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STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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RELATING TO LABOR AND LABOR RELATIONS - FIREFIGHTERS' ARBITRATION

Introduced By: Representatives Lally, and McCauley

Date Introduced: March 03, 2011

Referred To: House Labor

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

1           SECTION 1. Section 28-9.1-17 of the General Laws in Chapter 28-9.1 entitled  
2 "Firefighters' Arbitration" is hereby amended to read as follows:

3           **28-9.1-17. Continuance of contractual provisions.** -- All contractual provisions  
4 contained in a collective bargaining agreement entered into pursuant to the provisions of this  
5 chapter shall continue in the following collective bargaining agreement unless either the  
6 bargaining agent or the corporate authority shall, in writing, within the thirty (30) day period  
7 referred to in section 28-9.1-7; ~~propose a change in any contractual provision.~~ In the event that  
8 at the conclusion of the thirty (30) day period set forth in section 28-9.1-7, a successor collective  
9 bargaining agreement has not been agreed to by the parties, then all contractual benefits in effect  
10 shall continue in effect until such time as an agreement has been reached between the parties or  
11 an arbitration award has been rendered.

12           SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage.

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EXPLANATION  
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1           This act would provide that contractual benefits in effect would continue until an  
2 agreement has been reached between the parties or an arbitration award has been rendered with  
3 regard to firefighters' arbitration.

4           This act would take effect upon passage.

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