

Cantonments Act, 1924

Section 250 - ARREST WITHOUT WARRANT - Any member of the police force employed in a cantonment may, without a warrant, arrest any

a) in the case of the breach of any such provision as is specified in Part B of Schedule IV, no person shall be so arrested who consents to give his name and address, unless there is reasonable ground for doubting the accuracy of the name or address so given, the burden of proof of which shall lie on the arresting officer, and no person so arrested shall be detained after his name and address have been ascertained; and (b) no person shall be so arrested for an offence under section 236 except - (i) at the request of the person importuned or of a military officer in whose presence the offence was committed; or (ii) by or at the request of a member of the Military [Naval] or Air Force Police, who is employed in the cantonment and authorised in this behalf by the [Officer Commanding the station], and in whose presence the offence was committed or by or at the request of any police officer not below the rank of a sub-inspector who is employed in the cantonment and authorised in this behalf by the [Officer Commanding the station]. Act 15 of 1983, Clause 142.- In section 250 of the Act, the word "Naval" is being introduced to cover persons in the employment of the Indian Navy. This amendment is consequent to the amendment of section 3 (vide clause 3). - Gaz. of Ind.. 9-7-1982. Pt II, S. 2, Ext., P. 57 (No. 26)

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