

CHAPTER 126

CITIES AND TOWNS—POWERS AND DUTIES OF MAYORS

H. F. 19

AN ACT to amend, revise, and codify paragraph seven (7) of section fifty-six hundred thirty-nine (5639), code, 1924, relating to the powers and duties of mayors of cities and towns.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

1 SECTION 1. Paragraph seven (7) of section fifty-six hundred thirty-
2 nine (5639), code, 1924, is amended, revised, and codified to read as
3 follows:

4 "7. **Hold police court.** Until a police judge or judge of superior
5 court shall be elected and qualifies in cities entitled to elect such officer,
6 the mayor shall have all the powers and jurisdiction and shall hold
7 the police court in such manner as is required of such judge."

Approved February 6, A. D. 1925.

CHAPTER 127

CHIEF OF POLICE—CIVIL SERVICE RIGHTS

H. F. 33

AN ACT to amend section fifty-six hundred ninety-nine (5699) of the code, 1924, relating to the civil service rights of officers appointed to the position of chief of police.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

1 SECTION 1. That section fifty-six hundred ninety-nine (5699) of
2 the code, 1924, be and the same is hereby amended by adding at the
3 end of said section the following: "A police officer under civil service
4 may be appointed chief of police without losing his civil service status,
5 and shall retain, while holding the office of chief, the same civil service
6 rights he may have had immediately previous to his appointment as
7 chief, but nothing herein shall be deemed to extend to such individual
8 any civil service right upon which he may retain the position of chief."

Approved February 25, A. D. 1925.