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POLICE

The Police (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 1985

<i>Made</i> - - - - -	28th January 1985
<i>Laid before Parliament</i>	8th February 1985
<i>Coming into Operation</i>	1st March 1985

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, after taking into consideration any representations made by the Police Advisory Board for Scotland following the submission of a draft of the regulations in accordance with section 26(9) of the said Act of 1967, and after taking into consideration any recommendations made by the Police Negotiating Board for the United Kingdom and furnishing the said Police Negotiating Board for the United Kingdom with a draft of the regulations 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 Regulations 1985 and shall come into operation on 1st March 1985.

Interpretation

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

Amendments

3. In regulation 1(3) of the principal regulations (interpretation) before the words “an assistant chief constable” there shall be inserted the words “a deputy chief constable,”.

4. In regulation 2 of the principal regulations (ranks) above the words “Assistant Chief Constable,” there shall be inserted the words “Deputy Chief Constable,”.

5. In regulation 5 of the principal regulations (business interests)—

(a) in paragraph (2), for the words “or of deputy chief constable or promoted to the rank of assistant chief constable” there shall be substituted the words “or promoted to the rank of deputy chief constable or assistant chief constable”;

(a) 1967 c. 77; section 26(9), as amended by section 4(6) of the Police Act 1969 (c. 63), is further amended by section 2(4) of the Police Negotiating Board Act 1980 (c. 10).

(b) 1980 c. 10.

(c) S.I. 1976/1073; the relevant amending instruments are S.I. 1981/67 and 1982/1628.

(b) in paragraph (4), for the words “or of deputy chief constable or in the rank of assistant chief constable” there shall be substituted the words “or in the rank of deputy chief constable or assistant chief constable”.

6. For regulation 7 of the principal regulations (qualifications for appointment of Assistant Chief Constable, Superintendent, or Chief Inspector) there shall be substituted the following regulation:—

“Qualifications for appointment of deputy chief constable, assistant chief constable, superintendent or chief inspector

7.—(1) No person shall be qualified for appointment as deputy chief constable or as assistant chief constable in a police force unless he has at least two years’ experience in the substantive rank of superintendent, or a higher rank, in a police force, as a central police officer, or as a constable assigned to duty with the Scottish Crime Squad.

(2) No person shall be qualified for appointment as superintendent or chief inspector in a police force unless he has had previous police experience in the rank of inspector.”.

7. In regulation 30 of the principal regulations (rate of pay) for paragraph (3) there shall be substituted the following paragraph:—

“(3) Notwithstanding anything in paragraph (1), the pay of a constable who, having held the rank or office of deputy chief constable in the transferred force, has been statutorily transferred may be increased with the approval of the Secretary of State by such amount as may be approved by the Secretary of State.”.

8. In regulation 30A(1) of the principal regulations (temporary salary) there shall be omitted the words “(other than a constable holding the office of deputy chief constable whose pay is for the time being increased under regulation 30(3))”.

9. In regulation 48 of the principal regulations (uniform allowance) before the words “or assistant chief constable” there shall be inserted the words “, deputy chief constable”.

10. In regulation 54(4) of the principal regulations (motor vehicle allowances) there shall be omitted the words “the office of deputy chief constable or”.

Revocation

11. Regulation 4 of the Police (Scotland) Amendment Regulations 1981**(a)** is hereby revoked.

New St Andrew's House,
Edinburgh.
28th January 1985.

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

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Regulations.)

These Regulations further amend the Police (Scotland) Regulations 1976 ("the principal regulations") and come into operation on 1st March 1985.

The amendments made by the Regulations are consequential upon the coming into force on that day of section 108 of the Police and Criminal Evidence Act 1984 (c. 60) which makes provision for a rank, rather than an office, of deputy chief constable.

(a) S.I. 1981/67.

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