

2026 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 26

BY REPRESENTATIVE FREEMAN

RETIREMENT/MUNICIPAL POL: Provides relative to partial dissolution of an employer in the Municipal Police Employees' Retirement System

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 11:2225.4(A)(2)(b)(ii), relative to the Municipal Police
3 Employees' Retirement System; to provide for partial dissolution of a police
4 department; to provide for payment of the system's unfunded accrued liability; and
5 to provide for related matters.

6 Notice of intention to introduce this Act has been published
7 as provided by Article X, Section 29(C) of the Constitution
8 of Louisiana.

9 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

10 Section 1. R.S. 11:2225.4(A)(2)(b)(ii) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as
11 follows:

12 §2225.4. Unfunded accrued liability; payment by employer

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17 (b) A participating employer shall be deemed to have partially dissolved its
18 police department if either of the following occurs:

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(ii) The number of participating employees of the employer as of June

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thirtieth is at least ~~fifty~~ one hundred fewer than the number of participating

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employees of the employer as of June thirtieth of the prior year.

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DIGEST

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Abstract: Provides for the partial dissolution of a police department in the Municipal Police Employees' Retirement System (MPERS).

Present law requires a police department that reduces its size by 50 or more participating employees in a fiscal year to make certain unfunded accrued liability payments to MPERS based on the size of the department prior to the reduction.

Proposed law increases to 100 the reduction that triggers such required payments.

(Amends R.S. 11:2225.4(A)(2)(b)(ii))