
STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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The Police Federation Regulations 1969

PART II

ORGANISATION

Central conferences

9.—(1) There shall be constituted, in accordance with this Regulation, an inspectors', a sergeants' and a constables' central conference.

(2) Each branch board, at their annual meeting, shall elect from among the men holding the rank of inspector, sergeant or, as the case may be, constable in the police force, such number of delegates to the appropriate central conference as is provided in Part I of Schedule 4:

Provided that a woman member of a branch board shall not vote in an election held for the purposes of this paragraph.

(3) The women members of the inspectors', sergeants' and constables' branch boards for the branches of the Federation in each of the regions mentioned in Schedule 5 shall elect, from among the women holding the rank of inspector, sergeant or, as the case may be, constable in a police force in the region in question, such number of delegates to the appropriate central conference as is provided in Part II of Schedule 4.

(4) The women holding the rank of inspector, sergeant or, as the case may be, constable in the metropolitan police force or the City of London police force shall elect, from among their number, four delegates to the appropriate central conference.

(5) A person shall cease to be a delegate to a central conference if he ceases to hold the rank of inspector, sergeant or, as the case may be, constable or ceases to be a member of the branch from which he is a delegate or, in the case of a woman, of a branch in the region from which she is a delegate or, as the case may be, of the metropolitan police force or the City of London police force.

(6) Where a member of a branch board has been chosen as such a central officer of the Federation as is mentioned in Regulation 6(11), he shall, by virtue of this paragraph and without prejudice to the filling of any casual vacancy among the delegates elected by that board to the appropriate central conference, become an additional delegate from that board to that conference and, subject to paragraph (5), shall remain such until some other person is chosen for the office in question.

(7) Schedule 3 shall have effect in relation to each of the central conferences.