



General Assembly

Substitute Bill No. 6863

January Session, 2015



AN ACT CONCERNING THE ENFORCEMENT OF ORDINANCES.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. Subsection (a) of section 54-1f of the general statutes is
2 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective*
3 *October 1, 2015*):

4 (a) For purposes of this section, the respective precinct or
5 jurisdiction of a state marshal or judicial marshal shall be wherever
6 such marshal is required to perform duties. Peace officers, as defined
7 in subdivision (9) of section 53a-3, in their respective precincts, shall
8 arrest, without previous complaint and warrant, any person for any
9 offense in their jurisdiction, when the person is taken or apprehended
10 in the act or on the speedy information of others, provided that no
11 constable elected pursuant to the provisions of section 9-200 shall be
12 considered a peace officer for the purposes of this subsection, unless
13 the town in which such constable holds office provides, by ordinance,
14 that constables shall be considered peace officers for the purposes of
15 this subsection. No peace officer shall pursue a person outside of the
16 peace officer's precinct for the purpose of enforcing a municipal
17 ordinance.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:

Section 1	October 1, 2015	54-1f(a)
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Statement of Legislative Commissioners:

On line 15, "an offender" was changed to "a person", for internal consistency.

PH *Joint Favorable Subst.*