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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2003 No. 527**

**The Police Regulations 2003**

**PART 2**

**GOVERNMENT**

**[<sup>F1</sup>Member rejoining a police force**

**10B.**—(1) This regulation applies to a person who is to be appointed as a member of a police force (“Force A”) and who—

- (a) has previously served as a member of a police force (whether Force A or another force) and has—
  - (i) satisfactorily completed the period of probationary service in the rank of constable required under regulation 12 during that or another period of prior service, and
  - (ii) resigned or retired from that force;
- (b) is not participating in the DE Inspector or DE Superintendent programmes;
- (c) is not transferred (for the purposes of regulation 2 (reference to transfers)) to Force A from another force, and
- (d) was not, immediately prior to the appointment—
  - (i) on a secondment under regulation 13A (secondments);
  - (ii) on a career break under regulation 33(12) (leave), or
  - (iii) a member of a police force.

(2) A person to whom this regulation applies—

- (a) must be appointed in a rank to be decided by the chief officer making the appointment;
- (b) must be on probation for such period as the Secretary of State shall determine in respect of such appointments.

(3) In making a determination under paragraph (2)(b), the Secretary of State may, subject to paragraph (4), confer on the chief officer discretion to determine the required period of probation in a particular case.

(4) For the purposes of a determination under paragraph (2)(b), the periods to be counted or disregarded in reckoning service shall be such as may be determined by the Secretary of State.]

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**Textual Amendments**

- F1** Reg. 10B substituted (22.2.2019) by [The Police \(Amendment\) Regulations 2018 \(S.I. 2018/1191\)](#), regs. 1, 4

**Status:**

Point in time view as at 20/12/2023.

**Changes to legislation:**

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The Police Regulations 2003, Section 10B.