

File No. 13648

The other Section that you quote, Paragraph 5 of Section 3, in my judgment merely authorizes the Inspector of Buildings to make such regulations as may be, in his judgment, necessary to compel the carrying out of the requirements of the Building Code. I do not think that this Section gives the Building Inspector any power to dispense with any requirement of any provision of the Building Code.

Yours very truly,
(Signed) S. S. Field,
City Solicitor.

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File No. 13702

Baltimore, December 26, 1911.

Hon. S. S. Field,
City Solicitor.

Dear Sir:

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In regard to the case of Mr. William Dugent, formerly a teacher in the Polytechnic Institute, who was dropped from the teaching force on October 2, 1900, I beg to advise you as follows:

Mr. Dugent lost his position by the re-organization of the Polytechnic Institute; there were no charges against him, but the Board, in re-organizing the school, abolished one grade, and with it four instructors. At that time the School Commissioners had the power to remove or dismiss teachers arbitrarily, without either charge or trial, although that power has been taken away by the Act of 1906.

It follows, therefore, that Mr. Dugent has no position whatsoever in reference to the school system, and that the Board has not the power, at this time, to reinstate him.

Yours very truly,
(Signed) Alexander Preston,
Deputy City Solicitor.

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