LOCAL LAW NO. 3-1982 CHAUTAUQUA COUNTY

A LOCAL LAW ASSUMING LIABILITY FOR ACTS COMMITTED BY THE CHAUTAUQUA COUNTY DEPUTY SHERIFFS

BE IT ENACTED, by the County Legislature of the County of Chautauqua as follows:

Section 1. Any act or omission of any employee of the County in the Office of the Sheriff, done or made in the performance of an official duty or for the performance of which they County is paid or receives compensation or a fee, shall be the act or omission of the County and the damages, if any, resulting there from shall be deemed the liability of the County.

Section 2. Nothing contained in this section shall be deemed to render the County responsible or liable for the acts of the Sheriff thereof where such responsibility or liability did not exist prior to the enactment hereof, nor relieve said Sheriff from any liability to which he is lawfully subject.

Section 3. Nothing contained herein shall be deemed or construed to increase or alter the County's liability beyond what is otherwise imposed upon the Sheriff, his deputies or employees.

Section 4. This act shall take effect upon its filing with the Secretary of State.

Approved by Legislature: 4/28/82 R/C Vote: 25 Yes

Adopted as Local Law 3-82 (Effective 5/14/82)