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STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2014

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RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS

Introduced By: Senators Archambault, and Satchell

Date Introduced: March 06, 2014

Referred To: Senate Labor

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

1           SECTION 1. Section 28-9.2-17 of the General Laws in Chapter 28-9.2 entitled  
2 "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.

10          SECTION 2. Section 28-9.1-17 of the General Laws in Chapter 28-9.1 entitled  
11 "Firefighters' Arbitration" is hereby amended to read as follows:

12          **28-9.1-17. Continuance of contractual provisions.** -- All contractual provisions  
13 contained in a collective bargaining agreement entered into pursuant to the provisions of this  
14 chapter shall continue ~~in the following collective bargaining agreement unless either the~~  
15 ~~bargaining agent or the corporate authority shall, in writing, within the thirty (30) day period~~  
16 ~~referred to in section 28-9.1-7, propose a change in any contractual provision.~~ until such time as a  
17 successor agreement has been reached between the parties or an interest arbitration award has  
18 been rendered.

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

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EXPLANATION  
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1           This act would keep collective bargaining agreements for paid municipal police officers  
2 and paid municipal firefighters in effect until a successor agreement has been reached or an  
3 interest arbitration award has been rendered.

4           This act would take effect upon passage.

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