

conducted for the betterment of municipal government if believed to be of benefit to the city of White Plains, is hereby delegated to the mayor, as chief executive officer of the city.

(L.L. No. 1-1955, § 1)

State law reference—Expenses of public officers attending conferences, schools, etc., General Municipal Law, § 77-b.

Sec. 2-5-13. [Overtime pay for police—Authorized.]

The commissioner of public safety is hereby authorized to certify overtime compensation for police patrolmen, exclusive of detectives, who volunteer to work extra hours, during times when the police force is not up to full strength, and are then required to work in excess of their regularly established hours of employment, provided that such police patrolmen are not assigned to such duty. Said overtime compensation shall be at the regular basic pay rate for each such police patrolman.

(L.L. No. 5-1961, § 1)

Sec. 2-5-14. [Same—Provisions inconsistent superseded.]

The provisions of section one of chapter three hundred sixty of the laws of nineteen hundred eleven, entitled "An act to promote the health and efficiency of policemen in cities of the first and second class," as last amended by chapter nine hundred sixty-four of the laws of nineteen hundred fifty-seven insofar as they restrict or are inconsistent with the provisions of this local law, are hereby to such extent superseded.

(L.L. No. 5-161, § 2)

Editor's note—The above cited law is embodied in sec. 971 of the Unconsolidated Laws (McKinney).

Sec. 2-5-15. Judicial review committee.

(a) At least one month prior to the appointment of city judge, acting city judge or associate judges a judicial review committee shall be appointed by the mayor to interview candidates and review and report on their qualifications.

(b) Said committee shall be bi-partisan, and shall be comprised of attorneys either resident in or practicing in the city.

(c) The appointment of the members of the committee shall be announced to the common council.

(d) The committee shall receive from any source the names of candidates and shall interview qualified and eligible candidates requesting consideration. The committee shall transmit its full and complete written report on all candidates considered to the mayor who shall distribute it to the common council at least five (5) days before the appointments appear on the council agenda.

(e) The written report of the review committee shall be held in absolute confidence; any breach of this confidence shall nullify this section.

(f) The committee may adopt such procedures and policies as it may deem appropriate to its functions, including standards for evaluating the best qualified candidates for appointment.

(Res. of 4-7-80, §§ 1—6)

Sec. 2-5-16. [Retirement incentive program, 1991.]

1. The City of White Plains hereby elects to provide all its eligible employees with a retirement incentive program authorized by Chapter 178, Laws of 1991.

2. The commencement date of the retirement incentive program shall be October 1, 1991.

3. The open period during which eligible employees may retire and receive the additional retirement benefit shall be ninety (90) days in length.

4. The actuarial present value of the additional retirement benefits payable pursuant to the provisions of this local law [section] shall be funded over a five-year period. The amount of the annual payment in each of the five (5) years shall be determined by the Actuary of the New York State and Local Employees Retirement System, and it shall be paid by The City of White Plains for each employee who receives the retirement benefits payable under this local law [section].

(L. L. No. 3-1991, §§ 1—4)

Editor's note—The editor has included §§ 1—4 of L. L. No. 3-1991 as § 2-5-16.