

SCHEDULES

SCHEDULE 16

POLICE REFORM: MINOR AND CONSEQUENTIAL AMENDMENTS

PART 3

OTHER ENACTMENTS

Police Reform Act 2002

- 292 (1) Section 38 (police powers for police authority employees) is amended in accordance with this paragraph.
- (2) In the title, for “**police authority employees**” substitute “**civilian staff**”.
- (3) In subsection (1), for the words from “designate” to “an officer” substitute “designate a relevant employee as an officer”.
- (4) In subsection (7), for “An employee of a police authority” substitute “A relevant employee”.
- (5) After subsection (9) insert—
- “(11) In this section “relevant employee” means—
- (a) in the case of—
- (i) a police force maintained for a police area in accordance with section 2 of the Police Act 1996, or
- (ii) the police force maintained for the metropolitan police district in accordance with section 5A of that Act,
- a member of the civilian staff of that police force (within the meaning of Part 1 of the Police Reform and Social Responsibility Act 2011);
- (b) in the case of any other police force, a person who—
- (i) is employed by the police authority maintaining that force, and
- (ii) is under the direction and control of the chief officer making a designation under subsection (1).”.