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IN SENATE

February 28, 2014

Introduced by Sen. LAVALLE -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Civil Service and Pensions

AN ACT to amend the civil service law, in relation to authorizing the transfer of police officers of the parks department of the county of Suffolk to the police department of such county without examination

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, REPRESENTED IN SENATE AND ASSEMBLY, DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

- Section 1. Subdivision 1 of section 70 of the civil service law, as amended by chapter 718 of the laws of 1993, is amended and a new subdivision 7 is added to read as follows:
- 1. General provisions. Except as provided in subdivisions four [and], six AND SEVEN of this section no employee shall be transferred to a position for which there is required by this chapter or the rules established hereunder an examination involving essential tests or qualifications different from or higher than those required for the position held by such employee. The state and municipal commissions may adopt rules governing transfers between positions in their respective jurisdictions and may also adopt reciprocal rules providing for the transfer of employees from one governmental jurisdiction to another. No employee shall be transferred without his or her consent except as provided in subdivision six OR SEVEN of this section or upon the transfer of functions as provided in subdivision two of this section.
- 7. TRANSFER OF SUFFOLK COUNTY PARK OFFICERS LEVELS I-IV TO THE POSITIONS OF SUFFOLK COUNTY POLICE OFFICERS. NOTWITHSTANDING THE PROVISIONS OF SUBDIVISION ONE OF THIS SECTION OR ANY OTHER PROVISION OF LAW, THE COUNTY OF SUFFOLK MAY, BY AGREEMENT NEGOTIATED BETWEEN SUCH COUNTY AND AN EMPLOYEE ORGANIZATION PURSUANT TO ARTICLE FOURTEEN OF THIS CHAPTER, PROVIDE FOR THE TRANSFER OF NOW EXISTING SUFFOLK COUNTY PARKS POLICE OFFICERS LEVELS I-IV TO POSITIONS OF SUFFOLK COUNTY POLICE OFFICERS. THE TRANSFER OF NOW EXISTING POSITIONS MAY BE EFFECTUATED WITHOUT REGARD TO ANY ELIGIBLE LISTS OR PREFERRED LISTS FOR REINSTATEMENT.
- 25 S 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

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EXPLANATION--Matter in ITALICS (underscored) is new; matter in brackets [] is old law to be omitted.

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