



# Ministry of Defence Police Act 1987

## 1987 CHAPTER 4

### <sup>F2</sup><sup>F1</sup> 2B Constables serving with other forces

- (1) This section applies where a member of the Ministry of Defence Police serves with a relevant force under arrangements made between the chief officer of that force and the chief constable of the Ministry of Defence Police.
- (2) The member of the Ministry of Defence Police—
  - (a) shall be under the direction and control of the chief officer of the relevant force; and
  - (b) shall have the same powers and privileges as a member of that force.
- (3) In this section—
  - <sup>F3</sup> “ British Transport Police Force ” has the same meaning as in section 2 above; ]
  - “ chief officer ” means—
    - (a) any chief officer of police of a police force for a police area in <sup>F4</sup>England and Wales];
    - (aa) <sup>F5</sup>the chief constable of the Police Service of Scotland;]
    - (b) the chief constable of the Police Service of Northern Ireland;
    - (c) <sup>F6</sup>the Director General of the National Criminal Intelligence Service;]
    - (d) <sup>F6</sup>the Director General of the National Crime Squad;]
    - (e) the chief constable of the British Transport Police Force; or
    - (f) the chief constable of the <sup>F7</sup>Civil Nuclear Constabulary];
  - “ relevant force ” means—
    - (a) any police force for a police area in <sup>F8</sup>England and Wales];
    - (aa) <sup>F9</sup>the Police Service of Scotland;]
    - (b) the Police Service of Northern Ireland;
    - (c) <sup>F6</sup>the National Criminal Intelligence Service;]
    - (d) <sup>F6</sup>the National Crime Squad;]
    - (e) the British Transport Police Force; or
    - (f) <sup>F10</sup>the Civil Nuclear Constabulary.]

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*Changes to legislation: There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Ministry of Defence Police Act 1987, Section 2B. (See end of Document for details)*

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### Textual Amendments

- F1** S. 2B inserted (1.10.2002) by [Police Reform Act 2002 \(c. 30\)](#), s. {78}; S.I. 2002/2306, [art. 2\(e\)](#)
- F2** S. 2B amended (1.7.2004) by [Railways and Transport Safety Act 2003 \(c. 20\)](#), [Sch. 5 para. 4](#); S.I. 2004/1572, [art. 3\(jjj\)](#)
- F3** Definition of “British Transport Police Force” in 2B(3) (1.7.2004) ceases to have effect by virtue of [Railways and Transport Safety Act 2003 \(c. 20\)](#), [Sch. 5 para. 4](#); S.I. 2004/1572, [art. 3\(jjj\)](#)
- F4** Words in definition of 'chief officer' in s. 2B(3) substituted (1.4.2013) by [The Police and Fire Reform \(Scotland\) Act 2012 \(Consequential Provisions and Modifications\) Order 2013 \(S.I. 2013/602\)](#), art. 1(2), [Sch. 2 para. 20\(5\)\(a\)\(i\)](#)
- F5** Words in definition of 'chief officer' in s. 2B(3) inserted (1.4.2013) by [The Police and Fire Reform \(Scotland\) Act 2012 \(Consequential Provisions and Modifications\) Order 2013 \(S.I. 2013/602\)](#), art. 1(2), [Sch. 2 para. 20\(5\)\(a\)\(ii\)](#)
- F6** Words in s. 2B(3) repealed (E.W.) (1.4.2006) by [Serious Organised Crime and Police Act 2005 \(c. 15\)](#), s. 178(8)(8), [Sch. 4 para. 49](#), [17 Pt. 2](#); S.I. 2006/378, art. 4(1), [Sch. paras. 10, 13\(s\)](#)
- F7** Words in s. 2B(3) substituted (1.4.2005) by [Energy Act 2004 \(c. 20\)](#), s. 198(2), [Sch. 14 para. 5\(3\)\(a\)](#); S.I. 2005/877, art. 2(1), [Sch. 1](#)
- F8** Words in definition 'relevant force' in s. 2B(3) substituted (1.4.2013) by [The Police and Fire Reform \(Scotland\) Act 2012 \(Consequential Provisions and Modifications\) Order 2013 \(S.I. 2013/602\)](#), art. 1(2), [Sch. 2 para. 20\(5\)\(b\)\(i\)](#)
- F9** Words in definition of 'relevant force' in s. 2B(3) inserted (1.4.2013) by [The Police and Fire Reform \(Scotland\) Act 2012 \(Consequential Provisions and Modifications\) Order 2013 \(S.I. 2013/602\)](#), art. 1(2), [Sch. 2 para. 20\(5\)\(b\)\(ii\)](#)
- F10** Words in s. 2B(3) substituted (1.4.2005) by [Energy Act 2004 \(c. 20\)](#), s. 198(2), [Sch. 14 para. 5\(3\)\(b\)](#); S.I. 2005/877, art. 2(1), [Sch. 1](#)
- F11** Definition of “United Kingdom Atomic Energy Authority Constabulary in s. 2B(3) repealed (1.4.2005) by [Energy Act 2004 \(c. 20\)](#), s. 198(2), [Sch. 23 Pt. 1](#); S.I. 2005/877, art. 2(1), [Sch. 1](#)

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