

# Public Order Act 2023

# **2023 CHAPTER 15**

#### PART 1

#### PUBLIC ORDER

### Powers to stop and search

## Further provisions about searches under section 11

- (1) A person who is searched by a constable under section 11 is entitled to obtain a written statement that the person was searched under the powers conferred by that section.
- (2) Subsection (1) applies only if the person applies for the statement within the period of 12 months beginning with the day on which the person was searched.
- (3) Where a vehicle is stopped by a constable under section 11, the driver is entitled to obtain a written statement that the vehicle was stopped under the powers conferred by that section.
- (4) Subsection (3) applies only if the driver applies for the statement within the period of 12 months beginning with the day on which the vehicle was stopped.
- (5) Any object seized by a constable under section 11 may be retained in accordance with regulations made by the Secretary of State.
- (6) The Secretary of State may make regulations regulating the retention and safe keeping, and the disposal or destruction in circumstances prescribed in the regulations, of such an object.
- (7) Regulations under this section are to be made by statutory instrument.
- (8) Regulations under this section—
  - (a) may make different provision for different purposes;
  - (b) may make consequential, supplementary, incidental, transitional, transitory or saving provision.

Status: This is the original version (as it was originally enacted).

(9) A statutory instrument containing regulations under this section is subject to annulment in pursuance of a resolution of either House of Parliament.