

(D) AS USED IN THIS SECTION, "ELDERLY AND HANDICAPPED PERSON" MEANS ANY PERSON WHO, BY REASON OF ILLNESS, INJURY, AGE, CONGENITAL MALFUNCTION, OR OTHER PERMANENT OR TEMPORARY INCAPACITY OR DISABILITY, IS UNABLE TO USE MASS TRANSIT FACILITIES AND SERVICES AS EFFECTIVELY AS A PERSON WHO IS NOT SO AFFECTED.

(E) THE PROVISIONS OF SUBSECTION (C) SHALL NOT APPLY TO CHARTER BUS SERVICE RENDERED BY THE MASS TRANSIT ADMINISTRATION.

(F) A PERSON CONVICTED OF VIOLATING SUBSECTION (C) IS SUBJECT TO A FINE OF NOT MORE THAN \$500 ~~\$250~~ FOR EACH OFFENSE.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Section is not to be construed to prohibit enforcement of any other general or local law or ordinance, rule or regulation of a State or local authority or agency, which is not inconsistent with the provisions of this Section.

SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1983.

Approved May 10, 1983.

CHAPTER 117

(Senate Bill 271)

AN ACT concerning

Merit System - Transferred Employees

FOR the purpose of transferring certain contractual employees of the Income Maintenance Administration, Department of Human Resources, and of local departments of social services to the State classified service; providing that employees transferred under this Act be given credit for prior years of service for certain purposes, that they not receive diminution in compensation solely as a result of this transfer, and that they participate in the State Employees' Pension System; requiring certain testing and recommendations prior to the transfer of employees under this Act; and providing that this Act applies to only those positions proposed for conversion to the State classified service in the Fiscal Year 1984 Governor's Allowance Budget.

BY adding to

Article 64A - Merit System
Section 9U