



# FIRE DEPARTMENT • CITY OF NEW YORK

Department Order No. 94

July 13, 1984



1.1 With regret, the death of retired Firefighter *George F. Reers* (Pension No. F-8812), appointed February 11, 1929, retired January 2, 1962, formerly of LSS, 3rd Division, residing in New City, New York, which occurred on July 9, 1984, is hereby announced to the Department.

## 1.2 MEMORIAL MASS

The Sixth Annual Memorial Mass will be celebrated on August 2, 1984 at St. Brendan Church, 1525 East 12th Street, Brooklyn, N.Y., at 1000 hours, to honor the memory of the following late members whose death occurred on August 2, 1978 from injuries sustained at Box 44-3300, Brooklyn.

### LIEUTENANT

*James E. Cutillo*, 33rd Battalion

### FIREFIGHTERS

*Harold F. Hastings*, 42nd Battalion

*James P. McMamas*, Ladder Co. 153

*George S. Rice*, Ladder Co. 153

*Charles S. Bouton*, Ladder Co. 156

*William O'Connor*, Ladder Co. 156

All off duty members of the Department are invited to attend the services as a mark of respect to the deceased.

## 2.1 TELEVISION TRAINING SCHEDULE

Week of July 16, 1984

The following program will be broadcast over WNYC-TV Channel 31, on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday at 1430 hours during the week beginning July 16, 1984:

*"Physical Fitness For Firefighters"*

## 2.2 NEW YORK STATE HIGHER EDUCATION SERVICES CORPORATION VIETNAM VETERANS TUITION AWARDS

Vietnam Veterans Tuition Awards provide up to \$500 per semester for full-time study or \$250 per semester for part-time study to Vietnam veterans enrolled in an undergraduate program at a degree granting institution in New York State.

### Eligibility Requirements:

1. Residency in New York State on April 20, 1964 or at the time of entry into service and resumption of residency by September 1, 1967.
2. Service in the US Armed Forces in Indochina between January 1, 1963 and May 7, 1975.
3. Discharge from the US Armed Forces under other than dishonorable conditions.
4. Enrolled in an approved undergraduate program in a degree-granting institution in New York State.
5. Application for TAP and PELL Grant awards.

For a Vietnam Veterans Tuition Award Supplement application, contact your college financial aid office, a veterans office or write to NYSHEFSC, VVTA, Albany, New York 12255.

2.3 In accordance with Directive of the Mayor, the following named member is hereby appointed **FIRE-FIGHTER FOURTH GRADE** in this Department, Bureau of Fire, for a probationary period of one year, effective as shown below:

Effective 0900 hours, July 12, 1984

Division of Training—Firefighters 4th Grade School

*John A. Komorowski*

## 2.4 CHIEF OFFICERS DEVELOPMENT

Fire Commissioner *Joseph E. Spinnato*, Chief of Department *John J. O'Rourke* and all Chief Officers wish to express their appreciation to Deputy Chiefs *John W. Regler*, *Richard A. Travers* and *Edward C. Butler*; Battalion Chiefs *James J. Manahan*, *Vincent J. Fowler*, *Laurence F. Hutton*, *Carlo A. Andersen*, *Edward J. McDonald*, (2) and *Donald J. Ridand*; Supervising Fire Marshals *John J. Stickervers* and *John E. Knox*; Fire Marshals *William F. Manahan*, *Arthur Craveford*, *Brian J. Hughes*, *Michael T. Mammine* and *Ralph Feldman*, for a job well done in producing and conducting Phase II of the Chief Officers Development Course.

2.5 The Bureau of Fire Prevention is pleased to announce that the following members, having been detailed to the District Office System, have requested a permanent assignment and have been transferred to the Bureau of Fire Prevention:

Effective 0900 hours, July 10, 1984

FIREFIGHTERS 1st GRADE	UNIT
<i>Andrew Beard</i>	Eng. 231
<i>Bernard F. Curran</i>	Eng. 70
<i>Robert F. Janson</i>	Eng. 324
<i>Thomas F. Lynch</i> , (4)	Eng. 26

## 2.6 THIRD RAIL TESTERS

The 3rd rail testers formerly carried by the rescue companies have been taken out of service.

Members shall treat 3rd rails as if energized at all times.

## 2.7 ALL UNITS CIRCULAR NO. 273 PILOT PROGRAM—EQUIPMENT/APPARATUS

The following Addendum to A.U.C. No. 273 shall be noted to reflect the results of the Pilot Program:

1. Addendum No. 23, "Officers Flame Resistant Rayon/Wool Trousers",

1.1 Results—NEGATIVE

1.2 Pilot Program Terminated

## 2.8 CHANGE OF GROUP ASSIGNMENT

LIEUTENANT	LADDER	GROUP TO	GROUP
<i>Seymour Berkowitz</i>	169	4	10

**2.9 AMEND FIRE DEPARTMENT  
TELEPHONE DIRECTORY**

On page 34 under Battalion Index, add 59th Batt., Telephone No. 476-7309, Centrex No. 309.

On page 53 after 54th Batt., add 13th Div., 59th Batt., 78-11 67th Road, Queens, Telephone No. 476-7309, (Quarters of Engine 319).

**2.10 ACCRUED AND TERMINAL LEAVES**

Pending resolution by the Board of Trustees the following members are granted Accrued and Terminal Leaves prior to retirement for *Disability* and they are assigned to "R" group in their respective units as of commencement of Accrued Leaves:

LIEUTENANTS	ACCRUED LEAVE	TERMINAL LEAVE	
<i>Michael F. Gale</i> Engine Co. 288	7-30-84	8-20-84	11-20-84
<i>Joseph J. Ruginiski</i> LSS, Bur. of Fire Prev.	8- 2-84	8-23-84	12- 8-84
<i>Thomas T. Stubber</i> Ladder Co. 163	8- 2-84	8-23-84	10- 8-84

**2.11 EMERGENCY LEAVE DEDUCTION  
REVOKED**

Paragraph 2.5 of Department Order No. 92, dated July 9, 1984, insofar as it relates to Firefighter *Joseph Von Weisenstein*, Engine Co. 266, for the Emergency Leave Deduction of 2 work days is hereby revoked.

**2.12 ACCRUED AND TERMINAL LEAVES**

Pending resolution by the Board of Trustees the following members are granted Accrued and Terminal Leaves prior to retirement for *Service* and they are assigned to "R" group in their respective units as of commencement of Accrued Leaves:

CAPTAIN	ACCRUED LEAVE	TERMINAL LEAVE	
<i>Edwin Rothstein</i> Engine Co. 18	Declined	Declined	7-28-84
FIREFIGHTERS	ACCRUED LEAVE	TERMINAL LEAVE	
<i>Vincent Angelo</i> Engine Co. 70	7-11-84	Declined	8- 1-84
<i>Louis Sanzi</i> Ladder Co. 82	7-16-84	Declined	8- 5-84

By Order of, JOSEPH E. SPINNATO, *Fire Commissioner*