



Police Reform and Social Responsibility Act 2011

2011 CHAPTER 13

PART 1

POLICE REFORM

CHAPTER 6

POLICE AND CRIME COMMISSIONERS: ELECTIONS AND VACANCIES

Vacancy or incapacity

63 Vacancy where acting commissioner acts for 6 months

- (1) Subsection (2) applies where—
- (a) an acting commissioner is appointed under section 62 to act for the police and crime commissioner for a police area because the police and crime commissioner is incapacitated, and
 - (b) the police and crime commissioner does not cease to be incapacitated during the period of 6 months beginning with the day on which the acting commissioner is appointed.
- (2) At the end of that 6 month period—
- (a) the police and crime commissioner ceases to be police and crime commissioner, and
 - (b) accordingly, the office of police and crime commissioner for that police area becomes vacant.

Changes to legislation: There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Police Reform and Social Responsibility Act 2011, Section 63. (See end of Document for details)

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Modifications etc. (not altering text)

- C1** S. 63 applied (with modifications) (8.5.2017) by [The Greater Manchester Combined Authority \(Transfer of Police and Crime Commissioner Functions to the Mayor\) Order 2017 \(S.I. 2017/470\)](#), art. 1(2), **Sch. 1 para. 28**
- C2** S. 63 modified (20.12.2023) by [The York and North Yorkshire Combined Authority Order 2023 \(S.I. 2023/1432\)](#), arts. 1(2), 33(2), **Sch. 5 para. 28**
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Commencement Information

- I1** S. 63 in force at 25.4.2012 by [S.I. 2012/1129](#), **art. 2(b)**

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