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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2009 No. 3070**

**The Ministry of Defence Police  
Appeals Tribunals Regulations 2009**

**Notice of appeal**

7.—(1) This regulation applies where a police officer who wishes to appeal to a tribunal wishes to give notice of the appeal after the end of the period mentioned in regulation 6(1).

(2) A police officer may give notice of the appeal within a reasonable time after the end of such period and the notice shall be accompanied by a statement of the reasons why it was not served within such period and the reasons for the officer's view that it has been served within a reasonable time after such period.

(3) Upon receipt, the head of HR shall supply a copy of the notice and the reasons to the chair who shall determine—

- (a) whether it was reasonably practicable for the notice to be given within the period mentioned in regulation 6(1); and
- (b) whether the notice has been given within a reasonable time after the end of such period.

(4) If the chair determines either that it was reasonably practicable for the notice to be given within such period or that the notice has not been given within a reasonable time after the end of such period, the appeal shall be dismissed.

(5) Where the appeal is not dismissed under paragraph (4), the appeal shall proceed and the chair shall give directions for the application of regulation 9 to the appeal.