104(1), **Sch. 7 Pt. II para. 34**
  - F2** S. 5(1A) inserted (1.4.1998) by 1997 c. 50, s. 134(1), **Sch. 9 para.46**; S.I. 1998/354, **art. 2(bb)**
  - F3** Words inserted by **Criminal Justice Act 1988** (c. 33, SIF 39:1), **s. 140(2)**
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