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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2017 No. 863**

**FIRE AND RESCUE SERVICES, ENGLAND  
POLICE, ENGLAND**

The Fire and Rescue Authority (Police and  
Crime Commissioner) (Application of Local  
Policing Provisions, Inspection, Powers to Trade  
and Consequential Amendments) Order 2017

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**THE FIRE AND RESCUE AUTHORITY (POLICE AND  
CRIME COMMISSIONER) (APPLICATION OF LOCAL  
POLICING PROVISIONS, INSPECTION, POWERS TO TRADE  
AND CONSEQUENTIAL AMENDMENTS) ORDER 2017**

PART 1

General

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Appointment, Suspension and Dismissal of the Chief Fire Officer

CHAPTER 1

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*Status: This is the original version (as it was originally made). This item of legislation is currently only available in its original format.*

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## CHAPTER 2

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15. Suspension of the chief fire officer

## CHAPTER 3

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16. Dismissal of the chief fire officer
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18. Authority's duty to consult chief fire and rescue inspector for England
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28. The following local policing enactments apply to an Authority with...

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29. The enactments set out in Schedule 2 are amended as...  
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SCHEDULE 1 — Modification of Local Policing Enactments in their application to an Authority

1. Elected Local Policing Bodies (Specified Information) Order 2011
2. Article 1(2) is to be read as if—
3. Article 2 is to be read as if—
4. The Schedule is to be read as if—
5. Elected Local Policing Bodies (Complaints and Misconduct) Regulations 2012
6. Police and Crime Panels (Precepts and Chief Constable Appointments) Regulations 2012

SCHEDULE 2 — Consequential Amendments

1. Amendment of the Local Government Officers (Political Restrictions) Regulations 1990
2. Amendment of the Late Payment of Commercial Debts (Interest) Act 1998 (Commencement No. 1) Order 1998
3. Amendment of the Redundancy Payments (Continuity of Employment in Local Government, etc) (Modification) Order 1999
4. Amendment of the Local Government (Best Value) Performance Indicators and Performance Standards (England) Order 2005
5. Amendment of the Council Tax (Demand Notices) (England) Regulations 2009
6. Amendment of the Elected Local Policing Bodies (Specified Information) Order 2011
7. Amendment of the Community Right to Challenge (Fire and Rescue Authorities and Rejection of Expressions of Interest) (England) Regulations 2012
8. Amendment of the Council Tax Reduction Schemes (Prescribed Requirements) (England) Regulations 2012
9. Amendment of the Re-use of Public Sector Information Regulations 2015
10. Amendment of the Trade Union (Facility Time Publication Requirements) Regulations 2017
11. Amendment of the Equality Act 2010 (Specific Duties and Public Authorities) Regulations 2017

Explanatory Note