

STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2017

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RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS -- ARBITRATION -- CONTINUANCE
OF CONTRACTUAL PROVISIONS

Introduced By: Senator Michael J. McCaffrey

Date Introduced: February 15, 2017

Referred To: Senate Labor

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

1 SECTION 1. Chapter 28-9.3 of the General Laws entitled "Certified School Teachers'
2 Arbitration" is hereby amended by adding thereto the following section:

3 **28-9.3-17. Continuance of contractual provisions.**

4 All contractual provisions contained in a collective bargaining agreement, entered into
5 pursuant to the provisions of this chapter, shall continue until such time as a successor agreement
6 has been reached between the parties.

7 SECTION 2. Chapter 28-9.4 of the General Laws entitled "Municipal Employees'
8 Arbitration" is hereby amended by adding thereto the following section:

9 **28-9.4-20. Continuance of contractual provisions.**

10 All contractual provisions contained in a collective bargaining agreement, entered into
11 pursuant to the provisions of this chapter, shall continue until such time as a successor agreement
12 has been reached between the parties.

13 SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon passage.

EXPLANATION
BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL
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- 1 This act would require that the contractual provisions contained in an otherwise expired
2 collective bargaining agreement with certified school teachers and municipal employees would
3 continue until a successor agreement has been reached between the parties.
4 This act would take effect upon passage.

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