

between a retail seller and a retail buyer requires or involves the execution of a promissory note, such note shall have printed on the face thereof the words "consumer note", and such a note with the words "consumer note" printed thereon shall not be a negotiable instrument within the meaning of the Uniform Commercial Code — Commercial Paper. For the purposes of this section "consumer goods" means tangible personal property used or bought for use primarily for personal, family or household purposes.

Whoever obtains a note in violation of this section shall be punished by a fine of not less than one hundred nor more than five hundred dollars.

If a note is obtained in violation of this section, no finance, delinquency, collection, repossession or refinancing charges may be recovered in any action or proceeding based on such contract for sale.

The provisions of this section shall not apply to any notes executed in connection with any financing which is insured under Federal Housing Administration regulations.

Approved May 31, 1961.

Chap. 596. AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE SALARIES OF COURT OFFICERS IN ATTENDANCE UPON THE SUPERIOR COURT IN SUFFOLK COUNTY.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

Section 73 of chapter 221 of the General Laws is hereby amended by striking out the first sentence, as amended by chapter 792 of the acts of 1951, and inserting in place thereof the following sentence:— Each officer in attendance upon the superior court in Suffolk county who is appointed under section seventy shall receive from said county in full for all services performed by him a salary of six thousand nine hundred nineteen dollars and fifty cents, except that such officer designated to act as chief deputy sheriff shall receive a salary of eight thousand one hundred ninety-nine dollars and fifty cents; the officer designated as assistant chief deputy sheriff shall receive a salary of seven thousand nine hundred ninety-nine dollars and fifty cents; the officer in charge of jurors' assembly rooms shall receive a salary of seven thousand six hundred ninety-nine dollars and fifty cents; the assistant to the officer in charge of the jurors' assembly rooms shall receive a salary of seven thousand five hundred seventy-nine dollars and fifty cents; and the officer commissioned as deputy sheriff to supervise the work of other officers and perform other related matters in the disposition session of the criminal court shall receive a salary of seven thousand six hundred ninety-nine dollars and fifty cents.

Approved May 31, 1961.

Chap. 597. AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE DISPOSITION OF THE MILITARY SERVICE CREDIT DEDUCTIONS OF MEMBERS AT THE TIME OF RETIREMENT, WITHDRAWAL, OR REINSTATEMENT UNDER THE CONTRIBUTORY RETIREMENT LAW.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

SECTION 1. Paragraph (b) of subdivision (4) of section 22 of chapter 32 of the General Laws, as appearing in section 1 of chapter 658 of the acts of 1945, is hereby amended by striking out the first sentence