

SENATE BILL NO. 406

BY SENATOR KLEINPETER

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 11:2178(K)(2)(a), relative to the Sheriffs' Pension and Relief
3 Fund; to provide for membership in and receipt of benefits from the fund; to provide
4 relative to permanent benefit increases for certain recipients; to provide for an
5 effective date; and to provide for related matters.

6 Notice of intention to introduce this Act has been published.

7 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

8 Section 1. R.S. 11:2178(K)(2)(a) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

9 §2178. Disability benefits; retirement benefits; death benefits

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12 (2)(a)~~(i)~~ The permanent benefit increase shall be payable in a monthly
13 amount not to exceed two and one-half percent of the normal monthly benefit
14 payable to the retiree, disability recipient, or survivor on the date the increase is
15 granted. Except as provided in Item (ii) of this Subparagraph, the The dollar
16 amount of such increase for any recipient shall not exceed five percent of the average
17 monthly benefit in payment to service retirees as of the end of the preceding fiscal
18 year.

19 (ii) The dollar amount of any permanent benefit increase for a recipient
20 whose benefit is based on the record of someone who retired with a minimum
21 of thirty years of creditable service shall not be subject to the cap contained in
22 Item (i) of this Subparagraph of five percent of the average monthly benefit in
23 payment to service retirees.

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25 Section 2. This Act shall become effective upon signature by the governor or, if not
26 signed by the governor, upon expiration of the time for bills to become law without signature

1 by the governor, as provided by Article III, Section 18 of the Constitution of Louisiana. If
2 vetoed by the governor and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become
3 effective on the day following such approval.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA

APPROVED: _____