STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

1961 No. 1793

POLICE

ENGLAND AND WALES

The Police (Promotion) Regulations, 1961

Made - - - - *21st September*, 1961
Coming into Operation *25th September*, 1961

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. In the definition of "service" in paragraph (1) of Regulation 5 of the Police (Promotion) Regulations, 1956(b) (which relates to interpretation), the words "service before a constable attains the age of twenty years nor" shall be omitted.

2. These Regulations may be cited as the Police (Promotion) Regulations, 1961, and shall come into operation on the twenty-fifth day of September, 1961.

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

Home Office,
Whitehall.
21st September, 1961.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

These Regulations amend the Police (Promotion) Regulations, 1956. The existing Regulations require a constable to have completed certain police service before he is eligible to sit for the examination for promotion from constable to sergeant, and exclude from the definition of "service" service below the age of 20 years.

These Regulations enable service as a constable below the age of 20 years to be counted for this purpose.

(a) 9 & 10 Geo. 5. c. 46. (b) S.I. 1956/1532 (1956 II, p. 1801).