



CHAPTER 160A
ARTICLE 13 - LAW ENFORCEMENT

N.C.G.S. § 160A-284.

Oath of office; holding other offices.

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§ 160A-284(a) Each person appointed or employed as chief of police, policeman, or auxiliary policeman shall take and subscribe before some person authorized by law to administer oaths the oath of office required by Article VI, Sec. 7, of the Constitution. The oath shall be filed with the city clerk.

§ 160A-284(b) The offices of policeman and chief of police are hereby declared to be offices that may be held concurrently with any other appointive office pursuant to Article VI, Sec. 9, of the Constitution. The offices of policeman and chief of police are hereby declared to be offices that may be held concurrently with any elective office, other than elective office in the municipality employing the policeman or chief of police, pursuant to Section 9 of Article VI of the Constitution.

§ 160A-284(c) The office of auxiliary policeman is hereby declared to be an office that may be held concurrently with any elective office or appointive office pursuant to Article VI, Sec. 9, of the Constitution.

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03	1975	c. 664, s. 10	AMENDED
04	2018	S.L. 2018-13, s. 4(a)	AMENDED

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