
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

2003 No. 527

The Police Regulations 2003

PART 2

GOVERNMENT

Personal record of member leaving force

17.—(1) Where a member of a police force ceases to be a member of that police force the member shall, unless he transfers to another police force, be given a certificate showing his rank and setting out the period of his service in that police force and in any other police force.

(2) The chief officer may append to the certificate any recommendation which he feels justified in giving, such as that—

his conduct was exemplary;

his conduct was very good;

his conduct was good.

(3) Where a member of a police force ceases to be a member of that police force, otherwise than by transferring to another police force, his personal record shall be kept for such time as the chief officer may think fit and shall then be destroyed.

[^{F1}(4) Where a member of a police force (“Force A”) to whom paragraph (3) applies becomes a rejoiner member of another police force (“Force B”), the chief officer of Force A must transfer to Force B any personal record relating to the rejoiner member that is still kept by Force A.]

Textual Amendments

F1 [Reg. 17\(4\)](#) inserted (22.2.2019) by [The Police \(Amendment\) Regulations 2018 \(S.I. 2018/1191\)](#), regs. 1, 7

Changes to legislation:

There are currently no known outstanding effects for the The Police Regulations 2003, Section 17.