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# STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

#### IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

#### JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2012

## AN ACT

#### RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS

Introduced By: Representative Donald J. Lally

Date Introduced: February 16, 2012

Referred To: House Labor

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

SECTION 1. Section 28-9.2-17 of the General Laws in Chapter 28-9.2 entitled
"Municipal Police Arbitration" is hereby amended to read as follows:

3 **28-9.2-17. Continuance of contractual provisions.** -- All contractual provisions 4 contained in a collective bargaining agreement entered into pursuant to the provisions of this 5 chapter shall continue in the following collective bargaining agreement unless either the 6 bargaining agent or the corporate authority shall, in writing, within the thirty (30) day period 7 referred to in section 28 9.2 7, propose a change in any contractual provisions. until such time as 8 a successor agreement has been reached between the parties or an interest arbitration award has 9 been rendered.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage.

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#### EXPLANATION

### BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

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1 This act would mandate that all collective bargaining agreements entered into shall 2 continue until such time as a successor agreement has been reached between the parties or an 3 interest arbitration award has been rendered.

4 This act would take effect upon passage.

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