



Public Service Vehicle (Arrest of Offenders) Act 1975

1975 CHAPTER 53

An Act to authorise the arrest without warrant of certain persons suspected of contravening regulations about the conduct of passengers in public service vehicles.
[1st August 1975]

Modifications etc. (not altering text)

C1 Words of enactment omitted under authority of [Statute Law Revision Act 1948 \(c. 62\)](#), s. 3

Commencement Information

I1 Act wholly in force at Royal Assent.

1 Arrest without warrant of suspected offenders.

If a constable suspects with reasonable cause that a person has contravened or failed to comply with a provision of . . . ^{F1}byelaws made under section 46 of the ^{M1}Tramways Act 1870 with respect to the conduct of persons in tramcars, the constable may require the person to give his name and address to the constable; and if the person—

- (a) refuses to give his name and address to the constable; or
- (b) gives a name and address to the constable but does not answer to the satisfaction of the constable questions put to him by the constable for the purpose of ascertaining whether the name and address are correct,

the constable may arrest him without a warrant.

Textual Amendments

F1 Words repealed by [Public Passenger Vehicles Act 1981 \(c. 14, SIF 107:1\)](#), s. 88, [Sch. 8](#)

Marginal Citations

M1 [1870 c. 78](#).

Status: Point in time view as at 01/02/1991.

Changes to legislation: There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Public Service Vehicle (Arrest of Offenders) Act 1975 (Repealed 26.2.1998). (See end of Document for details)

2 Short title, repeal, commencement and extent.

- (1) This Act may be cited as the Public Service Vehicles (Arrest of Offenders) Act 1975.
- (2) F2
- (3) In the preceding section the words from “or of byelaws” to “tramcars” shall come into force on such date as the Secretary of State may appoint by order made by statutory instrument.
- (4) This Act does not extend to Scotland and Northern Ireland.

Textual Amendments

F2 S. 2(2) repealed by Public Passenger Vehicles Act 1981 (c. 14, SIF 107:1), s. 88, **Sch. 8**

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