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STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

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RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS - MUNICIPAL POLICE ARBITRATION

Introduced By: Representatives Bennett, Canario, Edwards, Hull, and McLaughlin

Date Introduced: January 17, 2019

Referred To: House 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.**

4 All contractual provisions contained in a collective bargaining agreement entered into  
5 pursuant to the provisions of this chapter shall continue in the following collective bargaining  
6 agreement unless either the bargaining agent or the corporate authority shall, in writing, within  
7 the thirty (30) day period referred to in § 28-9.2-7, propose a change in any contractual provisions  
8 until such time as a successor agreement has been reached between the parties or an interest  
9 arbitration award has been rendered.

10 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage.

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EXPLANATION  
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1           This act would extend provisions of an existing collective bargaining agreement for  
2 municipal police arbitration purposes until a successor agreement is reached or an interest  
3 arbitration award is rendered.

4           This act would take effect upon passage.

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