
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2003 No. 527

The Police Regulations 2003

PART 2

GOVERNMENT

Probationary service^{F1} ...

12.—^{F2}(1) Subject to paragraphs (2) and (3), a member of a police force ^{F3}other than a rejoiner member]—

(a) appointed in the rank of constable, other than such a member who transferred to the force from another police force having completed the required period of probation therein; or

^{F4}(aa) in the case of a DE inspector, appointed in the rank of inspector;]

(b) in the case of a DE superintendent, appointed in the rank of superintendent,

shall be on probation for such period as the Secretary of State shall determine in respect of such appointments.]

(2) In making a determination under paragraph (1), the Secretary of State may, subject to paragraph (3), confer on the chief officer discretion to determine the required period of probation in a particular case.

(3) For the purposes of a determination under paragraph (1), the periods to be counted or disregarded in reckoning service shall be such as may be determined by the Secretary of State.

Textual Amendments

F1 Words in reg. 12 heading omitted (1.10.2014) by virtue of [The Police \(Amendment\) Regulations 2014 \(S.I. 2014/2372\)](#), regs. 1, **5(a)**

F2 Reg. 12(1) substituted (1.10.2014) by [The Police \(Amendment\) Regulations 2014 \(S.I. 2014/2372\)](#), regs. 1, **5(b)**

F3 Words in reg. 12(1) inserted (22.2.2019) by [The Police \(Amendment\) Regulations 2018 \(S.I. 2018/1191\)](#), regs. 1, **5**

F4 Reg. 12(1)(aa) inserted (19.8.2016) by [The Police \(Amendment\) Regulations 2016 \(S.I. 2016/798\)](#), regs. 1, **5**

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The Police Regulations 2003, Section 12.