



Terrorism Act 2006

2006 CHAPTER 11

PART 2

MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

Detention of terrorist suspects

24 Grounds for extending detention

- (1) In Schedule 8 to the Terrorism Act 2000, in paragraph 23(1) (grounds on which a review officer may authorise continued detention), after paragraph (b) insert—
 - “(ba) pending the result of an examination or analysis of any relevant evidence or of anything the examination or analysis of which is to be or is being carried out with a view to obtaining relevant evidence;”.
- (2) In sub-paragraph (1) of paragraph 32 of that Schedule (grounds on which a judicial authority may authorise further detention), for the words from “to obtain” to “preserve relevant evidence” substitute “ as mentioned in sub-paragraph (1A) ”.
- (3) After that sub-paragraph insert—
 - “(1A) The further detention of a person is necessary as mentioned in this sub-paragraph if it is necessary—
 - (a) to obtain relevant evidence whether by questioning him or otherwise;
 - (b) to preserve relevant evidence; or
 - (c) pending the result of an examination or analysis of any relevant evidence or of anything the examination or analysis of which is to be or is being carried out with a view to obtaining relevant evidence.”
- (4) In paragraph 23(4) (meaning of “relevant evidence”), for “sub-paragraph (1)(a) and (b)” substitute “ this paragraph ”.
- (5) In paragraph 32(2) (meaning of “relevant evidence”), for “sub-paragraph (1)” substitute “ this paragraph ”.

Changes to legislation: There are currently no known outstanding effects for the Terrorism Act 2006, Section 24. (See end of Document for details)

- (6) This section does not apply in a case in which—
- (a) the arrest of the person detained under section 41 of the Terrorism Act 2000 took place before the commencement of this section; or
 - (b) his examination under Schedule 7 to that Act began before the commencement of this section.

Commencement Information

II S. 24 in force at 25.7.2006 by S.I. 2006/1936, art. 2(2)(a)

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