

emergency law, necessary for the immediate preservation of the public convenience.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

Section 9 of chapter 39 of the General Laws is hereby amended by adding the following sentence: — If the day set for a town meeting by by-law or otherwise falls on a legal holiday, such meeting shall be held on the day following

Approved February 6, 1969.

Chap. 11. AN ACT REPEALING THE LAW AUTHORIZING THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF FRANKLIN COUNTY TO SELL BONDS IN THE POSTWAR REHABILITATION FUND AND TO USE THE PROCEEDS TO INSTALL AN ELEVATOR IN THE FRANKLIN COUNTY COURT HOUSE

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

Chapter seventy-two of the acts of nineteen hundred and sixty-seven is hereby repealed.

Approved February 6, 1969.

Chap. 12. AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT AND MAINTENANCE OF CLASSIFICATION PLANS FOR POSITIONS SUBJECT TO THE CIVIL SERVICE LAW IN CITIES AND TOWNS.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

SECTION 1. Section 2A of chapter 31 of the General Laws is hereby amended by striking out paragraph (b), as most recently amended by section 1 of chapter 295 of the acts of 1954, and inserting in place thereof the following paragraph. —

(b) Establish, with the approval of the commission, classification plans for positions in every city and town which are subject to any provision of this chapter. Upon the establishment of such classification plan the director shall forthwith make such plan effective. He shall keep said classification plan current, and, with like approval, may from time to time amend or change said classification plan.

SECTION 2. Section 108A of chapter 41 of the General Laws, as most recently amended by chapter 87 of the acts of 1960, is hereby further amended by adding the following paragraph: —

In any city or town for which a classification plan has been established in accordance with the provisions of paragraph (b) of section two A of said chapter thirty-one, the city or town affected thereby shall, within one year after receiving notice from the director of the effective date of such classification plan or of said amendment or change, establish, amend or change a compensation plan, as the case may be, with a minimum and maximum salary, in accordance with the class and grade, for each position. No rule or regulation or change in rules or regulations shall be promulgated as a part of any such compensation plan except after a public hearing held not less than two weeks nor more than two months after notice thereof shall have been posted in a conspicuous place in the city or town hall and in at least five other convenient and conspicuous places and shall also have been published on one or more days in one or more newspapers having a circulation in the city or town.