

such officer of police, policeman, detective, clerk or turnkey for a term not to exceed three months for the first offense; for the second offense, for a term not to exceed six months, and for the third offense, any officer of police, policeman, detective, clerk or turnkey shall be subject to dismissal upon proof given that the said officer of police, policeman, detective, clerk or turnkey is or has been, in the judgment of the said Commissioner, living an improper or immoral life. Provided, however, that the provisions of this section with reference to the retirement of officers of police, policemen, detectives, clerks and turnkeys after service of not less than twenty years shall not apply to officers of police, policemen, detectives, clerks and turnkeys now on the force or in the employ of the Police Department, but only to such as may hereafter be appointed, and that all officers of police, policemen, detectives, clerks and turnkeys now on the force or in the employ of the Police Department may be retired after faithful service for sixteen years in the same manner as before the passage of this Act.】

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The Police Commissioner of the City of Baltimore is empowered whenever in his judgment the efficiency of the service may require it, to retire any officer of police, policeman, detective, clerk or turnkey appointed by him who may be ineligible in the way of length of service to retirement on pay for life under 【the requirements of Section 559 of this subdivision of this Article,】 *existing pension systems* but who has served faithfully and become permanently incapacitated for active duty and to pay such officer of police, policeman, detective, clerk or turnkey 【retired as in this section provided, out of the fund in his hands known and accounted for as the Special Fund】, *as provided for from funds set forth in the regular budget of the Department*, a sum of money not to exceed one year's salary allowed to him by law at the time of his said retirement, provided the said Commissioner shall in all cases before making such retirement procure and file among his records a certificate of a majority of the police physicians of Baltimore City that the person proposed to be retired has been thoroughly examined by them, and that he is incapable of performing active duty.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That this Act shall take effect on July 1, 1969.

Approved April 23, 1969.

CHAPTER 302
(House Bill 422)

AN ACT to repeal Section 584 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Baltimore City (1949 Edition, being Article 4 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland), title "Baltimore City," subtitle "Police Department," subheading "Special Fund," as said section was last amended by Chapter 654 of the Acts of 1965, repealing an unnecessary local law concerning the sale and disposition of certain motor vehicles or parts thereof in the custody of the Police Department of Baltimore City.