

department may expend such sums as may be appropriated therefor.
Approved April 13, 1973.

Chap. 173. AN ACT REQUIRING PHYSICIANS, DENTISTS, PODIATRISTS AND VETERINARIANS WRITING PRESCRIPTIONS ON THE PRESCRIPTION BLANKS OF HOSPITALS OR CLINICS TO PRINT OR WRITE THEIR NAMES THEREON.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

SECTION 1. Chapter 112 of the General Laws is hereby amended by inserting after section 12G the following section: —

Section 12H. Any physician who writes a prescription upon a prescription blank of a hospital or clinic shall print or type his name directly below his signature thereon.

SECTION 2. Said chapter 112 is hereby further amended by inserting after section 21 the following section: —

Section 21A. Every registered podiatrist who writes a prescription upon a prescription blank of a hospital or clinic shall print or type his name directly below his signature thereon.

SECTION 3. Said chapter 112 is hereby further amended by inserting after section 50 the following section: —

Section 50A. Every registered dentist who writes a prescription upon a prescription blank of a hospital or clinic shall print or type his name directly below his signature thereon.

SECTION 4. Said chapter 112 is hereby further amended by inserting after section 56A the following section: —

Section 56B. Every registered veterinarian who writes a prescription upon a prescription blank of a hospital or clinic shall print or type his name directly below his signature thereon.

Approved April 13, 1973.

Chap. 174. AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF TAUNTON TO PAY CERTAIN SUMS OF MONEY TO HENRY CARDOZA AND JOHN CORREIA, FORMER MEMBERS OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT OF SAID CITY.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

SECTION 1. Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, the city of Taunton is hereby authorized to pay Henry Cardoza the sum of five hundred and seventy-nine dollars and twelve cents and John Correia the sum of eight hundred and twenty-seven dollars and ninety cents, both being former members of the police department of said city, said sums being the amounts awarded to said former police officers pursuant to a collective bargaining contract between said city and the Taunton Police Association as vacation pay for the years nineteen hundred and seventy and nineteen hundred and seventy-one.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

Approved April 17, 1973.