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STATUTORY INSTRUMENTS

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**2013 No. 1542**

The Police and Criminal Evidence Act 1984  
(Application to immigration officers and designated  
customs officials in England and Wales) Order 2013

PART 3

INVESTIGATIONS CONDUCTED, AND PERSONS  
DETAINED, BY DESIGNATED CUSTOMS OFFICIALS

**Modification of section 46 of the Act (detention after charge)**

27. Section 46 of the Act<sup>(1)</sup>, as applied by article 12, has effect as if for subsection (3) there were substituted—

“(3) If no magistrates’ court in that area is due to sit either on the date on which he is charged or on the next day, the custody officer at the customs office where he is kept in customs detention shall inform the designated officer for the area that there is a person in the area to whom subsection (2) applies.”.

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(1) Section 46 of the Act was amended by the Courts Act 2003(c.39), section 109(1), Schedule 8, paragraph 282.