
 STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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POLICE

The Police (Scotland) Amendment (No. 2) Regulations 1982

<i>Made - - - -</i>	<i>27th July 1982</i>
<i>Laid before Parliament</i>	<i>12th August 1982</i>
<i>Coming into Operation</i>	<i>2nd September 1982</i>

In exercise of the powers conferred on me by section 26 of the Police (Scotland) Act 1967(a), and of all other powers enabling me in that behalf, and after consulting the Police Negotiating Board for the United Kingdom in accordance with section 2(1) of the Police Negotiating Board Act 1980(b), I hereby make the following regulations:—

Citation and commencement

1. These regulations may be cited as the Police (Scotland) Amendment (No. 2) Regulations 1982 and shall come into operation on 2nd September 1982.

Interpretation

2. In these regulations any reference to the principal regulations is a reference to the Police (Scotland) Regulations 1976(c).

Amendment

3. In regulation 27(1) of the principal regulations, for sub-paragraph (a) there shall be substituted the following sub-paragraph—

“(a) with the consent of the police authority, a constable may be so absent, without being so certified, where the period of unfitness for duty does not exceed 7 days, including any day on which, even if he were fit to do so, he would not have been required to perform police duty;”

Revocation

4. Regulation 4 of the Police (Scotland) Amendment (No. 2) Regulations 1981(d) is hereby revoked.

New St Andrew's House,
Edinburgh.
27th July 1982.

George Younger,
One of Her Majesty's Principal
Secretaries of State.

(a) 1967 c. 77.

(b) 1980 c. 10.

(c) S.I. 1976/1073; the relevant amending instrument is S.I. 1981/1679.

(d) S.I. 1981/1679.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Regulations.)

These Regulations further amend the Police (Scotland) Regulations 1976 (“the principal regulations”).

Regulation 3 increases the period of sick leave which a constable may take without a certificate from a registered medical practitioner under Regulation 27 of the principal regulations. Previously this period was 3 days, or 4 days where where one of those days was a Sunday, counting only days on which the constable was required to perform his duties. The period is now extended to 7 days, including days on which the constable is required to perform police duties and days on which he is not required to do so.

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