

fifty-six calendar weeks of continuous active service, including service in the Armed Forces of the United States, but excluding any period of time determined not to have been satisfactory service, in the step in which he was serving immediately prior to the effective date of this Act: *Provided further*, That any active service which each such officer or member has rendered in excess of the one hundred and fifty-six calendar weeks of active service in the maximum service step or longevity step 7, as the case may be, in which he was serving immediately prior to the effective date of this Act will be credited to him for the next longevity step increase under the provisions of section 401 of the District of Columbia Police and Firemen's Salary Act of 1958.

(6) The officer assigned as Police Executive Officer and who is receiving basic compensation as such immediately prior to the effective date of this Act at the scheduled longevity step 8, class 9, subclass (b), shall receive a corresponding rate of basic compensation as an Assistant Chief of Police as established by section 1 of this Act and as provided for other officers and members in longevity step 8 of class 9, subclass (b), by subsection (5) of this section and such officer shall receive \$500 per annum additionally so long as he is assigned in the dual capacity of Police Executive Officer and Assistant Police Chief. Such additional amount of compensation is to be included in any basic computation for retirement purposes under the Police-men and Firemen's Retirement and Disability Act (D.C. Code, title 4, chapter 5) and for the purpose of determining the amount of insurance for which an individual is eligible under title 5, chapter 87, United States Code: *Provided*, That upon termination of the services of such officer, the provisions of this paragraph are not to be applied to any other officer or member assigned as Assistant Chief of Police.

SEC. 3. Each officer or member in class 1 through class 8 who has completed one year of probation and who has completed or completes courses of study in law enforcement or fire science subjects as the case may be at an accredited college or university, shall receive additional compensation subject to the kind of law enforcement or fire science subjects, the number of semester hours of study required, and amount of such additional compensation to be paid as determined and embodied in regulations adopted and promulgated by the District of Columbia Council in the case of the Metropolitan Police Department and the District of Columbia Fire Department, the Secretary of the Interior in the case of the United States Park Police force, and the Secretary of the Treasury in the case of the White House Police force: *Provided*, That the said Council and the said Secretaries shall standardize such requirements and compensation to be paid to the fullest extent possible for the respective police forces and the District of Columbia Fire Department.

SEC. 4. (a) The Commissioner of the District of Columbia is authorized, under regulations prescribed by the District of Columbia Council, to—

(1) pay or reimburse an individual, as provided for civilian officers and employees by title 5, chapter 57, subchapter 1, United States Code, for the expenses of travel, including per diem in lieu of subsistence expenses, in traveling between his home or place of business and the District of Columbia, for the purpose of ascertaining whether he is qualified for appointment to the position of private in the Metropolitan Police force;

(2) pay to a person newly appointed as a private in the Metropolitan Police force, who is required to relocate his place of residence in order to come within the area of residence for such employees prescribed by the Council, in addition to any other payments authorized by law—

(i) A cash resettlement allowance not to exceed \$250, and

(ii) A per diem allowance not to exceed \$7.50 per day for a period not to exceed ninety days beginning with the date of his appointment: *Provided*, That allowances authorized by this subsection shall not be allowed unless the person selected shall agree in writing to remain a member of the Metropolitan Police force for twenty-four months following his appointment unless separated for a reason which is (1) beyond his control and (2) which is acceptable to the Commissioner. In case of violation of such agreement, any moneys expended by the District of Columbia on the allowances authorized by this subsection shall be recoverable from the individual concerned as a debt.

(b) Unobligated balances of applicable current appropriations are hereby made available to carry out the purpose of this section.

SEC. 5. (a) Section 401(a) of the District of Columbia Police and Firemen's Salary Act of 1958 is amended to read as follows: