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The Police (No. 2) Regulations, 1957

Made - - - - 18*th November*, 1957
Coming into Operation 1*st December*, 1957

I, the Right Honourable Richard Austen Butler, C.H., M.P., one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, in pursuance of the powers conferred on me by section four of the Police Act, 1919(a), hereby make the following Regulations :—

1.—(1) For paragraph (2) of Regulation 28 of the Police Regulations, 1952(b) (which relates to rent allowance), there shall be substituted the following paragraph :—

"(2) A maximum limit allowance—

(*a*) shall be paid to a married man not separated from his wife ;

(*b*) shall be paid to a member, not being a married man (other than a man separated from his wife) or a married woman, who—

(i) has attained the age of thirty-five years,

(ii) has served for five years as a member of that or any other police force, and

(iii) occupies as owner or tenant the accommodation in which he or she is living ;

(*c*) may, if the police authority think fit, be paid to a man, not being a man to whom sub-paragraph (*a*) or (*b*) of this paragraph applies, who—

(i) has a dependent relative living with him,

(ii) is separated from, or has divorced or been divorced by, his wife, or

(iii) is a widower ;

(*d*) may, if in special circumstances the police authority think fit, be paid to a woman member, not being a woman to whom sub-paragraph (*b*) of this paragraph applies ;

and in all other cases a flat-rate allowance shall be paid.".

(2) For sub-paragraph (*a*)(i) of paragraph (3) of the said Regulation 28 there shall be substituted the following :—

"(i) where the member owns the house he occupies, the amount which in the opinion of the District Valuer would be paid in rent therefor if the house were let unfurnished,".

2.—(1) Regulation 29 of the said Regulations (which relates to supplementary rent allowance) shall remain in force until the expiration of the month of December, 1960, and accordingly in paragraph (5) of the said Regulation as amended by Regulation 1 of the Police (No. 2) Regulations, 1954(c), for the words "December, 1957" there shall be substituted the words "December, 1960".

(a) 9 & 10 Geo. 5. c. 46. (b) S.I. 1952/1704 (1952 II, p. 2480).
(c) S.I. 1954/1686 (1954 II, p. 1783).

(2) In sub-paragraph (*a*) of paragraph (1) of the said Regulation 29 for the words "to whom the police authority have decided to grant" there shall be substituted the words "who is being paid".

3.—(1) In paragraph (1) of Regulation 31 of the Police Regulations, 1952, as set out in Regulation 2 of the Police (No. 2) Regulations, 1954, (which relates to removal allowance) for the words "removal expenses of the member" there shall be substituted the words "cost of removal".

(2) For paragraph (2) of the said Regulation 31 there shall be substituted the following paragraph:—

"(2) In respect of expenditure incidental to such a move (other than the cost of removal) the member shall be paid the sum of £10, and, if the expenditure exceeds that sum, the member shall be reimbursed the excess, so however that the excess payment shall not exceed the amount set out in the following Table opposite to the rank he holds:

Provided that any such expenditure unreasonably incurred shall not be taken into account for the purpose of calculating the excess.

TABLE

Rank	Amount
	£
Above the rank of Inspector	40
Inspector	30
Sergeant and Constable	20 "

4.—(1) These Regulations may be cited as the Police (No. 2) Regulations, 1957.

(2) These Regulations shall come into operation on the first day of December, 1957.

R. A. Butler,
One of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

Home Office,
Whitehall.
18th November, 1957.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

(This Note is not part of the Regulations, but is intended to indicate their general purport.)

These Regulations amend the Police Regulations, 1952.

Regulation 1 extends the entitlement to a maximum limit rent allowance to certain other members of a police force and varies the method of calculating such an allowance in the case of a member who owns the house he occupies.

Regulation 2 continues the supplementary rent allowance for a further three years.

Regulation 3 makes further provision as to the removal allowance, including provision for increasing the amount of the allowance.