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The Police (Performance and Attendance)
Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2016

PART 2

General

Police friend

5.—(1) The member concerned may choose a police officer who is not otherwise involved in the matter, to act as his police friend.

(2) A police friend may—

- (a) advise the member concerned throughout the proceedings under these Regulations;
- (b) unless the member concerned has the right to be legally represented and chooses to be so represented, represent the member concerned at a meeting under these Regulations;
- (c) make representations to the appropriate authority concerning any aspect of the proceedings under these Regulations; and
- (d) accompany the member concerned to any meeting which the member concerned is required to attend under these Regulations.

(3) The Chief Constable shall permit a police friend who is a member of the police service to use a reasonable amount of duty time for the purposes referred to in paragraph (2).