## **DIGEST**

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HB 696 Engrossed

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Pearson

**Abstract:** Authorizes a retiree of the Teachers' Retirement System of La. (TRSL) to return to work as a tutor and continue to collect his benefit check, subject to an earnings limitation of 25% of his benefit amount.

<u>Present law</u> generally provides that a retiree of TRSL may not return to work in a position covered by the system and continue to receive retirement benefits while reemployed. Further provides exceptions to <u>present law</u>.

<u>Present law</u> authorizes a retiree to return to work as a substitute classroom teacher, an adjunct professor, an instructor in an adult literacy program, or a school nurse and to continue to receive his benefit check; however, the allowable employment earnings of such retiree are capped at 25% of his benefit amount. <u>Proposed law</u> retains <u>present law</u> and adds tutor for a student in pre-kindergarten through 12th grade to the list of positions that a retiree may return to subject to a 25% earnings limitation.

Effective July 1, 2018.

(Adds R.S. 11:710(A)(5)(e))

## Summary of Amendments Adopted by House

The Committee Amendments Proposed by House Committee on Retirement to the original bill:

1. Change <u>proposed law</u> regarding the position affected <u>from</u> presenter for professional development training <u>to</u> a tutor for any student in pre-kindergarten through 12th grade.