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DELAWARE STATE SENATE  
150th GENERAL ASSEMBLY

SENATE BILL NO. 174

AN ACT TO AMEND TITLE 11 OF THE DELAWARE CODE RELATING TO STATEWIDE AUTHORITY OF POLICE OFFICERS.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE:

Section 1. Amend § 1911, Title 11 of the Delaware Code by making deletions as shown by strike through and insertions as shown by underline as follows:

§ 1911. Police officers; statewide authority.

(a) For purposes of this section "police officer" means any police officer holding current certification by the Council on Police Training as provided by Chapter 84 of this title and who ~~is~~: is any of the following:

(1) A member of the Delaware State ~~Police~~; Police.

(2) A member of the New Castle County ~~Police~~; Police.

(3) A member of the police department, bureau or force of any incorporated city or ~~town~~; town.

(4) A member of the Delaware River and Bay Authority ~~Police~~; Police.

(5) A member of the Capitol ~~Police~~; Police.

(6) A member of the University of Delaware ~~Police~~; Police.

(7) A law-enforcement officer of the Department of Natural Resources and Environmental ~~Control~~; Police.

(8) An agent of the State Division of Alcohol and Tobacco ~~Enforcement~~; Enforcement.

(9) An officer or agent of the State Police Drug Diversion ~~Unit~~; Unit.

(10) A state detective or special investigator of the Department of ~~Justice~~; Justice.

(11) Delaware State University ~~Police~~; ~~or~~ Police.

(12) A member of the Office of the State Fire Marshal.

(13) A special investigator of the Department of Services for Children, Youth and Their Families.

SYNOPSIS

This Act allows special investigators with the Department of Services for Children, Youth and Their Families to make arrests and render assistance to other police officers.

This Act also makes technical corrections to conform existing law to the standards of the Delaware Legislative Drafting Manual.

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