

H. B. No. 241
As Introduced

_____ moved to amend as follows:

In line 1 of the title, after "124.30" insert "and to enact section 1
737.061" 2

In line 2 of the title, after "regarding" insert "training schools 3
for prospective law enforcement officers and" 4

In line 5, after "124.30" insert "be amended and section 737.061" 5

In line 6, delete "amended" and insert "enacted" 6

In line 185, after "(32)" insert "Employees appointed to participate 7
in a prospective law enforcement training school under section 737.061 of 8
the Revised Code; 9

(33)" 10

In line 346, delete "In" and insert "Except as provided in division 11
(D) of this section, in" 12

After line 367, insert: 13

"(D) Division (A) (3) of this section does not apply to a 14
vacancy in a position in the classified civil service in a 15



police department that must be filled by promotion as prescribed 16
in section 124.44 of the Revised Code. 17

Sec. 737.061. (A) The chief of police of a municipal 18
corporation may conduct training schools for prospective law 19
enforcement officers. The training school programs shall align 20
with Ohio peace officer training academy standards and offer 21
equivalent qualification. The prospective officers, during the 22
period of training and as members of the training school, may be 23
paid a reasonable salary. The chief of police may furnish the 24
necessary supplies and equipment for the use of the prospective 25
officers during the training period. 26

(B) The chief of police may establish rules governing the 27
qualifications for admission to training schools for prospective 28
officers and provide for competitive examinations to determine 29
the fitness of the students and prospective officers, not 30
inconsistent with the rules of the director of administrative 31
services. 32

(C) Upon completion of a training school program 33
established under this section, a program graduate may be hired 34
directly by the relevant department." 35

The motion was _____ agreed to.

SYNOPSIS 36

Training schools for prospective law enforcement officers 37

R.C. 124.11 and 737.061 38

Allows the police chief of a municipal corporation to 39

conduct training schools for prospective law enforcement	40
officers that align with Ohio Peace Officer Training Academy	41
standards and offer equivalent qualification.	42
Allows the chief of police to establish rules for	43
qualifications for admission to a law enforcement training	44
school and provide for competitive examinations.	45
Allows prospective officers, during the period of training	46
and as members of a training school, to be paid a reasonable	47
salary.	48
Places employees appointed to participate in a prospective	49
law enforcement training school in the unclassified civil	50
service.	51
Police department vacancies	52
R.C. 124.30	53
Specifies that the exception created under the bill	54
allowing a police department to fill a vacant position in the	55
classified civil service without a competitive examination under	56
specified circumstances does not apply to a vacant position that	57
must be filled by promotion under continuing law.	58