

sentences:—Nothing herein shall be construed to limit the right of the director to make an adjustment in an applicant's mark which will reduce the applicant's mark if the requested review of the markings of his examination paper indicates that an error was made in the credit granted for any of the answers in the examination. If in such review the director finds that an error was made in granting credit for an applicant's answer which should not have been granted, he shall also adjust the grade of any other applicant who also received credit for the same answer because of such error.

SECTION 3. The fourth paragraph of said section 12A of said chapter 31, as so appearing, is hereby amended by striking out, in line 4, the words "upon which such appeal is based" and inserting in place thereof the words:—as presented to the director for his review.

Approved April 29, 1971.

Chap. 236. AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF LAWRENCE TO PAY DIRECTLY TO CERTAIN EMPLOYEES OF ITS FIRE DEPARTMENT A UNIFORM ALLOWANCE.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, the city council of the city of Lawrence may, by ordinance, provide for the payment of a uniform allowance directly to those employees of its fire department who are entitled to such allowance.

Approved April 29, 1971.

Chap. 237. AN ACT IMPOSING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS OF OR REFUSALS TO COMPLY WITH THE CIVIL SERVICE LAW.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

SECTION 1. Chapter 31 of the General Laws is hereby amended by striking out section 11, as amended by chapter 27 of the acts of 1959, and inserting in place thereof the following section:—

Section 11. No person by himself or in cooperation with one or more persons shall wilfully or corruptly defeat, deceive or obstruct any person with respect to his right of examination, registration, certification, appointment, promotion or reinstatement pursuant to the provisions of this chapter or of the rules made thereunder; or wilfully or corruptly make a false mark, grade, estimate or report on the examination or proper standing of any person examined under this chapter; or wilfully or corruptly make any false representation concerning the same or concerning the person examined; or wilfully or corruptly furnish to any one special or secret information for the purpose of either improving or injuring the prospects or chances of appointment, employment or promotion of any person examined, registered or certified or to be examined, registered or certified. No person shall impersonate any other person or permit or aid in any manner any other person to impersonate him in connection with any examination, registration or application or request to be examined or registered or in connection with any certification, appointment or promotion.

SECTION 2. Said chapter 31 is hereby further amended by striking out section 51, as appearing in the Tercentenary Edition, and inserting in place thereof the following section:—

Section 51. The director may take any necessary and appropriate action to enforce the provisions of this chapter and the rules made thereunder. Any person who wilfully or negligently violates or conspires to violate any of such provisions or rules, or who knowingly makes an appointment or employs any person in violation of such provisions or rules, or who refuses or neglects to comply with any of such provisions or rules, shall be punished by a fine of not more than one thousand dollars or imprisonment for not more than one year, or both, unless some other penalty is specifically provided in this chapter.

Approved April 29, 1971.

Chap. 238. AN ACT DIRECTING THE BUILDING INSPECTOR OF THE TOWN OF DEDHAM TO ISSUE A PERMIT TO THE DEDHAM HOUSING AUTHORITY TO CONSTRUCT MULTIPLE DWELLING UNITS FOR THE ELDERLY IN SAID TOWN.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

Notwithstanding the provisions of chapter one hundred and forty-five of the General Laws and notwithstanding the provisions of sections six and eight of the zoning by-law for the town of Dedham but, except as herein provided, subject to other applicable provisions of said zoning by-law, the building inspector of the town of Dedham shall issue a permit to the Dedham Housing Authority to construct an eighty-unit multiple housing project for the elderly on a parcel of land in Dedham, pursuant to the provisions of the General Laws applicable thereto, to be known as State-Aided Housing Project Dedham 667-3; provided that all construction shall be of a quality equivalent at least to type 3-B of the BOCA code and provided further that project Dedham 667-3 shall be a permitted use as of right under such zoning by-laws in the area presently zoned as Single Residence B located West of East street, North of Mother Brook and East of the former West Roxbury Branch of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad.

Approved April 29, 1971.

Chap. 239. AN ACT INCREASING THE AMOUNT OF DEATH BENEFITS PAID BY THE MEDFORD POLICE RELIEF ASSOCIATION, INCORPORATED.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

SECTION 1. Medford Police Relief Association, Incorporated, a corporation duly established under the laws of the commonwealth, is hereby authorized, upon the death of the wife of any member in good standing, to pay such member such sum not exceeding five hundred dollars, as may be determined by vote of the members of said corporation, and upon the death of any member in good standing to pay such death benefit, not exceeding five thousand dollars as may be determined as aforesaid. Any member in good standing may, at his option and request, receive a sum of money from the association not to exceed fifty