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**POLICE**  
**ENGLAND AND WALES**

**The Police (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 1966**

<i>Made . . . . .</i>	26th May 1966
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In exercise of the powers conferred on me by section 33 of the Police Act 1964(a), and after consulting the Police Council for Great Britain and the Police Advisory Board for England and Wales in accordance with sections 45(4) and 46(3) of that Act, I hereby make the following Regulations:—

1. At the end of Regulation 5 of the principal Regulations (which relates to business interests incompatible with membership of a police force) there shall be added the following paragraph:—

“(8) In its application to a chief constable, deputy chief constable or assistant chief constable, this Regulation shall have effect as if—

- (a) for any reference in paragraph (1), (2), (3) or (4) to the chief officer of police, except in relation to such a disclosure as is mentioned in paragraph (1) made at the time of the person's appointment as a member of the force in a rank below that of assistant chief constable, there were substituted a reference to the police authority;
- (b) for any reference in paragraph (3) or (4) to an appeal there were substituted a reference to a request for reconsideration, and
- (c) the references in paragraph (4) to the approval of the police authority were omitted;

but a police authority shall not dispense with the services of a chief constable, deputy chief constable or assistant chief constable under this Regulation without giving him an opportunity of making representations and shall consider any representations so made.”.

2. For sub-paragraph (b) of Regulation 7 of the principal Regulations (which relates to the age at which a person may be appointed to a police force) there shall be substituted the following sub-paragraph:—

“(b) must have attained 19 years of age and not have attained, in the case of a man, 30 years of age or, in the case of a woman, 35 years of age:

Provided that a man or a woman who has attained 30 or 35 years of age, as the case may be, may be appointed—

- (i) if he or she has had previous service in a police force otherwise than as an auxiliary policeman, or is otherwise entitled to reckon previous service as pensionable service, or
- (ii) in other special circumstances approved by the Secretary of State upon the recommendation of the appointing authority, that is to say, the chief officer of police or the police authority, as the case may be;”.

3. Regulations 11, 12 and 13 of the principal Regulations (which relate to promotion) are hereby revoked.

4. For paragraph (1) of Regulation 50 of the principal Regulations (which, as set out in Regulation 2 of the Police (Amendment) Regulations 1966(a), provides for the payment of an undermanning allowance to constables in the City of London and metropolitan police forces at the rate of £30 a year or, after 3 years' service, of £65 a year) there shall be substituted the following paragraph:—

“(1) A member of the City of London or the metropolitan police force below the rank of superintendent shall be paid an undermanning allowance—

- (a) in the case of an inspector at the rate of £45 a year;
- (b) in the case of a sergeant, at the rate of £65 a year;
- (c) in the case of a constable, at the rate of £30 a year or, if he has completed 3 years of service, at the rate of £65 a year.”.

5. For paragraphs 1 and 2 of Schedule 2 to the principal Regulations (which relates to annual leave) there shall be substituted the following paragraphs:—

“1. Subject to Regulation 25 and the provisions of this Schedule, every member of a police force shall be granted in each leave year the period of annual leave set out opposite the rank he holds in the following Table—

- (a) where he has completed less than 10 years' relevant service, in the second column thereof;
- (b) where he has completed 10 but has not completed 17 years' relevant service, in the third column thereof;
- (c) where he has completed 17 or more years' relevant service, in the fourth column thereof.

TABLE

Rank	Annual leave		
	Under 10 years' relevant service	10 or more years' relevant service	17 or more years' relevant service
Constable ... ..	16 days	19 days	21 days
Sergeant (other than, in the metropolitan police force, station sergeant or first class sergeant (C.I.D.)) ... ..	18 days	21 days	21 days
Station sergeant or first class sergeant (C.I.D.) in the metropolitan police force	20 days	23 days	23 days
Inspector ... ..	21 days	24 days	24 days
Chief Inspector ... ..	24 days	27 days	27 days
Superintendent or any higher rank... ..	Not less than 42 days	Not less than 48 days	Not less than 48 days

2. In the leave year in which a member of a police force is appointed to, is promoted in, or retires from the force or completes 10 years' or, being of the rank of constable, completes 17 years' relevant service, his annual leave shall be calculated at the rate of a twelfth of the period of annual leave appropriate, under paragraph 1, to the rank held by him for each complete month of service in that rank in the leave year in question, a fraction of a day being reckoned as a day:

Provided that where a member of a police force is promoted or completes 10 years' or 17 years' relevant service while completing a month's service in the leave year in question, he shall be treated for the purposes of this paragraph as if he had been promoted or, as the case may be, completed 10 years' or 17 years' relevant service at the beginning of that month's service."

6.—(1) For paragraph 2A of Part I of Schedule 3 to the principal Regulations (which, as set out in Regulation 1 of the Police (Amendment) Regulations 1966, in the case of men, provides for the payment of supplementary pay of £50 a year to members of the City of London or metropolitan police force below the rank of inspector) there shall be substituted the following paragraph:—

"2A. Without prejudice to paragraph 2(2), in the case of members of the City of London or the metropolitan police force the scales of pay for the ranks below that of superintendent set out in paragraphs 1 and 2(1) shall have effect as if they provided for supplementary pay of £50 a year."

(2) For paragraph 2A of Part II of the said Schedule 3 (which, as set out as aforesaid, makes similar provision in the case of women) there shall be substituted the following paragraph:—

"2A. Without prejudice to paragraph 2(2), in the case of members of the City of London or the metropolitan police force the scales of pay for the ranks below that of superintendent set out in paragraphs 1 and 2(1) shall have effect as if they provided for supplementary pay of £50 a year."

7.—(1) For the Table contained in paragraph 1 of Schedule 4 to the principal Regulations (which relates to the rates of detective duty allowances) there shall be substituted the following Table:—

"TABLE

	Men	Women
Chief inspector in the City of London police force ... ..	£182	—
Chief inspector in the metropolitan police force ... ..	£158	£143
Chief inspector in any other police force ... ..	£152	£136
Inspector in the City of London and metropolitan police forces	£145	£131
Inspector in any other police force ... ..	£135	£122
First class sergeant (C.I.D.)... ..	£131	—
Sergeant in the City of London and metropolitan police forces or		
second class sergeant (C.I.D.) ... ..	£120	£109
Sergeant in any other police force ... ..	£115	£104
Constable in the City of London and metropolitan police forces	£91	£82
Constable in any other police force... ..	£86	£77"

(2) For the Table contained in paragraph 2 of the said Schedule 4 (which relates to the rates of supplementary detective allowances) there shall be substituted the following Table:—

"TABLE

	8 to 12 hours qualifying overtime		12 or more hours qualifying overtime	
	Men	Women	Men	Women
Chief inspector in the City of London police force ... ..	£150	—	£270	—
Chief inspector in the metropolitan police force ... ..	£130	£120	£235	£215
Chief inspector in any other police force ...	£125	£110	£230	£205
Inspector in the City of London and metropolitan police forces ... ..	£120	£110	£215	£195
Inspector in any other police force ... ..	£110	£100	£200	£180
First class sergeant (C.I.D.) ... ..	£110	—	£195	—
Sergeant in the City of London and metropolitan police forces or second class sergeant (C.I.D.) ... ..	£100	£90	£180	£165
Sergeant in any other police force ... ..	£95	£85	£175	£160
Constable in the City of London and metropolitan police forces ... ..	£75	£70	£135	£120
Constable in any other police force ... ..	£70	£65	£130	£115"

8. In these Regulations any reference to the principal Regulations is a reference to the Police Regulations 1965(a), as amended (b).

9.—(1) These Regulations shall come into operation on 13th June 1966 and shall have effect—

(a) for the purposes of Regulations 1, 2, 3 and 5 thereof, as from that date, and

(b) for the purposes of Regulations 4, 6 and 7 thereof, as from 1st January 1966.

(2) These Regulations may be cited as the Police (Amendment) (No. 2) Regulations 1966.

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Home Office,  
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(a) S.I. 1965/538 (1965 I, p. 1555).

(b) The relevant amending instruments are S.I. 1965/1722, 1966/146 (1965 III, p.4846; 1966 I, p. 264).

**EXPLANATORY NOTE**

*(This Note is not part of the Regulations.)*

These Regulations amend the Police Regulations 1965.

Regulation 5 of the 1965 Regulations enables the services of a member of a police force to be dispensed with where he or a relative included in his family has business interests incompatible with his membership of the force. Regulation 1 of the present Regulations provides for the application of that Regulation in the case of a chief constable, deputy chief constable or assistant chief constable.

To be eligible for appointment to a police force a woman must normally have attained the age of 20 years. This minimum age for appointment is lowered, by Regulation 2, to 19 years.

Regulation 3 revokes certain provisions relating to promotion (corresponding provisions are contained in the Police (Promotion) Regulations 1966 (S.I. 1966/636).

Regulation 4 provides that the special area undermanning allowances at present payable to members of the City of London and metropolitan police forces of the rank of constable shall be payable to all such members below the rank of superintendent, in the case of an inspector at the rate of £45 a year and, in the case of a sergeant, at the rate of £65 a year.

Regulation 5 provides, in the case of members of police forces below the rank of superintendent, for the period of annual leave to be increased by a day on completion of 10 years' service and, in the case of constables, by a further 2 days on completion of 17 years' service.

Regulation 6 provides that the present pay supplement of £50 a year payable to members of the City of London and metropolitan police forces under the rank of inspector shall also be payable to such members of the rank of inspector.

Regulation 7 increases the rates of detective duty allowances and of supplementary detective allowances payable to members of the City of London and metropolitan police forces.

By virtue of Regulation 9(1) (b) (made in exercise of the power conferred by section 33(4) of the Police Act 1964) the increases in the emoluments of members of the City of London and metropolitan police forces, provided for in Regulations 4, 6 and 7, have effect from 1st January 1966.