



## CHAPTER vii.

An Act to amend the City of London Police Superannuation Act 1889. A.D. 1894.  
[1st June 1894.]

**W**HEREAS it is expedient that the City of London Police Superannuation Act 1889 (in this Act called the Act of 1889) should be amended as herein-after provided :

And whereas the object aforesaid cannot be attained without the authority of Parliament :

May it therefore please Your Majesty that it may be enacted and be it enacted by the Queen's most Excellent Majesty by and with the advice and consent of the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons in this present Parliament assembled and by the authority of the same as follows :—

**1.** This Act may be cited for all purposes as the City of London Police Superannuation Act 1894 and the Act of 1889 and this Act may be cited together for all purposes as the City of London Police Superannuation Acts 1889 and 1894. Short title.

**2.** Words and expressions to which meanings are assigned by the Act of 1889 shall have the same meanings when used in this Act. Interpretation.

**3.** With respect to any constable who shall join the city police force after the passing of this Act and with the consent in writing of any constable who shall have joined the city police force before the passing of this Act with respect to such constable section 4 of the Act of 1889 shall be read and construed as if the following provisions had been substituted therein for the provisions contained in sub-section (A) of that section (that is to say) :— Amendment of section 4 of Act of 1889.

(A) If he is certified by the commissioner to have completed not less than twenty-five years of approved service and (if and when a limit of age is fixed by the common council) is of an age not less than the age so prescribed and has given such

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written notice of his desire to retire as may from time to time be required by the commissioner :  
and as if the following had been substituted for the second proviso to that section (that is to say) :—

Provided also that a constable who receives a pension under this section before he has by service and age or (if no limit of age has been fixed and is applicable to such constable) by service acquired a right to retire shall be liable in the former case until he reach the prescribed age and in the latter case until he reach fifty years of age to be recalled to service on recovery from mental and physical incapacity unless he relinquish his right to the payment of any pension and if such constable be recalled to service the provisions of this Act shall apply as if he had not previously retired save that his pension shall not be less than that granted on his previous retirement and he shall not reckon as service the time elapsed between his retirement and recall to service.

Common council may prescribe age for retirement of constables.

4. It shall be lawful for but not obligatory upon the common council from time to time to fix a limit of age below which a constable is not to be entitled to retire on a pension without a medical certificate provided that such limit shall not be less than fifty years and not more than fifty-five years or in the case of a constable above the rank of a sergeant not more than sixty years Provided always that as regards any constable of whatever rank who shall have joined the city police force before the passing of this Act it shall not be lawful for the common council to fix a limit of age of more than fifty years Provided also that no alteration in the limit of age at any time fixed by the council shall without the consent of the constable apply to any constable who shall have joined the city police force before such alteration was made.

Application of certain provisions of Police Act 1890 to city police.

5. The provisions contained in section 7 (except sub-section (8) thereof) and section 9 of the Police Act 1890 shall apply to the city police force with the following modifications :—

(1) The common council shall be substituted for the police authority :

(2) The expression "any pension gratuity or allowance under this Act" where used in the Police Act 1890 shall mean any pension gratuity or allowance under the Act of 1889 or this Act :

(3) The city police superannuation fund shall be substituted for the pension fund :



(4) For the purposes of this Act sub-section (5) of section 7 of the Police Act 1890 shall be read and construed as if the words "the deceased pensioner is illegitimate and dies intestate without leaving a widow or issue to or among such persons as the Treasury shall direct" had been substituted therein for the words "of the illegitimacy of the deceased pensioner to or among such persons as the police authority may think fit." A.D. 1894.

6. The provisions of the Act of 1889 as amended by this Act shall extend and apply to any assistant commissioner of the city police force in the same manner in all respects as they are by that Act made to apply to the commissioner surgeon receiver and officers of the city police force. Provisions of Act of 1889 extended to assistant commissioners.

7. The common council may in reckoning the service of the present commissioner the present assistant commissioner and the present receiver of the city police force add to the term of actual approved service such number of years not exceeding ten as they may think fit in respect or on account of special qualifications or experience or previous service with the corporation or otherwise. Power to add years to term of service in certain cases.

8. The costs charges and expenses preliminary to and of and incidental to the preparation of and the obtaining and passing of this Act shall be paid by the common council as part of the expenses of the city police force. Costs of Act.

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