

3A. Notwithstanding the limitations in paragraph 3, a credit union which is insured in full under federal or state law, or under both, may make loans to an amount not exceeding three thousand dollars, and if the assets of such credit union are more than five hundred thousand dollars, to an amount not exceeding four thousand dollars, if evidenced by the note of the borrower with two or more responsible endorsers or co-makers thereon, or with satisfactory collateral pledged to secure the same.

Approved May 23, 1975.

Chap. 245. AN ACT PLACING THE POSITION OF ASSISTANT CITY CLERK OF THE CITY OF WALTHAM UNDER THE CIVIL SERVICE LAW AND RULES.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

SECTION 1. The position of assistant city clerk of the city of Waltham shall be subject to the civil service law and rules, and the tenure of office of the incumbent thereof on the effective date of this act shall be unlimited, subject, however, to said law and rules. Said incumbent shall be subjected to a qualifying examination by the division of civil service and, if he passes said examination, he shall be certified for said position and shall be deemed to be permanently appointed thereto without being required to serve any probationary period. If he fails to pass said examination he may continue to serve in said position but shall not be subject to the civil service law and rules.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon its acceptance by the city of Waltham.

Approved May 23, 1975.

Chap. 246. AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN OF THE TOWN OF ANDOVER TO APPOINT THE REPRESENTATIVE OF SAID TOWN TO THE MERRIMACK VALLEY PLANNING COMMISSION.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

Notwithstanding the provisions of section four of chapter forty B of the General Laws, the board of selectmen of the town of Andover is hereby authorized to appoint the representative of said town to the Merrimack Valley Planning Commission. Said representative shall not be required to be a member of the planning board of said town.

Approved May 23, 1975.

Chap. 247. AN ACT ALLOWING CERTAIN CREDITABLE SERVICE FOR CERTAIN MEMBERS OF THE RETIREMENT SYSTEM OF THE CITY OF GARDNER.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

Any person who has served as a municipal cafeteria employee and who, on the effective date of this act is an employee of the city of Gardner and is a member in service of the Gardner retirement system, shall, upon paying into the annuity savings fund of such system an amount equal to five per cent of the total salary received by him during his period of service as such cafeteria employee, together with interest to the date of such payment, be allowed credit for all of his service as such cafeteria employee.

Approved May 23, 1975.

Chap. 248. AN ACT PROHIBITING CERTAIN MUNICIPAL TREASURERS FROM DEPOSITING OF FUNDS IN CERTAIN FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

Section 55 of chapter 44 of the General Laws is hereby amended by inserting after the first sentence the following sentence: — The treasurer of any city, town, district or regional school district shall not deposit funds for which he is accountable in any bank, trust company or banking company with which such treasurer is associated as an officer or employee or has been associated as an officer or employee at any time during the three years immediately preceding the date of any such deposit.

Approved May 23, 1975.

Chap. 249. AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF CHELSEA TO PAY A CERTAIN SUM OF MONEY TO THE SALVATION ARMY CITADEL IN SAID CITY.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

For the purpose of discharging a moral obligation, the city of Chelsea is hereby authorized to appropriate and pay to the Salvation Army Citadel, located at 258 Chestnut street in the city of Chelsea, the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars for damages sustained to the Citadel during the distribution of the necessities of life for victims of the major fire in said city on October fourteenth, nineteen hundred and seventy-three, payment of which is legally unenforceable against said city.

Approved May 23, 1975.

Chap. 250. AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE PERSONNEL ADMINISTRATOR IN THE DIVISION OF PERSONNEL ADMINISTRATION TO EXTEND THE PERIOD OF ELIGIBILITY OF PERSONS ON CERTAIN CIVIL SERVICE LISTS.