

House Amendment 8031

Amendment Text

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1 1 Amend [Senate File 316](#), as passed by the Senate, as
1 2 follows:

1 3 #1. Page 1, line 16, by striking the word "six"
1 4 and inserting the following: "up to nine".

1 5 #2. Page 1, line 23, by striking the word "six"
1 6 and inserting the following: "up to nine".

1 7 #3. Page 1, line 29, by inserting after the word
1 8 "commission." the following: "Each deputy sheriff who
1 9 transfers from one jurisdiction to another shall be
1 10 employed subject to a probationary period of up to
1 11 nine months."

1 12 #4. Page 1, by inserting after line 33 the
1 13 following:

1 14 "Sec. ____ Section [400.8](#), subsection 3, Code 1997,
1 15 is amended to read as follows:

1 16 3. All appointments to such positions shall be
1 17 conditional upon a probation period of not to exceed
1 18 six months, and in the case of

~~1 19 police patrol officers,~~

1 19 police dispatchers

~~1 20 and fire fighters a probation~~

1 20 period not to exceed twelve months. In the case of
1 21 police patrol officers, if the employee has
1 22 successfully completed training at the Iowa law
1 23 enforcement academy or another training facility
1 24 certified by the director of the Iowa law enforcement
1 25 academy before the initial appointment as a police
1 26 patrol officer, the probationary period shall be for a
1 27 period of up to nine months and shall commence with
1 28 the date of initial appointment as a police patrol
1 29 officer. If the employee has not successfully
1 30 completed training at the Iowa law enforcement academy
1 31 or another training facility certified by the director
1 32 of the law enforcement academy before initial
1 33 appointment as a police patrol officer, the
1 34 probationary period shall commence with the date of
1 35 initial employment as a police patrol officer and
1 36 shall continue for a period of up to nine months
1 37 following the date of successful completion of
1 38 training at the Iowa law enforcement academy or
1 39 another training facility certified by the director of
1 40 the Iowa law enforcement academy. A police patrol
1 41 officer transferring employment from one jurisdiction
1 42 to another shall be employed subject to a probationary
1 43 period of up to nine months. However, in cities with
1 44 a population over one hundred seventy-five thousand,
1 45 appointments to the position of fire fighter shall be
1 46 conditional upon a probation period of not to exceed
1 47 twenty-four months. During the probation period, the
1 48 appointee may be removed or discharged from such
1 49 position by the appointing person or body without the
1 50 right of appeal to the commission. A person removed
2 1 or discharged during a probationary period shall, at

2 2 the time of discharge, be given a notice in writing
2 3 stating the reason or reasons for the dismissal. A
2 4 copy of such notice shall be promptly filed with the
2 5 commission. Continuance in the position after the
2 6 expiration of such probationary period shall
2 7 constitute a permanent appointment."

2 8 #5. Title page, line 1, by striking the words
2 9 "deputy sheriffs" and inserting the following:
2 10 "certain law enforcement officers".

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2 16 [SF 316.301](#) 77
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