# DETERMINATIONS OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE UNDER THE POLICE REGULATIONS 2003

The Secretary of State, in exercise of the powers conferred by regulations 24 and 34 of the Police Regulations 2003 (SI 2003/537), as amended, makes the following determination.

In accordance with the requirements of regulation 46 of the Police Regulations 2003, the Secretary of State has taken into consideration the recommendations made by the Police Negotiating Board and supplied that Board with a draft of this determination.

The Secretary of State has determined that, with effect from 1 April, except where otherwise stated:—

In the determination under regulation 24 of the Police Regulations 2003 (Annex F – Pay), in Part 2, below the section with the heading 'CONSTABLES' PAY with effect from  $1^{st}$  September 2010' and before the section with the heading 'CONSTABLES' PAY for those joining on or after  $1^{st}$  April 2013' there shall be inserted the following:

CONSTABLES' PAY with effect from 1st September 2010 and 1st September 2013

ANNEX F (Part 2) -

Regulation 24

Pay point	With effect from	With effect from
	1 September 2010	1 September 2013
On commencing Service	£23,259	£23,493
On completion Of initial training	£25,962	£26,223
2	£27,471 (a)	£27,747 (a)
3	£29,148	£29,439
4	£30,066	£30,366
5	£31,032	£31,341
6	£31,917	£32,235
7	£32,703	£33,030
8	£33,753	£34,092
9	£35,796	£36,153
10	£36,519 (b)	£36,885 (b)

- (a) All members move to this salary point on completion of two years' service as a constable.
- (b) Members on this point who are in receipt of competence related threshold payment will continue to receive the payment in accordance with determinations made under Regulation 24, and inserted into Annex F, Part 9A.

In the determination under regulation 24 of the Police Regulations 2003 (Annex F – Pay), in Part 2, for the section with the heading 'CONSTABLES' PAY for those joining on or after  $1^{st}$  April 2013', there shall be substituted the following:

CONSTABLES' PAY with effect from 1 September 2013 (for those who joined on or after 1<sup>st</sup> April 2013)

	With effect from	With effect from
Pay point	1 April 2013	1 September 2013
0	£19,000	£19,191 (a), (b)
1	£22,000	£22,221 (c)
2	£23,000	£23,229 (d)
3	£24,000	£24,240
4	£25,000	£25,251
5	£27,000	£27,270
6	£31,032	£31,341
7	£36,519	£36,885

- (a) Entry point for a member appointed in the rank of constable; however:
  - (i) unless the chief officer of police may, after consultation with the local policing body, assign any member to pay point 1 on the basis of local recruitment needs or the possession of a policing qualification or relevant experience other than those specified in sub-paragraph (ii) of this note; and
  - (ii) the chief officer of police shall assign to pay point 1 any member who:,
    - (1) possesses a Policing Qualification as defined by the chief officer after consultation with the local policing body;
    - (2) was, prior to appointment, serving as a Special Constable who has been assessed and has achieved 'Safe and Lawful' attainment to National Standards, or the equivalent as specified by the chief officer;
    - (3) was, prior to appointment, serving as a Police Community Support Officer who has been signed off as competent to perform independent patrol and who has served a minimum of 18 months in the role.
- (b) The salary paid to a member at pay point 0 shall be between £19,191 and £22,220 as determined by the chief officer of police, after consultation with the local policing body, based on local recruitment needs or the possession of a policing qualification or relevant experience other than those specified in sub-paragraph (ii) of note (a) above.

- (c) On completion of initial training, a member who entered at pay point 0 will move to pay point 1.
- (d) All members will move to pay point 2 after 12 months at pay point 1, and progression will continue to be at a rate of one pay point per 12 months of service thereafter.

In the determination under regulation 24 of the Police Regulations 2003 (Annex F – Pay), in Part 2, below the section with the heading 'including the section with the heading 'TRANSITIONAL ARRANGEMENTS IN RELATION TO INTRODUCTION OF NEW CONSTABLES' PAY SCALE', there shall be inserted the following:

# CONSTABLES' PAY SCALE with effect from 1<sup>st</sup> April 2014 (for those in service before 1 April 2013)

The constables' pay scale will be reduced by 3 points over two years from 1 April 2014. When a pay point is removed a member will not automatically move to the next highest pay point but will move instead in line with their incremental date and the assimilation procedure detailed below.

ANNEX F (Part 2) -

Regulation 24

Pay point	Annual salary with	Annual salary With
	effect from 1 September	effect from
	2013	1 April 2014
On commencing	£23,493	£23,493
service		
On completion of	£26,223	£26,223
initial training		
2	£27,747(a)	£27,747(a)
3	£29,439	£29,439
4	£30,366	£30,366
5	£31,341	£31,341
6	£32,235	
7	£33,030	£33,030
8	£34,092	£34,092
9	£36,153	£36,153
10	£36,885(b)	£36,885(b)

- (a) All members move to this salary point on completion of two years' service as a constable.
- (b) Members on this point who are in receipt of competence related threshold payment will continue to receive the payment in accordance with Regulation 24, Annex F, Part 9A

### CONSTABLES' PAY ASSIMILATION PROCEDURE WITH EFFECT FROM 1 APRIL 2014

a) To counteract the anomalies which would have arisen from assimilation to the above new pay scale, implemented with effect from 1 April 2014, the incremental dates of members listed below will, *for pay purposes only*, change where indicated in the following table:

Members start date <u>Incremental date</u>

Pre- 1 October 2004 starters: no change

Starters between 2 October 2004 change to 1 October from 2015

and 31 December 2004:

Starters between 1 January 2005 no change to incremental date until 1

and 30 September 2005: October 2015. Members then move to pay

point 9<sup>1</sup> (as at 1 September 2013)

Starters between 2 October 2005 change to 1 October from 2015

and 31 December 2005:

Starters between 1 January 2006 no change to incremental date until and 31 March 2006: 1 October 2015. Members then move to

pay point 8<sup>1</sup> (as at 1 September 2013)

Starters between 1 April 2006 change to 1 October from 2015

and 30 September 2006:

Starters between 2 October 2006 change to 1 October from 2015

and 31 December 2006:

Starters between 1 January 2007 no change to incremental date until and 31 March 2007: 1 October 2015. Members then move to

pay point 8<sup>1</sup> (as at 1 September 2013)

Starters between 1 April 2007 change to 1 October from 2015

and 30 September 2007:

Post- 1 October 2007 starters no change

- b) There will be no change to incremental dates for any member with a 1<sup>st</sup> October start date (of any year).
- c) The changes to incremental dates listed above in the table at paragraph a) will need to remain in place until members reach the top of the constables' scale, in order to avoid yet further anomalies arising.
- d) All other members move on to the next point in the scale in accordance with their normal incremental dates.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> This means that those who joined between 1 January and 30 September 2005 will move twice in 2015: firstly on their current incremental date and again on 1 October, which will become their new incremental date. This also applies to members who joined between 1 January and 31 March 2006 and 1 January and 31 March 2007.

e) Members who were eligible to progress to pay point 3 during the suspension of incremental progression could not accrue reckonable service on that pay point during the suspension period. Consequently, these members will move to pay point 4 on 1 April 2015 and this will be their new incremental date.

In the determination under regulation 24 of the Police Regulations 2003 (Annex F – Pay), in Part 2, for the heading 'CONSTABLES' PAY SCALE – ASSIMILATION PROCEDURE' shall be substituted the following heading (paragraphs 1-9 following the heading shall remain):

CONSTABLES' PAY SCALE – ASSIMILATION PROCEDURE 2003-2005

### **SERGEANTS' PAY**

In the determination under regulation 24 of the Police Regulations 2003 (Annex F – Pay), in Part 3, below the section entitled 'SERGEANTS' PAY with effect from 1 September 2010' there shall be inserted the following:

SERGEANTS' PAY with effect from 1 September 2010 and 1 September 2013

Pay point	With effect from 1	With effect from 1
	September 2010	September 2013
0	£36,519	£36,885 (a)
1	£37,767	£38,145 (b)
2	£39,036	£39,426
3	£39,867	£40,266
4	£41,040	£41,451(c)

- (a) Entry point for members promoted from constables' pay point 9 or less.
- (b) Entry point for members promoted from constables' pay point 10.
- (c) Members on this point who are in receipt of a competence related threshold payment will continue to receive the payment in accordance with Regulation 24, Annex F, Part 9A

SERGEANTS' PAY with effect from 1 April 2014

Pay point	With effect from 1 September 2013	With effect from 1 April 2014
0	36,885	
1	38,145	38,145 (a)
2	39,426	39,426
3	40,266	40,266
4	41,451	41,451 (b)

- (a) Entry point for members promoted from constable.
- (b) Members on this point who are in receipt of competence related threshold payment will continue to receive the payment in accordance with Regulation 24, Annex F, Part 9A'

# Sergeants' Pay - Assimilation Procedure with effect from 1 April 2014

- 1. Pay point 0 of the current sergeants' pay scale will be removed from 1 April 2014 to ensure that sergeants are always paid more than constables, consistent with the greater responsibilities of the job.
- 2. Sergeants on pay point 0 will move to pay point 1 of the pay scale on 1 April 2014.
- 3. Those sergeants who move from pay point 0 to pay point 1 on 1 April 2014 will have a new incremental date of 1 April. They will therefore move to pay point 2 on 1 April 2015.
- 4. Incremental progression was suspended for two-years from 1 April 2012 to 31 March 2014 as at Regulation 24, Annex F, Part 1A. Those sergeants frozen at points 1, 2 or 3 during the suspension of incremental progression do not change incremental dates.

## **INSPECTORS' PAY**

(London salaries in brackets)

In the determination under regulation 24 of the Police Regulations 2003 (Annex F – Pay), in Part 4, below the section entitled 'INSPECTORS' PAY with effect from 1 September 2010' there shall be inserted the following:

INSPECTORS' PAY with effect from 1 September 2010 and 1 September 2013

Pay point	With effect from	With effect from
	1 September 2010	1 September 2013
0	£46,788	£47,256
	(£48,840)	(£49,329)
1	£48,108	£48,588
	(£50,163)	(£50,664)
2	£49,428	£49,923
	(£51,489)	(£52,005)
3	£50,751	£51,258 (a)
	(£52,818)	(£53,346)(a)

(a) Members on this point who are in receipt of competence related threshold payment will continue to receive the payment in accordance with Regulation 24, Annex F, Part 9A.

Incremental progression was suspended for two-years from 1 April 2012 to 31 March 2014 as at Regulation 24, Annex F, Part 1A. On resumption of incremental progression on 1 April 2014, there shall be no changes to members' existing incremental dates.

### **CHIEF INSPECTORS' PAY**

(London salaries in brackets)

In the determination under regulation 24 of the Police Regulations 2003 (Annex F – Pay), in Part 5, below the section entitled 'CHIEF INSPECTORS' PAY with effect from 1 September 2010' (including the section entitled 'Chief Inspectors in post at August 1994), there shall be inserted the following:

CHIEF INSPECTORS' PAY with effect from 1 September 2010 and 1 September 2013

Pay point	With effect from 1	With effect from 1
	September 2010	September 2013
1	£51,789 (a)	£52,308 (a)
	(£53,853) (a)	(£54,393) (a)
2	£52,830	£53,358
	(£54,888)	(£55,437)
3	£53,919	£54,459 (b)
	(£55,980)	(£56,541)(b)

- (a) Entry point for a member appointed to the rank, unless the chief officer of police assigns the member to the higher point.
- (b) Members on this point who are in receipt of competence related threshold payment will continue to receive the payment in accordance with Regulation 24, Annex F, Part 9A.

Incremental progression was suspended for two-years from 1 April 2012 to 31 March 2014 as at Regulation 24, Annex F, Part 1A. On resumption of incremental progression on 1 April 2014, there shall be no changes to members' existing incremental dates.

### **CHIEF INSPECTORS IN POST AT 31 AUGUST 1994**

(London salaries in brackets)

Annual salary with	Annual salary with
effect from 1	effect from 1
September 2010	September 2013
£54,801 (£56,853)	£55,350 (a)
	(£57,423)(a)

(a) Members on this point who are in receipt of competence related threshold payment will continue to receive the payment in accordance with the determination made under Regulation 24, Annex F, Part 9A.

### SUPERINTENDENTS' PAY

In the determination under regulation 24 of the Police Regulations 2003 (Annex F – Pay), in Part 6(i), below the section entitled 'SUPERINTENDENTS' PAY with effect from 1 September 2010' there shall be inserted the following:

# SUPERINTENDENTS' PAY for those holding the rank of Superintendent on or after 1 September 2013

Pay point	With effect from 1 September 2013 (existing pay scale)	With effect from 1 April 2014 (new pay scale)
1	£62,922	£62,922
2	£65,517	£66,210
3	£68,112	£69,669
4	£70,716	£74,322
5	£73,311	

Incremental progression was suspended for two-years from 1 April 2012 to 31 March 2014 under a determination made under Regulation 24 and inserted in Annex F – Part 6 (i) under the heading 'Incremental Progression. Members could not accrue reckonable service for the purposes of pay during the suspension period. The meaning of 'reckonable service' for the purposes of pay is set out under Police Regulations 2003.

Transition to the new pay scale will take place as follows:

### 1) Superintendents promoted on or after 1 April 2014

Members promoted either temporarily or substantively to the rank of Superintendent on or after 1 April 2014 will join the new 4 point pay scale on the date of their promotion. Incremental progression will follow upon completion of twelve months' reckonable service on each pay point (usually the anniversary of a member's promotion).

### 2) Superintendents promoted on or before 31 March 2014

Members promoted either temporarily or substantively to the rank of Superintendent on or before 31 March 2014 will remain on the existing pay scale. They will move to pay point 4 of the new pay scale (top of scale) no later than the point at which their increment becomes payable during the twelve month period beginning on 1 April 2016 and ending on 31 March 2017.

The following assimilation arrangements will apply to their transition to the new pay scale:

## a) Superintendents on pay points 1 to 4 of the existing pay scale at 1 April 2014

i. Members will progress to the next point on the existing pay scale upon completion of twelve months' reckonable service at a pay point. For example, a member who attained pay point 3 of the existing pay scale on 1 September 2011 will move to pay point 4 of the

same scale on 1 September 2014 and pay point 5 on 1 September 2015. The member will then move to pay point 4 of the new scale (top of scale) on 1 September 2016.

- ii. Members who attained pay point 4 of the existing pay scale prior to the commencement of the freeze on incremental progression will move to pay point 5 of the same scale on completion of twelve months reckonable service at that pay point. Upon completion of twelve months reckonable service on pay point 5, these members will move to pay point 4 of the new scale (top of scale). For example, a member who attained pay point 4 of the existing scale on 1 May 2011 will progress to pay point 5 of the same scale on 1 May 2014 and pay point 4 of the new scale on 1 May 2015.
- iii. All members promoted either temporarily or substantively to the rank of Superintendent between 1 April 2012 and 31 March 2014 (inclusive) will move to pay point 2 on 1 April 2015, upon completion of twelve months reckonable service. With effect from 1 April 2015, the date for incremental progression for these officers in subsequent years will become 1 April.
- iv. All members who remain on the existing pay scale will, regardless of their length of service in the rank, transfer to pay point 4 of the new pay scale (top of scale) no later than the date upon which their increment becomes payable during the twelve month period from 1 April 2016. As a result of this, some anomalies will arise whereby some members will by-pass one or more of the intermediate pay points of both the existing and the new pay scales. For example, a member promoted on 1 April 2012 will progress to pay point 2 of the existing scale on 1 April 2015 and pay point 4 of the new scale (top of scale) on 1 April 2016.

## b) Superintendents currently on pay point 5 of the existing scale

- i. Members will progress to pay point 4 of the new pay scale (top of scale) on 1 April 2014, provided they have already completed twelve months reckonable service at their current pay point.
- ii. Members who, on 1 April 2014, have yet to complete twelve months reckonable service at their current pay point will progress to pay point 4 of the new scale (top of scale) once they have done so. For example, a member who attained pay point 5 of the existing pay scale on 1 September 2011 will progress to pay point 4 of the new pay scale (top of scale) on 1 September 2014.

It is recognised that the introduction of this new pay scale and the assimilation procedure outlined above will result in some Superintendents being overtaken by other officers with shorter service in the rank. Such anomalies will be particularly apparent although time limited, for those members who were promoted to the rank during the suspension of incremental progression.

Temporary service in a higher rank which qualifies as reckonable service for the purposes of pay should be taken into account when determining pay progression.

## **Incremental Progression**

Incremental progression through the pay scale will be dependent upon an officer's performance having been graded as either 'satisfactory' or above in the relevant PDR. In the absence of a PDR, an officer's performance will be assumed to have been 'satisfactory'.

### **Double increments**

Double increments are abolished and will cease to be paid with effect from 1 April 2014.

### Performance –related bonus payments

Performance –related bonus payments are abolished and will cease to be paid with effect from 1 April 2014

The section included in previous amendments to this determination, entitled 'Central Service Posts' has been removed because its application has become obsolete.

Reference to the section included in previous amendments to this determination, entitled 'Superintendent Range 2 - not promoted to Chief Superintendent' has been removed, since this pay range has become obsolete.

### **CHIEF SUPERINTENDENTS' PAY**

In the determination made under regulation 24 of the Police Regulations 2003 (Annex F – Pay), in Part 7, below the section entitled 'CHIEF SUPERINTENDENTS' PAY with effect from 1 September 2010' there shall be inserted the following:

# CHIEF SUPERINTENDENTS' PAY for those holding the rank of Chief Superintendent on or after 1 September 2013

Pay point	With effect from 1	Pay scale with
	September 2013	effect from 1 April
	(existing pay scale)	2014 (new pay
		scale)
1.	£75,138	£77,988
2.	£77,274	£80,628
3.	£79,422	£82,272

Incremental progression was suspended for two-years from 1 April 2012 to 31 March 2014 under a determination made under Regulation 24 and inserted in Annex F – Part 6 (ii) under the heading 'Incremental Progression. Members could not accrue reckonable service for the purposes of pay during the suspension period. The meaning of 'reckonable service' for the purposes of pay is set out under Police Regulations 2003.

Transition to the new pay scale will take place as follows:

### 1) Chief Superintendents promoted on or after 1 April 2014

Members promoted either temporarily or substantively to the rank of Chief Superintendent on or after 1 April 2014 will join the new pay scale on their date of promotion. Incremental progression will follow upon completion of twelve months reckonable service on each pay point (usually the anniversary of a member's promotion).

### 2) Chief Superintendents promoted on or before 31 March 2014

Chief Superintendents promoted to the rank either temporarily or substantively on or before 31 March 2014 will move to the new pay scale on 1 April 2014 at their current pay point. The following assimilation arrangements will apply:

i. Those members who have not already attained pay point 3 (top of scale) by 31 March 2014 will adopt a new incremental progression date of 1 April with effect from 1 April 2014, regardless of their date of promotion to the rank. This means that some members will spend longer than twelve months on their current pay point. For example, if a member was due to move from pay point 2 to pay point 3 on 5 April 2014, that member will receive an initial increase in pay on 1 April 2014 due to the introduction of the new pay scale, but will not then progress to pay point 3 until 1 April 2015.

ii. For the avoidance of doubt, if, by virtue of having completed twelve months' reckonable service on their current pay point, a member's next increment falls due on 1 April 2014, that member will progress to the next pay point of the new scale on this date. This will prevent such members experiencing the equivalent of an additional twelve months' 'freeze' on incremental progression.

Temporary service in a higher rank which qualifies as reckonable service for the purposes of pay should be taken into account when determining pay progression.

## **Incremental Progression**

Incremental progression through the pay scale will be dependent upon an officer's performance having been graded as either 'satisfactory' or above in the relevant PDR. In the absence of a PDR, an officer's performance will be assumed to have been 'satisfactory'.

### **Double increments**

Double increments are abolished and will cease to be paid with effect from 1 April 2014.

## **Performance – related bonus payments**

Performance –related bonus payments are abolished and will cease to be paid with effect from 1 April 2014.

The section included in previous amendments to this determination, entitled 'Central Service Posts' has been removed because its application has become obsolete.

### **Note:**

Performance –related bonus payments and the payment of double increments were suspended for all Superintending ranks for a two year period commencing 1 April 2012 and are abolished with effect from 1 April 2014. Post-Related Allowances remained payable to eligible Chief Superintendents throughout the suspension of incremental progression and will also cease to be paid with effect from 1 April 2014, as at Annex U (9A) made under regulation 34 of, and Schedule 2 to, the Police Regulations 2003). The abolition of PRAs, PRBs, and double increments shall take effect at the same time as the new pay scales are introduced with effect from 1 April 2014.

# **CHIEF OFFICERS**

In the determination under regulation 24 of the Police Regulations 2003 (Annex F – Pay), in Part 8 below 'CHIEF OFFICERS' PAY with effect from 1 September 2010 there shall be inserted the following:

# Pay Structure with effect from 1 September 2013

Force	Forces	C C Salary	D C C Salary
Weighting			
10.0	MPS (4XACs)	£183,270	£140,511 (MPS 8 x DACs)
	West Midlands		
	Greater Manchester		
8.0	West Yorkshire	£171,054	£136,845
6.5	Thames Valley	£161,892	£133,560
6.0	Merseyside	£158,832	£131,040
	Northumbria		
5.5	Hampshire	£155,775	£128,520
5.0	Kent	£152,727	£125,997
	Lancashire		
	Devon & Cornwall		
4.5	South Yorkshire	£149,676	£123,480
	Essex		
	Avon & Somerset		
	Sussex		
	South Wales		
3.5	Nottinghamshire	£143,565	£118,437
3.0	Hertfordshire	£140,511	£115,920
	West Mercia		
	Cheshire		
	Humberside		
	Staffordshire		
	Leicestershire		
	Derbyshire		
2.5	Surrey	£137,454	£113,400
	Norfolk		

2.0	Cleveland Durham Cambridgeshire North Wales North Yorkshire Gwent Northamptonshire Suffolk Dorset Wiltshire Bedfordshire	£134,400	£110,880
1.5	Gloucestershire Lincolnshire Cumbria Warwickshire Dyfed-Powys	£131,343	£109,962

# **Metropolitan Police Service**

Commissioner - £262,689

Deputy Commissioner - £216,870

# **Assistant Chief Constables and Commanders**

With effect from 1 April 2014, the pay scale for ACCs will be replaced with a three-point pay scale. Existing pay points 1, 3 and 5 will be removed on 1 April 2014, 1 April 2015 and 1 April 2016 respectively.

Pay point	With effect from 1 September 2013	With effect from 1 April 2014
1	£91,632	
2	£94,692	£94,692
3	£97,749	£97,749
4	£100,797	£100,797
5	£103,857	£103,857
6	£106,908	£106,908

Double increments will cease to be paid with effect from 17 April 2014.

# City of London Commissioner and Assistant Commissioner

Commissioner - £162,510 Assistant Commissioner - £134,040

### LONDON WEIGHTING

In the determination under regulation 24 of the Police Regulations 2003 (to Annex F – Pay), in Part 10 below the section entitled 'LONDON WEIGHTING' there shall be inserted in the appropriate place in the table (by chronological order) the following:

With effect from	<b>London Weighting Rate</b>

1 July 2013 £2,301

### POST-RELATED ALLOWANCES

In the determination made under regulation 34 of, and Schedule 2 to, the Police Regulations 2003 (Annex U – Allowances) there shall be inserted the following paragraph into Annex U in the appropriate place and numbered as paragraph '9A)'with effect from 1 April 2014:

# 9A) ABOLITION OF POST-RELATED ALLOWANCES FOR CHIEF SUPERINTENDENTS

With effect from 1 April 2014, Post-Related Allowances for chief superintendents are abolished and paragraph 9 of this determination has no further effect.

### DOG HANDLER'S ALLOWANCE

In the determination made under regulation 34 of, and Schedule 2 to, the Police Regulations 2003 (Annex U – Allowances), in Part 2 below 'DOG HANDLER'S ALLOWANCE', for paragraph c) there shall be substituted, with effect from 1 September 2013:-

c) The annual rate of this allowance is as follows: with effect from 1 September 2013, is £2154.