## **DIGEST**

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**Abstract:** Removes July 1, 2016, termination date for retired members of the Firefighters' Retirement System (FRS) to apply for conversion of a service retirement to a service connected disability retirement.

<u>Present law</u> authorizes a retired member or Deferred Retirement Option Plan participant of FRS who acquires a service related disability after retirement to convert his service retirement to a service connected disability retirement. <u>Proposed law</u> retains <u>present law</u>.

<u>Present law provides that the authority to make such conversions terminates on July 1, 2016. Present law further provides that the Public Retirement Systems' Actuarial Committee shall publish reports including the results of studies of the actuarial impact of such conversions every five years between July 1, 2001, and June 30, 2016. <u>Proposed law repeals present law.</u></u>

Effective upon signature of governor or lapse of time for gubernatorial action.

(Repeals R.S. 11:2258(B)(2)(d))