

L.N. 146 of 2017

**POLICE ACT
(CAP. 164)**

Malta Police (Amendment) Regulations, 2017

IN exercise of the powers conferred by article 107 of the Police Act, the Minister responsible for the Police has made the following regulations:-

1. The title of these regulations is the Malta Police (Amendment) Regulations, 2017 and these regulations shall be read and construed as one with the Malta Police Regulations, hereinafter referred to as "the principal regulations".
Citation.
S.L 164.01.
2. Regulation 3 of the principal regulations shall be amended as follows:
Amends regulation 3 of the principal regulations.
 - (a) in sub-regulation 3(b) thereof, the words "Chief Government Medical Officer or his lawful representative" shall be substituted by the words "Police Medical Officer";
 - (b) in sub-regulation 3(b)(i) thereof, the word "ration" shall be substituted by the word "ratio"; and
 - (c) in sub-regulation 3(c) thereof, the words "such educational examination" shall be substituted by the words "such physical and educational examination".
3. In the proviso to regulation 4(2) of the principal regulations, the words "if the President of Malta so directs." shall be substituted by the words "if the Commissioner so directs.". Amends regulation 4 of the principal regulations.
4. Regulation 6 of the principal regulations shall be amended as follows:
Amends regulation 6 of the principal regulations.
 - (a) in regulation 6(1) thereof, the words "as the President of Malta may direct." shall be substituted by the words "as the Commissioner or Permanent Secretary serving in the Ministry responsible for the Police, as the case may be, may direct."; and
 - (b) the proviso to regulation 6(3) thereof shall be deleted.
5. Sub-regulation (1) of regulation 8 of the principal regulations shall be substituted by the following new sub-regulation Amends regulation 8 of the principal regulations.

(1):

"(1) Without prejudice to the provisions of the Police Act, any member of the Force may make written or oral representations upon any matter by which he considers himself aggrieved, and such representations shall, subject to the provisions of sub-regulation (2), be made through the ordinary chain of command."

Amends
regulation 9 of
the principal
regulations.

6. In regulation 9 of the principal regulations, the words "in the Second Schedule to these Regulations" shall be substituted by the words "in the Second Schedule to the Police Act."

Amends
regulation 10 of
the principal
regulations.

7. Regulation 10 of the principal regulations shall be substituted by the following new regulation:

"Penalty

10. After having inquired into any charge or complaint of an offence against discipline committed by a member of the Force, the Commissioner shall proceed in accordance with the provisions of the Police Act."

Deletes
Schedule 1 to
the principal
regulations.

8. Schedule 1 shall be deleted.

Deletes
Schedule 2 to
the principal
regulations.

9. Schedule 2 shall be deleted.

