<u>AGREEMENT</u> 5 | 5 | 75 - 12 | 3 | 7 0

THIS AGREEMENT, dated the 50 day of MAY, 1975, is entered into by and between THE CITY OF PLEASANTVILLE, a municipal corporation of the State of New Jersey, hereinafter referred to as "THE CITY", and the NEW JERSEY STATE POLICEMEN'S BENEVOLENT ASSOCIATION, INC., through its designated affiliate, MAINLAND LOCAL #77, hereinafter referred to as "PBA #77:

ARTICLE I - PURPOSE

This agreement is entered into pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 303, Laws of 1968 (N.J. Statute 34:13A-5.1, et seq.), of the State of New Jersey, to promote and ensure harmonious relations, cooperation and understanding between the City and Employees; to provide for the resolution of legitimate grievances, to prescribe the rights and duties of the City and Employees, all in order that the public service shall be expedited and effectuated in the best interest of the people of the City of Pleasantville, New Jersey.

ARTICLE II - EMPLOYEE REPRESENTATION

MAJORITY REPRESENTATIVE

The City recognizes the Majority Representative of PBA #77 as the exclusive negotiating agent for all regularly appointed, full-time police personnel within the Pleasantville Police Department with the exception of the Chief of Police and Deputy Chief as the "Employees". The City and Employees agree that the Majority Representative of PBA #77 has the right to negotiate as to rates of pay, hours of work, fringe benefits, working conditions, safety of equipment, procedures for adjustment of disputes and grievances, and all other related matters. The Majority Representative shall be appointed according to the procedure set forth in N.J. Revised Statute 34:13A-5.1 et seq., and shall have all rights and privileges therein.

В. STEWARDS

The PBA #77 must notify the City of the names of the stewards. No more than one steward and alternate is to be designated. For the duration of this agreement, the steward shall be PAUL ELCO and the alternate shall be ALLEN L. BROWN, JR, both officers of the Pleasantville Police Department.

ARTICLE III - GRIEVANCE PROCEDURE

DEFINITION: A grievance is any dispute between the parties concerning the application or interpretation of the agreement or any complaint by an employee as to any action or non-action which violates any right arising out of his or her employment. The City shall not discipline any employee without just cause.

STEP 1: All grievances by an employee and response thereto by the City, shall be in writing within ten (10) days of its occurence. PBA #77 shall appoint an Association Grievance Committee hereinafter referred to as "the Committee", and the Committee shall receive, screen and process all grievances within five (5) days of written receipt. The processing of grievances shall take place without discrimination and irrespective of membership or affiliation with PBA #77.

STEP 2: The Committee shall, within five (5) days after screening and acceptance, submit grievances to the Chief of Police for resolution. The Chief of Police must render a decision within five (5) working days of receipt in writing.

STEP 3: In the event the parties are unable to resolve the grievance in the second step, either party may, within five (5) working days, refer the grievance to the Mayor for resolution. The Mayor, or his authorized representative, must render a decision within five (5) working days of receipt in writing.

STEP 4: In the event the grievance is not resolved at the third step, either party may refer the grievance, within five (5) working days, to the City Council for resolution. The City Council must render a decision within fifteen (15) working days of receipt in writing.

STEP 5: In the event the grievance is not resolved at the fourth step, either party may refer the matter for impartial, binding arbitration. Any party vishing to move a grievance to arbitration, shall notify the Public Employment Relations Commission within ten (10) working days of receipt of decision in Step 4 that they are moving a grievance to arbitration and request that a list of arbitrators be furnished to the City and the Committee.

ARTICLE III continued:

satisfactory arbitrator within thirty (30) days after receipt of the list from the Public Employment Relation Commission, the Commission shall select an arbitrator. The arbitrator shall hear the matter on the evidence and within the meaning of this agreement, he shall render his award in writing, within thirty (30) days of the hearing, and his decision shall be final and binding on all parties. The cost of the arbitrator's fee shall be shared equally by the PBA #77 & City.

Any steward or officers of PBA #77 required in the grievance procedure, to settle disputes on any arbitration, shall be released from work without loss of pay for such purpose, and any members of the Police Department required shall be made available during working hours without loss of pay for the purpose of disposing of any grievance or arbitration matter.

EXTENSIONS AND MODIFICATIONS

Time extension must be mutually agreed to by the City and the Committee, however, no more than two (2) extensions, not to exceed thirty (30) days each, shall be permitted.

ARTICLE IV - NON-DISCRIMINATION

The City and Employees both recognize that there shall be no discrimination by reason of sex, creed or racial origin, with respect to employment, or opportunities for improvement of jobs, or as a condition of employment. The City further agrees that it will not interfere with, nor discriminate against, an Employee because of membership in, or legitimate activity on behalf of, PBA #77; nor will the City encourage membership in any other association or union to do anything to interfere with the representation by the Majority Representative of PBA #77 as the exclusive bargaining agent of employees.

ARTICLE V - BULLETIN BOARD, DUES CHECKOFF

The City shall permit the use of bulletin boards located in the Police Department Headquarters, by PBA #77, for the posting of notices concerning PBA business and activities.



ARTICLE VII - STRIKES continued:

support any member of this organization acting contrary to this provision.

ARTICLE VII - POLICEMEN'S RIGHTS

Pursuant to Chapter 303, Public Laws of 1968, the City agrees that every policeman shall have the right freely, to organize, join and support the PBA and its affiliates for the purpose of engaging in collective negotiations and other concerted activities for mutual aid and protection. As a body exercising the governmental power, under the laws of the State of New Jersey, the City undertakes and agrees that it shall not directly or indirectly discourage or deprive or coerce any policeman in the enjoyment of any rights conferred by Chapter 303, or other laws of New Jersey or the Constitution of New Jersey and the United States; that it shall not discriminate against any policeman with respect to hours, wages or any other term or condition of employment by reason of his membership in the PBA or its affiliates, or his participation in any of these activities, collective negotiations with the City, or his institution of any grievance, complaint or proceeding under this agreement with respect to any terms or conditions of employment. Elected representatives of the PBA shall be permitted time off from their regular schedule to attend negotiating sessions, grievance sessions, and regularly scheduled meetings of the PBA providing the efficiency of the department is not seriously affected, at the discretion of the Chief of Police.

ARTICLE IX - HOLIDAYS

Effective January 1, 1975, all Employees covered by this Agreement shall continue to receive twelve paid holidays per year. Said holidays shall be awarded as days off in addition to the Employees' annual vacations and shall be given at any time during the calendar year at the employee's request, with the approval of the respective shift commanders, and may be taken consecutively, up to five working days at a time.

ARTICLE X - VACATIONS

A. An Employee, during his first year of employment, shall be entitled to one working day's vacation for each month of service, up to and including December of his initial year. Thereafter, he shall be entitled to a paid vacation according to the following schedule:

B. It is the intent of this Article to assure personnel covered by this agreement that they shall receive the maximum amount of actual vacation days to which they are entitled. Days on which they are normally scheduled to work shall be the days they are given off. Days on which they are normally scheduled off that fall during the vacation period shall not be computed as part of the vacation. This Article shall be effective from January 1, 1975.

ARTICLE XI - LEAVES

A. SICK LEAVE:

(1) DEFINED: Sick leave is hereby defined to mean absence from post of duty, by an employee, because of illness, accident, exposure to contagious disease, attendance upon a member of the employee's family, seriously ill, requiring the care or attendance of such employee. A certificate of a reputable physician in attendance shall be required as sufficient proof of need all large of the employee after three consecutive days of sick leave, in attendance of a member of the employee's immediate family. In case of any illness of a chronic or recurring nature causing an employee's periodic or repeated absence from duty for one day or less, only one medical certificate shall be required for every six (6) month period as a sufficient proof of need of sick leave by the employee; provided, however, the certificate must specify that the chronic or recurring nature of the illness is likely to cause a subsequent absence from employment. In case of sick leave due to exposure to contagious disease, a certificate from the family doctor

A. <u>SICK LEAVE continued</u>: shall be required.

- ment shall, in addition to his or her paid vacation, be granted sick leave as defined in (1) above, with pay for not less than one (1) working day for every month of service during the first calculated year of employment, and fifteen (15) working days in covery calcular year thereafter. If any such employee requires to or only a portion of such allowable sick leave for any calendar year, the amount of such leave, not taken, shall accumulate to his or her credit from year to year and such employee shall be entitled to such accumulated sick leave with pay, if and when needed, provided that the City shall not require any of its employees who may be disabled, either through injury or illness as a result of or arising from his respective employment, to utilize the sick leave accumulated under this section.
- (3) PAY UPON TERMINATION: Upon an employee's retirement or death, said employee shall be compensated for his accumulated sick leave, computed on his daily rate of pay for the year immediately proceeding said termination, and shall receive a full day's pay for each day of accumulated sick wive to a maximum of six (6) months' accumulation. This clause is effective January 1, 1975.

Any employee who is separated from service for cause arising from any disciplinary action shall not be entitled to compensation for accumulated sick leave.

B. FUNERAL LEAVE:

- (1) Special leave of absence with pay up to a maximum of four (4) working days shall be granted to any employee in case of death within the immediate family. The number of allowable days to be subject to the discretion of the Chief of Police.
- (2) The term "immediate family" shall include only, father, mother, step-parent, father-in-law, mother-in-law, grand-parents, sister, brother, spouse, child and foster child of an employee and relatives residing in his/her household at time of death.
- (3) The special leave period shall commence immediately following the death of such persons and is for the sole



B. FUNERAL LEAVE continued:

purpose of arranging and attending funeral services; such special leave may be extended without pay at the discretion of the Chief of Police. The above shall not constitute sick leave and shall not be deducted from the employee's annual sick leave.

C. INJURY LEAVE:

- (1) Injury leave shall be granted with full pay to employees temporarily disabled through injury or illness as a result of, or arising from, their respective employment.
- (2) Any amount of salary or wages paid or payable to employees because of leave, pursuant to Section XI-C(1) above, shall be reduced by the amount of workmen's compensation awarded under Chapter 15 of Title 34 of the Revised Statutes made for disability because of the same injury or illness requiring such leave, in no event shall this exceed 12 months.

D. LEAVE FOR PBA MEETINGS:

The Executive Delegate and President (or appointed alternates) of PBA #77 shall be granted leave from duty with full pay, up to six (6) days during a twelve (12) month period, to attend scheduled meetings of the State and Local Association, when such meetings take place at a time when such officers are scheduled to be on duty, providing the affected officer gives at least 72 hours' notice to the Chief of Police.

E. LIMITATIONS ON LEAVES:

No leave of absence or combination of leaves of absence for any cause whatsoever, shall exceed one year. In case of continuous absence for more than one year, such employee so absent shall be automatically separated from the department on the first anniversary date from the date such absence began. The City may, in its discretion, extend such absence indefinitely.

ARTICLE XII - SALARY, LONGEVITY, OVERTIME

A. BASE SALARY:

Commencing on January 1, 1975, the annual base salaries to be paid to the following employees of the City, covered by this agreement shall be as follows and shall be paid bi-weekly:

ARTICLE XII - SALARY, LONGEVITY, OVERTIME continued:

	Retroactive to 1/1/75	Retroactive to 4/1/75	Effective 1/1/76
Captain	\$ 11,850	\$ 12,050	\$ 13,014
Lieutenant	11,550	11,750	12,690
Sergeant	11,250	11,450	12,366
Patrolman (after 3 yrs. of service)	10,850	11,050	11,934
Patrolman (after 2 yrs. of service	10,000	10,200	11,016
Patrolman (after 1 year of service)	9,500	9,700	10,476
Patrolman (during 1st year)	8,525	8,725	9,423

B. OVERTIME:

(1) Overtime shall consist of all hours worked in excess of eight hours per day or forty hours per week.

Overtime Defined: Overtime shall be defined as any and all hours worked outside the normal work week of eight hours per day, forty hours per week, and shall include all such hours spent on emergencies, training sessions, all court appearances connected with and arising from their respective employment, and in any other extra duty activities which require the employee's attendance.

(2) Effective January 1, 1975, all employees covered by this agreement shall, in addition to their base salaries, be paid 1½ times their straight time hourly rate of pay, computed on the basis of a forty-hour work week, including longevity, for all overtime hours worked up to and including the first one hundred (100) hours, except that Detective shall be paid up to and including the first 200 hours, and shall recive compensatory time for all hours worked thereafter. Overtime shall be paid quarterly together with, and in addition to, the employee's base salary.

Effective January 1, 1976, all overtime shall be paid at the rate specified above.

C. LONGEVITY:

(1) Each employee listed in Article XII, Section A, shall be paid, in addition to and together with his annual base salary as listed in Section A, Article XII, additional compensation

C. LONGEVITY continued:

based upon the length of his or her service as fixed and determined according to the following schedule:

Years of Service:	Percent of Annual Base Salary:
Upon completing 5 years	2%
Upon completing 10 years	4%
Upon completing 15 years	6%
Upon completing 20 years	8%

(2) Longevity pay shall be applied on the basis of the employee's anniversary date of employment, and shall commence at the adjusted rate, the pay period immediately following said anniversary date. Longevity shall be paid together with, and in addition to, the employee's base salary.

ARTICLE XIII - ACTING OFFICER

A. Any employee who shall have been appointed to act for a senior officer, in the absence of such officer, and who shall have performed the duties thereof for a continuous period of thirty (30) days, shall, thereafter, be entitled to compensation appropriate to such office for time so held. This section is effective January 1, 1975. This shall not apply for absences due to vacation or holidays.

B. This clause does not apply to, or for, those members of the department who are acting in the place and stead of an employee who is receiving pay upon termination, as defined in Article XI, Section (3).

ARTICLE XIV - COLLEGE INCENTIVE PROGRAM

The City and PBA #77 agree that the amount and quality of an employee's education often determines the value of his contribution to the community, and the degree of proficiency with which he performs his duties. In order to provide an incentive to encourage employees to achieve the advantages of higher education, the City agrees that each employee who receives academic credits for study in any institution of collegiate level which offers a college curriculum leading to, or accreditable towards, an undergraduate baccalaureate or associate degree in law enforcement or other related degrees, at the discretion of the Chief, shall be paid a college allowance according to the following schedule:

ARTICLE XIV - COLLEGE INCENTIVE PROGRAM continued:

ACCUMULATED CREDIT HOURS:

COMPENSATION PER ANNUM:

64 Credit Hours

\$200 per year (Associate Deg.)

120 Credit Hours

500 per year (Bachelor Deg.)

Said compensation shall be continued from year to year and shall be paid in a lump sum on the first day in December. It is understood that such credits must be earned while in the City's employ.

ARTICLE XV - HOSPITALIZATION INSURANCE

The City agrees to provide the same medical insurance coverage as provided to all other full-time City employees and said insurance shall remain the same as provided in current practice, or the equivalent thereto.

ARTICLE XVI - CLOTHING ALLOWANCE

In addition to any other benefit under this agreement, every employee shall be entitled to an allowance for the cleaning and maintenance of his clothing and uniforms in the sum of \$100 yearly. Said allowance shall be paid in a lump sum on the first pay period in December, 1975. Effective January 1, 1976, said clothing allowance will increase to the sum of \$150 which sum shall be payable on the first pay period in December, 1976. It is understood that this allowance is not for the purchase or replacement of uniforms and clothing, but is to help offset the cost of cleaning and maintenance of same.

ARTICLE XVII - CONTINUATION OF BENEFITS NOT COVERED BY THIS AGREEMENT

Ment shall continue to be governed, controlled and interpreted by reference to the City Charter, Ordinances, Rules and Regulations of the Police Department; and any past or present benefits or privileges which are enjoyed by the employees covered by this agreement that have not been included in this contract, shall be continued.

ARTICLE XVIII - SAVINGS CLAUSE

In the event that any provision of this agreement shall be finally determined to be in violation of any applicable State or Civil Service rule or regulation or law, such determination shall not impair the validity or enforceability of the remaining provisions of this agreement.

ARTICLE XIX - DURATION OF AGREEMENT

This Contract shall be in full force and effect from the date of execution until midnight, December 31, 1976. It is understood that PBA #77 is seeking a successor agreement, commencing from January 1, 1977 and that this agreement shall remain in full force and effect until said successor agreement is reached.

The parties agree that negotiations for a successor agreement modifying, amending or altering the terms and provisions. of this agreement shall commence no later than October 15, 1976.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned have affixed their signatures on the ______ day of MAY, 1975.

CITY OF PLEASANTVILLE

JOHNSON

Mayor

Signed, Sealed and Delivered

the presence of:

IRVING A. PILIENFELD, Solicitor An Attorney-at-Law of New Jersey

NEW JERSEY STATE POLICEMEN'S BENEVOLENT ASSOCIATION, INC. MAINLAND LOCAL #77 By:

Majority Representative

Jan. 1,74- Dec. 31,74 Atlantic Courty

AGREEMENT

ARTICLE 1 - PURPOSE

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B. STEWARDS

The PBA #77 must notify the City of the names of the stewards. No more than one steward and alternate is to be designated. For the duration of this agreement, the steward shall be and the alternate shall be both officers of the Pleasantville Police Department.

ARTICLE 111 - GRIEVANCE PROCEDURE

<u>Definition</u> - A grievance is any dispute between the parties concerning the application or interpretation of the agreement or any complaint by an Employee as to any action or non-action which violates any right arising out of his or their employment. The City shall not discipline any employee without just cause.

Step 1. - All grievances by an employee, and responses thereto by the City, shall be in writing within ten (10) days of its occurence or the knowledge of its occurence. "PBA #77" shall appoint an Association Grievance Committee hereinafter referred to as the "Committee", and the Committee shall receive, screen, and process all grievances within five (5) days of written receipt. The processing of grievances shall take place without discrimination and irrespective of membership or affiliation with PBA #77.

Step 2. - The Committee shall, within five (5) days after screening and acceptance submit grievances to the Chief of Police for resolution. The Chief of Police must render a decision within five (5) working days of receipt in writing.

Step 3. - In the event the parties are unable to resolve the grievance in the second step, either party may within five (5) working days refer the grievance to the Police Committee for resolution. The Police Committee or their authorized representative must render a decision within five (5) working days of receipt in writing.

Step 4. - In the event the grievance is not resolved at the third step, either party may refer the grievance, within five (5) working days to the City Council for resolution. The City Council must render a decision within fifteen (15) working days of receipt of writing.

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ARTICLE III - CONTINUED

If the City and Committee cannot mutually agree to a satisfactory arbitrator within thirty (30) days after receipt of the list from the Public Employment Relation Commission, the Commission shall select an arbitrator. The arbitrator shall hear the matter on the evidence and within the meaning of this agreement, he shall render his award in writing, within thirty (30) days of the hearing, and his decision shall be final and binding on all parties. The cost of the arbitrators fee shall be shared equally by the PBA #77 & City.

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ARTICLE V - BULLETIN BOARD, DUES CHECKOFF

The City shall permit the use of bulletin boards located in the Police Department Headquarters, by PBA #77 for the posting of notices concerning PBA business and activities.

The City agrees, in accordance with State Statutes, upon receipt of signed authorization cards from the Employees, to deduct from the Employees' wages the amount of annual dues as prescribed by PBA #77, in equal installments bi-weekly and to froward said amount to the Treasurer of PBA #77 on the first of each month.

This provision is open to adjustment with the City Treasurer as to policy, or procedure.

ARTICLE VI - MANAGEMENT RIGHTS

It is the right of the City to determine the standards of service to be offered by its Employees, determine the standards of selection for employment (subject to the rules and regulations of the Civil Service Commission), direct its Employees, take disciplinary action, maintain the efficiency of its operations, determine the methods, means, and personnel by which its operations are to be conducted, determine the content of job classifications, schedule the hours, take all necessary actions to carry out its mission in emergencies, exercise complete control and discretion over its organization and the technology of performing its work. The practical impact of the decisions of the above matters are subject to the Grievance Procedure as set forth in Article III. Nothing in this Article shall alter or relieve the City of any of its obligations undertaken by the Agreement.

The parties agree that the Chief of Police and other superior officers shall exercise their supervisory duties faithfully, irrespective of the fact that they maybe covered by this Agreement, and they shall be objective in their dealings with all personnel subordinate to them, irrespective of their membership in PBA #77.

ARTICLE V11 - STRIKES

PBA #77 and the Employees assure and pledge to the City that their goals and purposes are such as to condone no strikes, work stoppages, sickouts, slowdowns, or any other such method which would interfere with Police service to the City of Pleasantville and its citizens, or violate the Constitution of the United States or the laws of the State of New Jersey. The PBA and Employees will not initiate such activities nor advocate or encourage other employees to initiate the same, and the PBA and Employees will not support any member of this organization acting contrary to this provision.

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Pursuant to Chapter 303, Public Laws of 1968, the City agrees that every policeman shall have the right freely, to organize, join and support the PBA and its affiliates for the purpose of engaging in collective negotiations and other concerted activities for mutual aid and protection. As a body exercising governmental power under the laws fo the State of New Jersey, the City undertakes and agrees that it shall not directly or indirectly discourage or deprive or coerce any policeman in the enjoyment of any rights conferred by Chapter 303. or other laws of New Jersey or the Constitution of New Jersey and the United States; that it shall not discriminate against any policeman with respect to hours, wages, or any other term or condition of employment by reason of his membership in the PBA or its affiliates, or his participation in any of these activities, collective negotiations with the City, or his institution of any grievance, complaint or proceeding under this agreement with respect to any terms or conditions of employment. Elected representatives of the PBA shall be permitted time off from their regular schedule to attend negotiating sessions, grievance sessions, and regularly scheduled meetings of the PBA providing the efficiency of the department is not seriously affected at the discretion of the Chief of Police.

ARTICLE IX - HOLIDAYS

Effective January 1, 1974, all Employees covered by this agreement shall continue to receive twelve paid holidays per year. Said holidays shall be awarded as days off in addition to the Employees annual vacation and shall be given at any time during the calendar year at the employees request, with the approval of the respective shift commanders, and may be taken consecutively, up to five working days at a time.

ARTICLE X - VACATIONS

A. An Employee during his first year of employment shall be entitled to one working day's vacation for each month of service up to and including December of his initial year. Thereafter, he shall be entitled to a paid vacation according to the following schedule:

B. It is the intent of this Article to assure personnel covered by this agreement that they shall receive the maximum amount of actual vacation days to which they are entitled. Days on which they are normally scheduled to work shall be the days they are given off. Days on which they are normally scheduled off that fall during the vacation period shall not be computed as part of the vacation. This Article shall be effective from January 1, 1974.

ARTICLE X1 - LEAVES

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- (3) PAY UPON TERMINATION Upon an employee; s retirement death, or honorable termination of employment, said employee shall be compensated for his accumulated sick leave computed on his daily rate of pay for the year immediately preceding said termination, and shall receive a full day's pay for each day of accumulated sick leave to a maximum of four (4) months accumulation.

ARTICLE XI - LEAVES CONTINUED

Any employee who is separated from service for cause arising from any disciplinary action shall not be entitled to compensation for accumulated sick leave.

B. FUNERAL LEAVE

- (1) Special leave of absence with pay up to a maximum of four (4) working days shall be granted to any employee in case of death within the immediate family. The number of allowable days to be subject to the discretion of the Chief of Police.
- (2) The term "immediate family" shall include only, father, mother, step-parent, father-in-law, mother-in-law, grand-parents, sister, brother, spouse, child, and foster child of an employee and relatives residing in his/her household at time of death.
- (3) The special leave period shall commence immediately following the death of such persons and is for the sole purpose of arranging and attending funeral services; such special leave may be extended without pay at the discretion of the Chief of Police. The above shall not constitute sick leave and shall not be deducted from the employee's annual sick leave.

C. INJURY LEAVE

- (1) Injury leave shall be granted with full pay to employees temporarily disabled through injury or illness as a result of, or arising from, their respective employment.
- (2) Any amount of salary or wages paid or payable to employees because of leave pursuant to Section XI, C (1) above shall be reduced by the amount of workmen's compensation awarded under Chapter 15 of Title 34 of the Revised Statutes made for disability because of the same injury or illness requiring such leave, in no event shall this exceed 12 months.

D. LEAVE FOR PBA MEETINGS

The Executive Delegate and President (or appointed alternates) of PBA #77 shall be granted leave from duty with full pay up to six (6) days during a twelve (12) month period to attend scheduled meetings of the State and Local Association, when such meetings take place at a time when such officers are scheduled to be on duty, providing the affected officer gives at least 72 hours notice to the Chief of Police.

ARTICLE XI - LEAVES-CONTINUED

E. LIMITATIONS ON LEAVES

No leave of absence or combination of leaves of absence for any cause whatsoever shall exceed one year. In case of continuous absence for more than one year, such employee so absent shall be automatically separated from the department on the first anniversary date from the date such absence began. The City may, in its discretion, extend such absence indefinitely.

ARTICLE X11 - SALARY, LONGEVITY, OVERTIME

A. BASE SALARY

Commencing on January 1, 1974, the annual base salaries to be paid to the following employees of the City covered by this agreement shall be as follows and shall be paid bi-weekly:

Chief of Police	\$12,950	per	annum
Deputy Chief	12,150	per	annum
Captain	11,350	per	annum
Lieutenant (when applicable)	11,050	per	annum
Sergeant	10,750	per	annum
Patrolman after 3 years service	10,350	per	annum
Patrolman after 2 years service	9,500	per	annum
Patrolman after 1 years service	9,000	per	ammum
Patrolman during initial year	8,025	per	annum

All salary increases and other compensation shall be paid retroactive to January 1, 1974.

B. OVERTIME

(1) Overtime shall consist of all hours worked in excess of eight hours per day or forty hours per week.

Overtime Defined

Overtime shall be defined as any and all hours worked out side the normal work week of eight hours per day, forty hours per week, and shall include all such hours spent on emergencies, training sessions, all court appearances connected with and arising from their respective employment, and in any other extra duty activities which require the employee's attendance.

(2) All employees covered by this agreement, excluding the Chief and Deputy Chief of Police, who are deemed managerial executives by Chapter 303, shall, in addition to their base salaries, be paid their straight time hourly rate of pay computed on the basis of a forty hour work wee, including longevity, for all overtime hours worked up to and including the first one hundred (100) hours, and shall receive compensatory time for all hours worked therafter. Overtime shall be paid quarterly together with and in addition to the employee's base salary.

Detectives shall be paid a maximum of 200 hours overtime. It is agreed that overtime compensation in the amount of $1\frac{1}{2}$ time shall be paid in the event of serious emergencies.

ARTICLE X11 - SALARY, LONGEVITY, OVERTIME - CONTINUED -

C. LONGEVITY

(1) Each employee listed in Article X11, Section A, shall be paid in addition to and together with his annual base salary as listed in Section A, Article X11, additional compensation based upon the lenght of his or her service as fixed and determined according to the following schedule:

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(2) Longevity pay shall be applied on the basis of the employee's anniversary date of employment, and shall commence at the adjusted rate, the pay period immediately following said anniversary date. Longevity shall be paid together with and in addition the employee's base salary.

ARTICLE XIII - ACTING OFFICER

Any employee who shall have been appointed to act for a senior officer in the absence of such senior officer and who shall have performed the duties thereof, for a continuous period of thirty (30) days shall, thereafter, be entitled to compensation appropriate to such office for time so held. This Section is effective January 1, 1974. This shall not apply for absences due to vacation or Holiday's.

ARTICLE X1V - COLLEGE INCENTIVE PROGRAM

The City and PBA #77 agree that the amount and quality of an employee's education often determines the value of his contribution to the community, and the degree of proficiency with which he performs his duties. In order to provide an incentive to encourage employees to achieve the advantages of higher education, the City agrees that each employee who receives academic credits for study in any institution of collegiate level which offers a college curriculum leading to or accreditable toward an undergraduate baccalaureate or associate degree in law enforcement or other related degrees at the discretion of the Chief shall be paid a college allowance according to the following schedule:

ACCUMULATED CREDIT HOURS	COMPENSATION PER ANNUM
64 Credit Hours	\$200 per year (Associate's Degree)
120 Credit Hours	\$500 per year (Bachelor's

Said compensation shall be continued from year to year and shall be paid in a lump sum on the first pay day in December. It is understood that such credits must be earned while in the City's employ.

Degree)

The PBA recognizes that funds were not specifically budgeted for this program and that payment as called for is conditional upon the City's ability to transfer funds as allowed by State law.

ARTICLE XV - HOSPITALIZATION INSURANCE

The City agrees to provide the same medical insurance coverage as provided to all other full time City employees and said insurance shall remain the same as provided in current practice or the equivalent thereto.

ARTICLE XVI - CLOTHING ALLOWANCE

In addition to any other benefit under this agreement, every employee shall be entitled to an allowance for the cleaning and maintenance of his clothing and uniforms in the sum of \$100 yearly. Said allowance shall be paid in a lump sum on the first pay period in December, 1974. It is understood that this allowance is not for the purchase of replacement of uniforms and clothing, but is to help offset the cost of cleaning and maintenance of same.

The PBA recognizes that funds were not specifically budgeted for this program and that payment as called for is conditional upon the City's ability to transfer funds as allowed by State law.

ARTICLE XV11 - CONTINUATION OF BENEFITS NOT COVERED BY THIS AGREEMENT

All practices and conditions not covered by this agreement shall continue to be governed, controlled and interpreted by reference to the City Charter, Ordinances, Rules and Regulations of the police department; and any past or present benefits or privleges which are enjoyed by the Employees covered by this agreement, that have not been included in this Contract, shall be continued.

ARTICLE XVIII - SAVINGS CLAUSE

In the event that any provision of this agreement shall be finally determined to be in violation of any applicable State or Civil Service rule or regulation or law, such determination shall not impair the validity or enforceability of the remaining provisions of this agreement.

ARTICLE XIX - DURATION OF AGREEMENT

This Contract shall be in full force and effect from the date of execution, January 1, 1974 until midnight, December 31, 1974.*

The parties agree that negotiations for successor agreement and modifying, amending or altering the terms and provisions of this Agreement shall commence no later than October 15, 1974.

* It is understood that PBA #77 is seeking a successor agreement commencing from January 1, 1975 and that this agreement shall remain in full force and effect until said successor agreement is reached.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned have affixed their signatures on the Say of August 1974.

BY: Mayor

Attest: By: Mayor

(City seal)

BY: Majority Representative N.J. P.B.A. Local #77

STATE OF NEW JERSEY
County of Atlantic
Signed, sealed and delivered in the presence of:

(Seal)