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AN ACT

To repeal section 84.160, RSMo 2000, relating to compensation and employment benefits of police officers in certain cities, and to enact in lieu thereof one new section relating to the same subject.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Missouri, as follows:

Section A. Section 84.160, RSMo 2000, is repealed and one new section enacted in lieu thereof, to be known as section 84.160, to read as follows:

- 84.160. 1. Based upon rank and length of service, the board of police commissioners may authorize maximum amounts of compensation for members of the police force in accordance with the following tables. The amounts of compensation set out in the following tables shall be the maximum amount of compensation payable to commissioned employees in each of the categories, except as expressly provided in this section.
 - 2. From July 1, 2000, to June 30, 2001:

SALARY MATRIX-POLICE OFFICER THROUGH CHIEF OF POLICE-FISCAL YEAR

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3. From July 1, 2001, until June 30, 2002:

SALARY MATRIX-POLICE OFFICER THROUGH CHIEF OF POLICE-FISCAL YEAR Asst.

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10	45957	54195	59678	65111				
11	46485	54363	59844	65279	71520			
12	46661	54529	60013	65446	71688	73629	77538	92204
13	46827	54697	60180	65614	71853	76173	80082	92537
14	46993	54865	60347	65780	72021	76339	80249	92871
15	47162	55031	60514	65947	72188	76508	80418	93205
16	47328	55198	60680	66114	72356	76674	80583	93540
17	47497	55366	60849	66282	72524	76843	80752	93874
18	47663	55533	61016	66519	72689	77008	80918	94207
19	47829	55700	61184	66616	72857	77175	81084	94543
20	47997	55867	61350	66783	73025	77343	81254	94878
21	48164	56033	61517	66950	73192	77510	81419	95211
22	48331	56202	61685	67117	73358	77679	81587	95545
23	48499	56369	61852	67285	73525	77844	81754	95880
24	48665	56535	62020	67452	73692	78014	81921	96212
25	48833	56703	62186	67620	73861	78179	82090	96548
26	49000	56869	62353	67787	74028	78346	82255	96883
27	49169	57038	62521	67953	74194	78515	82423	97218
28	49335	57205	62688	68121	74360	78680	82588	97552
29	49501	57371	62853	68288	74529	78849	82757	97884
30	49668	57539	63022	68453	74696	79014	82926	98220

- 4. Each of the above-mentioned salaries shall be payable in biweekly installments. Each officer of police and patrolman whose regular assignment requires nonuniformed attire may receive, in addition to his or her salary, an allowance not to exceed three hundred sixty dollars per annum payable biweekly. No additional compensation or compensatory time off for overtime, court time, or standby court time shall be paid or allowed to any officer of the rank of sergeant or above. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, nothing in this section shall prohibit the payment of additional compensation pursuant to this subsection to officers of the ranks of sergeants and above, provided that funding for such compensation shall not:
- (1) Be paid from the general funds of either the city or the board of police commissioners of the city; or
 - (2) Be violative of any federal law or other state law.
- 5. It is the duty of the municipal assembly or common council of the cities to make the necessary appropriation for the expenses of the maintenance of the police force in the manner herein and hereafter provided; provided, that in no event shall such municipal assembly or common council be required to appropriate for such purposes (including, but not limited to, costs of funding

pensions or retirement plans) for any fiscal year a sum in excess of any limitation imposed by article X, section 21, Missouri Constitution; and provided further, that such municipal assembly or common council may appropriate a sum in excess of such limitation for any fiscal year by an appropriations ordinance enacted in conformity with the provisions of the charter of such cities.

- 6. The board of police commissioners shall pay additional compensation for all hours of service rendered by probationary patrolmen and patrolmen in excess of the established regular working period, and the rate of compensation shall be one and one-half times the regular hourly rate of pay to which each member shall normally be entitled; except that, the court time and court standby time shall be paid at the regular hourly rate of pay to which each member shall normally be entitled. No credit shall be given or deductions made from payments for overtime for the purpose of retirement benefits.
- 7. Probationary patrolmen and patrolmen shall receive additional compensation for authorized overtime, court time and court standby time whenever the total accumulated time exceeds forty hours. The accumulated forty hours shall be taken as compensatory time off at the officer's discretion with the approval of his supervisor.
- 8. The allowance of compensation or compensatory time off for court standby time shall be computed at the rate of one-third of one hour for each hour spent on court standby time.
- 9. The board of police commissioners may effect programs to provide additional compensation to its employees for successful completion of academic work at an accredited college or university, in amounts not to exceed ten percent of their yearly salaries or for extra training and lead officer responsibilities in amounts not to exceed three percent of their yearly salaries for field training officer responsibilities and an additional three percent of their yearly salaries for lead officer responsibilities. The board may designate up to one hundred fifty employees as field training officers and up to fifty employees as lead officers.
 - 10. The board of police commissioners:
- (1) Shall provide or contract for life insurance coverage and for insurance benefits providing health, medical and disability coverage for officers and employees of the department;
- (2) Shall provide or contract for insurance coverage providing salary continuation coverage for officers and employees of the police department;
- (3) Shall provide health, medical, and life insurance coverage for retired officers and employees of the police department. For the spouses or dependents of deceased retirees, officers and employees of the police department who receive pension benefits pursuant to the laws of this state, health, medical and life insurance coverage shall be made available for purchase at the rate that such dependent's or spouse's coverage would cost under the appropriate plan if the deceased were living;
- (4) May pay an additional shift differential compensation to members of the police force for evening and night tour of duty in an amount not to exceed ten percent of the officer's base hourly

rate.

- 11. The board of police commissioners shall pay additional compensation to members of the police force up to and including the rank of police officer for any full hour worked between the hours of 11:00 p.m. and 7:00 a.m., in amounts equal to five percent of the officer's base hourly pay.
- 12. The board of police commissioners, from time to time and in its discretion, may pay additional compensation to police officers, sergeants and lieutenants by paying commissioned officers in the aforesaid ranks for accumulated, unused vacation time. Any such payments shall be made in increments of not less than forty hours, and at rates equivalent to the base straight-time rates being earned by said officers at the time of payment; except that, no such officer shall be required to accept payment for accumulated unused vacation time.
- 13. For each fiscal year between July 1, 2000, and June 30, 2002, the board of police commissioners may provide a salary increase for commissioned employees of years 0-8 in an amount in excess of the maximum amounts set out in the tables in subsections 2 and 3 of this section, provided that the amount actually paid pursuant to this section shall not exceed three percent of the amount set out for the appropriate category in such tables.
- 14. For each fiscal year between July 1, 2000, and June 30, 2002, the board of police commissioners may provide a salary increase for commissioned employees of years 9-30 in an amount in excess of the maximum amounts set out in the tables in subsections 2 and 3 of this section, provided that the amount actually paid pursuant to this section shall not exceed one percent of the amount set out for the appropriate category in such tables.
- 15. The board of police commissioners shall pay additional compensation or, in lieu of compensation, shall grant compensatory leave time to police officers of the rank of lieutenant and below who are required to work on a special event scheduled to last more than one calendar day. In such a case, additional compensation or compensatory leave shall accrue at the rate of one-half hour earned per one hour worked, or the pro rata equivalent thereof. Compensatory leave time may be taken in accordance with the policies of the police department.