

Deficiency in
fund.

11. In case the amount derived from the different sources mentioned and included in this section, and from the special fund, without deducting charges for patrol services, police-boat and new station houses, shall not be sufficient at any time to enable the Board of Police Commissioners to pay in full the salaries which have been or may hereafter be granted, which said salaries shall at all times be a first charge on said funds. It shall be the duty of the said board each year at the time of making up the departmental estimate to prepare a full and detailed statement of the assets of said special fund, and the amount which is required to pay in full all such salaries, and to present the same to the Mayor and City Council and the Board of Estimates, together with a statement of the amount of money required to enable the said Board of Police Commissioners to pay the said salaries in full. It shall be the duty of the Mayor and City Council and said Board of Estimates to make an appropriation sufficient to provide for each deficiency, and the amount so appropriated shall be included in the tax levy, and the Comptroller shall pay over the money to the treasurer of the special fund.

How provided
for.

May receive
bequests.

12. And the said Board of Police Commissioners, as trustees of the special fund, is hereby authorized and empowered to take and hold as trustees of such fund any and all gifts or bequests which may be made to such fund.

Power to pay
to widow, etc.

776 D. The Board of Police Commissioners shall have power in its discretion to pay to the widow of any member of said police force within the limits of said City, who shall have been killed while in the actual performance of duty, or shall have died in consequence of injuries received while in the discharge of duty, an allowance until she remarries. If there be no widow, but a child or children, then pay to such child or children whilst under the age of eighteen years a sum such as parent would have been entitled to out of said special fund.

776 E. Salaries granted under Chapter four hundred and ninety-four of the Acts of the General Assembly of Maryland, passed at the January Session, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight, and all other salaries granted by special Acts shall be for the natural life of the retired or disabled officer, and shall not be revoked, repealed or diminished, except for causes therein provided.

Physicians'
certificate
required.

766 F. No member of the police force, whether policeman, officer of police, detective, clerk, turnkey or in any other