
SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

2019 Regular Session

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Retirement to Reengrossed House Bill No. 22 by Representative Bacala

1 AMENDMENT NO. 1

2 On page 2, line 2 between "recent" and "valuation" insert "actuarial"

3 AMENDMENT NO. 2

4 On page 2, between lines 2 and 3, insert "(b) \"Administrative expenses\" means all expenses
5 paid to vendors that are solely attributable to the initial actuarial certification or an actuarial
6 certification."

7 AMENDMENT NO. 3

8 On page 2, line 3, change "(b)" to "(c)"

9 AMENDMENT NO. 4

10 On page 2, delete lines 12 through 18

11 AMENDMENT NO. 5

12 On page 3, line 15, after "Baton Rouge" and before the period add ", or any retiree who
13 received a refund of employee contributions paid on disputed compensation"

14 AMENDMENT NO. 6

15 On page 3, between lines 15 and 16, insert the following:

16 "(e) \"Disputed overtime\" means compensation paid to a Baton Rouge police
17 officer that does not qualify as earnable compensation under this Chapter but meets
18 all of the following requirements:

19 (i) It was paid for work required in the employee's regular scope of duty.

20 (ii) It is compensation of the type on which the city of Baton Rouge, parish
21 of East Baton Rouge, referred to in this Subsection as \"Baton Rouge\", was paying
22 contributions to the system prior to January 1, 2018."

23 AMENDMENT NO. 7

24 On page 3, line 16, change "(e)" to "(f)"

25 AMENDMENT NO. 8

26 On page 3, line 28, after "ninety days" add "of the initial actuarial certification"

27 AMENDMENT NO. 9

28 On page 3, line 29, after "actuary" and before "necessary" insert "designated pursuant to
29 Paragraph (D)(1) of this Section that is"

30 AMENDMENT NO. 10

31 On page 4, line 8 change "study" to "certification"

1 AMENDMENT NO. 11

2 On page 4, line 26, change "when" to "after"

3 AMENDMENT NO. 12

4 On page 5, line 5, change "January" to "August"

5 AMENDMENT NO. 13

6 On page 5, line 6, after "of" and before "expenses" insert "administrative"

7 AMENDMENT NO. 14

8 On page 5, line 7, change "calendar" to "fiscal"

9 AMENDMENT NO. 15

10 On page 5, line 8, after "than", delete the remainder of the line and insert the following:

11 "January fifteenth of the following calendar year. Except in the event of disputed
 12 calculations that cause the following cap to be exceeded, Baton Rouge shall not be
 13 required to reimburse the system for more than nine hundred dollars, adjusted
 14 beginning in calendar year 2021 for the annual percentage increase in the Consumer
 15 Price Index for all Urban Consumers for the calendar year immediately preceding the
 16 system's current fiscal year, times the number of Baton Rouge police officers for
 17 which an actuarial certification was made."

18 AMENDMENT NO. 16

19 On page 5, between lines 13 and 14, insert the following:

20 "(7) Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary,
 21 compensation described in Items (1)(e)(i) and (ii) of this Subsection shall constitute
 22 earnable compensation under this Chapter if it is or was paid by Baton Rouge to an
 23 employee who was merged into the system pursuant to R.S. 11:2225(A)(11)(ii), and
 24 to whom one of the following applies:

25 (a) The employee did not or does not obtain a refund of his accumulated
 26 contributions.

27 (b) The employee obtained a refund of his accumulated contributions and, on
 28 or before December 31, 2017, repaid them along with compounded interest at the
 29 board-approved actuarial valuation rate thereon from the date of refund until the date
 30 that such contributions were repaid in full."

31 AMENDMENT NO. 17

32 On page 5, line 14, change "(7)" to "(8)"

33 AMENDMENT NO. 18

34 On page 5, delete lines 17-19 and insert "Municipal Police Employees' Retirement System
 35 the sum of eighty-seven thousand five hundred dollars on or before January 15, 2020, for
 36 administrative expenses that are associated with disputed previously incurred administrative
 37 expenses."