

Chap. 6. AN ACT RESTRICTING THE WAIVING OF RESIDENCY REQUIREMENTS IN CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS TO PERSONS WHO HAVE COMPLETED ONE ACADEMIC YEAR AT CERTAIN COLLEGES OR UNIVERSITIES.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

Chapter 31 of the General Laws is hereby amended by striking out section 8B, inserted by section 12 of chapter 78 of the acts of 1967, and inserting in place thereof the following section:—

Section 8B. The director may waive residency requirements in any examination for any person who has successfully completed at least one academic year at a recognized college or university in the commonwealth, provided such person meets all other entrance requirements.

Approved January 28, 1970.

Chap. 7. AN ACT EXEMPTING THE EMPLOYMENT BY CITIES AND TOWNS OF CERTAIN STUDENTS IN CO-OPERATIVE PLAN EDUCATION PROGRAMS FROM THE CIVIL SERVICE LAW.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

Chapter 31 of the General Laws is hereby amended by inserting after section 8C the following section:—

Section 8D. The director shall cooperate with public and private colleges, universities and other institutions of higher education, which grant degrees and which provide facilities for educating students on the so-called "co-operative plan" of education whereby work-study programs are so developed and maintained that students enrolled therein may be employed in the service of any city or town in positions appropriate to their major academic interests. The employment of such students in said positions shall, upon certification to the director by a representative of such a college, university or institution that such student is enrolled therein under a "co-operative plan" of education, not be subject to the provisions of this chapter; provided that employment by the city or town of a student under such plan is for a stated and limited time.

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Chap. 8. AN ACT PROVIDING THAT THE PROBATIONARY PERIOD FOR THE METROPOLITAN DISTRICT POLICE FORCE, THE MASSACHUSETTS BAY TRANSPORTATION AUTHORITY POLICE FORCE OR CAPITOL POLICE OFFICERS SHALL BE NINE MONTHS.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

The first sentence of section 20D of chapter 31 of the General Laws, as amended by chapter 93 of the acts of 1968, is hereby further amended by striking out, in line 2, the words "to the regular police force" and inserting in place thereof the following words:— as a regular police officer in any city or town, the metropolitan district police force, or the Massachusetts Bay Transportation Authority police force or as a capitol police officer.

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