EXPLANATORY NOTE

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

The Regulations amend the Police (Women) (Scotland) Regulations which deal with the conditions of service of women members of police forces in Scotland.

Regulation 2 removes dismissal from the armed forces, civil service or a police force as a disqualification for appointment to a police force.

Regulation 4 enables a woman member of a police force to take the promotion examination in educational subjects at any time after she has completed her period of probation instead of having to wait for four years before doing so.

Regulation 6 provides that a constable who has resigned from a police force and subsequently joins up again shall, as is the case where a constable transfers, be entitled to count her previous service for the purpose of reckoning her pay.

Regulation 8 amends the conditions of grant of a second additional increment in cases where an additional increment has been withdrawn.

Regulations 13, 14 and 15 amend the provisions relating to sick leave, medical treatment, and pay during sick leave.

Regulations 5, 7, 10, 11, 12, 16 and 17 are drafting amendments.

1948 No. 2727 (S. 200)

The Police (Women) (Scotland) (Amendment) (No. 4) Regulations, 1948

Made - - - - 16*th December*, 1948
Coming into Operation 24*th December*, 1948

I, the Right Honourable Arthur Woodburn, one of His Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, in pursuance of the powers conferred upon me by the Police Act, 1919(**a**), hereby make the following Regulations :—

1. The Regulations contained in the Police (Women) (Scotland) Regulations(**b**) and the Appendix thereto specified in the first column of the Schedule to these Regulations shall have effect subject to the amendments specified in the second column of that Schedule.

2. These Regulations may be cited as the Police (Women) (Scotland) (Amendment) (No. 4) Regulations, 1948, and shall come into force on the 24th day of December, 1948.

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

St. Andrew's House,
Edinburgh.
16th December, 1948.

(**a**) 9 & 10 Geo. 5. c. 46.
(**b**) S.R. & O. 1934 (No. 659) II, p. 51 as amended. The 1934 Regulations have been reprinted as amended up to and including 5th July, 1948.

SCHEDULE

AMENDMENTS TO POLICE (WOMEN) (SCOTLAND) REGULATIONS

Regulation 76 ...

For Regulation 76 there shall be substituted the following Regulation :—

"76. Subject to any modifications approved by the Secretary of State, the issues of articles of uniform and equipment shall be as follows :—

Article	Issue	Period of wear	Number in Possession
Jacket ...	Annual	Four years	Four
Skirt ...	Annual	Four years	Four
Greatcoat ...	Every two years	Four years	Two
Raincoat ...	As required, but not more than one issue every four years ...	Four years	One
Headdress	Issue to be as required ...	—	Two
Shirts ...	Two annually, after an initial issue of four ...	—	—
Collars ...	Six annually, after an initial issue of twelve ...	—	—
Ties ...	Two annually ...	—	—
Stockings ...	Twelve pairs annually ...	—	—

Provided that constables on appointment shall be supplied with two jackets, two skirts, four shirts, twelve collars, two ties and twelve pairs of stockings and one of each of the other articles above mentioned, and shall not, in the case of any article except the raincoat, be required to have the number specified in the last column in their possession until after the second (or in the case of jackets and skirts the third) issue of such articles.

Where boots are provided by the Police Authority for the purposes of duty, the issue shall be at the rate of two pairs annually or as may be approved by the Secretary of State.

Regulation 77 ...

For the words "Waterproof coat or cape" there shall be substituted the words "Waterproof cape".

Second Appendix

The words "Shirts, collars and ties" shall be deleted.

Paragraph (8) shall be omitted.

EXPLANATORY NOTE

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The amendments alter the scale of issue of uniform and abolish fees in respect of promotion examinations for police women in Scotland.