# Public Service (Prison Officers) (Disciplinary Proceedings — Delegation of Functions) Directions

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#### Citation

1. These Directions may be cited as the Public Service (Prison Officers) (Disciplinary Proceedings — Delegation of Functions) Directions.

## Definitions

2. In these Directions, unless the context otherwise requires —

"Commission" means the Police and Civil Defence Services Commission;

- "Director" means the Director of Prisons appointed under section 8 of the Prisons Act [Cap. 247];
- "inmate" means a person who is detained in an approved institution under the Misuse of Drugs Act [Cap. 185];
- "prison officer" means a Rehabilitation Officer, warder or other subordinate officer of Division II rank and below serving in the Prisons Department, whether such officer is holding a permanent, temporary or contract appointment;
- "Superintendent" means a Superintendent of Prisons appointed under section 8 of the Prisons Act.

## **Delegation to Director**

**3.**—(1) The functions of the Commission relating to disciplinary control of prison officers may be exercised by the Director acting in accordance with and subject to these Directions.

(2) The Commission may, in its direction, exercise such functions as are delegated to the Director under paragraph (1) notwithstanding such delegation.

## Procedure when complaint is lodged

**4.** When a complaint is lodged against a prison officer alleging the commission by him of any of the offences referred to in the Schedule, the following procedure shall be adopted: