

Sec. 48. - Police department.

- (a) There is hereby created in the city a police department for the preservation and enforcement of law and order within the city. Such police department shall be composed of a chief of police and as many subordinate officers and employees as the city manager may direct.
- (b) The chief of police shall have exclusive control of the stationing and transfer of all patrolmen and other officers and employees constituting the police force, subject to the approval of the city manager or under such rules and regulations as may be prescribed by ordinances of the city.
- (c) The chief of police shall be appointed by the city manager with the approval of the city commission and may be discharged by the city commission or by the city manager with the consent of the city commission with or without cause.
- (d) [Text deleted.]
- (e) [Text deleted.]

(Laws of Fla., Ch. 59-1286, § 1; Laws of Fla., Ch. 59-1288, § 1; Laws of Fla., Ch. 67-1391, § 12)

Editor's note— Pursuant to F.S. § 166.021, the provisions of section 4, subsections (d) and (e) of this section were either repealed as a limitation on power or assumed ordinance status. The provisions of subsection (d) of this section have been included in the Code. See the code comparative table for the 1957 Charter for their location in the Code. The provisions of subsection (e) of this section have not been included in the Code and are, therefore, repealed by the adoption of the Code.