

Chap. 277. AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE SEEKONK WATER DISTRICT TO BORROW MONEY TO PAY A CERTAIN FINAL JUDGMENT HELD BY THE CITY OF EAST PROVIDENCE IN THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

Notwithstanding the provisions of clause (11) of section seven of chapter forty-four of the General Laws, as made applicable by the provisions of section nine of said chapter forty-four, or any other law to the contrary, the Seekonk Water District may borrow for the payment of a final judgment held by the city of East Providence in the state of Rhode Island against said District on account of land taken for said District, a sum not to exceed sixty thousand dollars, to be repaid within ten years from the date thereof, but shall be subject to all other provisions of said chapter forty-four.

Approved May 18, 1972.

Chap. 278. AN ACT PROVIDING TENURE OF OFFICE UNTIL AGE SEVENTY FOR LINDOLPH O. PARKER, INCUMBENT IN THE OFFICE OF FIRE CHIEF OF THE TOWN OF GRANBY.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

Lindolph O. Parker, incumbent in the office of fire chief of the town of Granby, shall hold said office during good behavior until he reaches age seventy or retires voluntarily prior thereto, unless incapacitated by physical or mental disability from performing the duties thereof, notwithstanding his attaining the maximum age for his retirement group; but he may be removed therefrom for cause after hearing in the manner provided by section forty-three of chapter thirty-one of the General Laws.

Approved May 18, 1972.

Chap. 279. AN ACT FURTHER REGULATING THE HOURS DURING WHICH POLLING PLACES SHALL BE OPEN DURING PRIMARIES.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

Chapter 53 of the General Laws is hereby amended by striking out section 43, as most recently amended by chapter 935 of the acts of 1971, and inserting in place thereof the following section: —

Section 43. The polls at every primary shall be open at least ten hours, such hours to be designated in cities by the aldermen or councilors, and in towns by by-laws or vote, or, in default of such by-laws or vote, by the selectmen. The polls shall in no case be kept open after eight o'clock in the evening.

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