*Conditions on which permissions are to be granted*

**127.** The Visiting Committee shall, before granting any permission under these Rules satisfy themselves by consultation with the Governor that it can be granted without interfering with the security, good order and government of the institution and its inmates, and if after permission has been granted its continuance seems likely to cause any such interference, or if the inmate has abused the permission, they may suspend or withdraw the permission.

*Other duties*

**128.** The Visiting Committee shall also discharge such other duties as are assigned to them in these Rules or may be required of them by the Secretary of State.

*Contracts*

**129.** A member of the Visiting Committee of an institution shall not have any interest in any contract made in respect of that institution.

*Hector McNeil,*
One of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

St. Andrew's House,
Edinburgh, 1.
30th November, 1950.

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## The Detention of Prisoners (Scotland) Rules, 1949

### 1950 No. 690 (S. 50)

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| *Made - - - -* | *28th December,* 1949 |
| *Laid before Parliament* | *8th March,* 1950 |
| *Coming into Operation* | *28th April,* 1950* |

In exercise of the powers conferred on me by section twenty-seven of the Prisons (Scotland) Act, 1877(**a**) and of all other powers enabling me in that behalf I hereby make the following Rules:

**1.** These Rules may be cited as the Detention of Prisoners (Scotland) Rules, 1949.

**2.** The Interpretation Act, 1889(**b**) applies to the interpretation of these Rules as it applies to the interpretation of an Act of Parliament.

**3.** Persons charged with or convicted of any crime or any offence committed within the County of Fife may be committed for trial, safe custody, punishment or otherwise to the Legalised Police Cells at Kirkcaldy which have been declared to be a legal Prison by Rules made under section thirty of the Prisons (Scotland) Act, 1877(**c**).

Dated this 28th day of December, 1949.

*Arthur Woodburn,*
One of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

St. Andrew's House,
Edinburgh, 1.

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* In accordance with the provisions of section 58 of the Prisons (Scotland) Act, 1877, as read with sections 5 and 7 of the Statutory Instruments Act, 1946, these Rules have lain before both Houses of Parliament for a period of forty days before coming into operation.

(**a**) 40 & 41 Vict. c. 53. (**b**) 52 & 53 Vict. c. 63. (**c**) S.R. & O. 1911 No. 759.