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## THE POLICE FORCE REGULATIONS 1950, AMENDMENT NO. 8

H. E. BARROWCLOUGH, Administrator of the Government

### ORDER IN COUNCIL

At the Government House at Wellington this 31st day of July 1957

Present:

HIS EXCELLENCY THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE GOVERNMENT IN COUNCIL

PURSUANT to the Police Force Act 1947, His Excellency the Administrator of the Government, acting by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, hereby makes the following regulations.

### REGULATIONS

1. These regulations may be cited as the Police Force Regulations 1950, Amendment No. 8, and shall be read together with and deemed part of the Police Force Regulations 1950\* (hereinafter referred to as the principal regulations).

2. The principal regulations are hereby amended by inserting after regulation 10A, as inserted by regulation 3 of the Police Force Regulations 1950, Amendment No. 4, the following regulation:

“10B. (1) The Commissioner may from time to time, by writing under his hand, either generally or particularly, delegate to such person or persons as he thinks fit any power given to the Commissioner by these regulations to determine whether any allowance is to be paid, or to fix, within the scales provided, the amount thereof, or to approve any other expenditure, but not including this present power of delegation.

“(2) Subject to any general or special directions given by the Commissioner, the person to whom any powers are delegated under this regulation may exercise those powers in the same manner and with the same effect as if they had been conferred on him directly by this regulation and not by delegation.

“(3) Every person purporting to act pursuant to any delegation under this regulation shall be presumed to be acting in accordance with the terms of the delegation in the absence of proof to the contrary.

\*S.R. 1950/107

Amendment No. 1: S.R. 1951/10  
 Amendment No. 2: S.R. 1953/26  
 Amendment No. 3: S.R. 1955/13  
 Amendment No. 4: S.R. 1955/118  
 Amendment No. 5: S.R. 1955/170  
 Amendment No. 6: S.R. 1956/63  
 Amendment No. 7: S.R. 1956/224

“(4) Any delegation under this regulation may be made to a specified person or may be made to the holder for the time being of a specified office.

“(5) Every delegation under this regulation shall be revocable at will, and no such delegation shall prevent the exercise of any power by the Commissioner.

“(6) Any such delegation shall, until revoked, continue in force according to its tenor, notwithstanding the fact that the Commissioner by whom it was made may have ceased to hold office, and shall continue to have effect as if made by the successor in office of that Commissioner.”

3. The principal regulations are hereby amended by inserting after regulation 33A, as inserted by regulation 2 of the Police Force Regulations 1950, Amendment No. 2, the following regulation:

“33B. (1) Members of the Force with special qualifications may be appointed by the Commissioner for the purpose of—

“(a) Handling dogs engaged in police work and of training members of the Police Dog Unit; or

“(b) Acting as motor driving instructors; or

“(c) Acting as motor mechanics.

“(2) The provision of regulation 33A of these regulations relating to the appointment, payment, and promotion of members of the Force as radio technicians shall, with the necessary modifications, apply to the appointment, payment, and promotion of members of the Force appointed under subclause (1) of this regulation.”

T. J. SHERRARD,  
Clerk of the Executive Council.

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#### EXPLANATORY NOTE

*This note is not part of the regulations, but is intended to indicate their general effect.*

Regulation 2 provides for the delegation by the Commissioner of his powers relating to the payment of allowances or the approving of expenditure.

Regulation 33A of the principal regulations provides for the appointment of members of the Force with special qualifications as radio technicians. Where any such appointment is made special provisions relating to promotion apply but any promotion under those provisions remains in force only while service as a radio technician continues. Regulation 3 applies the same provisions to members of the Force appointed for the purpose of handling dogs engaged on police work and in training members of the Police Dog Unit, acting as motor driving instructors, or acting as motor mechanics.

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These regulations are administered in the Police Department.