

1 AN ACT relating to police department members.

2 ***Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Kentucky:***

3 ➔Section 1. KRS 95.495 is amended to read as follows:

- 4 (1) Except as provided in KRS 337.285, in cities listed on the registry pursuant to
5 subsection (3) of this section or urban-county governments, except those in which,
6 by ordinance, the patrolmen are employed or paid by the day, the members of the
7 police department shall not be required to work more than eight (8) hours per day,
8 for five (5) days each week or ten (10) hours per day, for four (4) days each week,
9 except in the event of an emergency. Each member of the police department shall
10 ***be permitted to accrue***~~have~~ an annual leave of fifteen (15) working days with full
11 pay ***each year, as specifically established in the personnel policy applicable to***
12 ***members of the department.*** Nothing in this section shall prohibit a member of the
13 police department from voluntarily agreeing to work a different work schedule
14 provided that the officer is paid overtime for any work performed in excess of forty
15 (40) hours per week.
- 16 (2) The salary of the members of the police department shall not be reduced by reason
17 of the enactment of this section.
- 18 (3) On or before January 1, 2015, the Department for Local Government shall create a
19 registry of cities that shall comply with the provisions of this section. The
20 Department for Local Government shall include each of those cities on the registry
21 that were classified as cities of the second or third class on August 1, 2014. The
22 Department for Local Government shall make the information included on the
23 registry available to the public by publishing it on its ***website***~~[Web site]~~.