

HOUSE COMMITTEE OF REFERENCE REPORT

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Chairman of Committee

March 15, 2017  
Date

Committee on Finance.

After consideration on the merits, the Committee recommends the following:

HB17-1176 be amended as follows, and as so amended, be referred to the Committee on Appropriations with favorable recommendation:

1 Amend printed bill, page 4, line 17, strike "A" and substitute "SUBJECT  
2 TO THE PROVISIONS OF SUBSECTION (1.9)(h) OF THIS SECTION, A".

3 Page 6, after line 7 insert:

4 "(d) ANY SERVICE RETIREE WHO IS EMPLOYED PURSUANT TO THIS  
5 SUBSECTION (1.9) SHALL NOT BE REQUIRED TO RESUME MEMBERSHIP.  
6 UPON TERMINATION OF SUCH SERVICE RETIREE'S EMPLOYMENT, THERE  
7 SHALL BE NO BENEFIT CALCULATION REFLECTING ADDITIONAL SERVICE  
8 CREDIT ACCUMULATED OR ANY INCREASE IN THE HIGHEST AVERAGE  
9 SALARY OF SUCH PERSON.

10 (e) A SERVICE RETIREE WHO IS EMPLOYED PURSUANT TO THIS  
11 SUBSECTION (1.9) SHALL NOT RECEIVE A HEALTH CARE PREMIUM SUBSIDY  
12 PURSUANT TO SECTION 24-51-1206 DURING SUCH EMPLOYMENT.

13 (f) ANY SERVICE RETIREE WHO IS EMPLOYED PURSUANT TO THIS  
14 SUBSECTION (1.9) SHALL BE ELIGIBLE TO PARTICIPATE IN THE HEALTH  
15 PLAN OFFERED BY THE EMPLOYER IN THE SCHOOL DIVISION WHILE  
16 EMPLOYED BY THE EMPLOYER."

17 Reletter succeeding paragraphs accordingly.

Page 6, after line 12 insert:

"(h) A TEACHER WHO RETIRES BEFORE HE OR SHE HAS MET THE

AGE AND SERVICE CREDIT REQUIREMENTS FOR FULL SERVICE RETIREMENT BENEFITS PURSUANT TO SECTION 24-51-602 SHALL NOT BE EMPLOYED AFTER RETIREMENT PURSUANT TO THIS SUBSECTION (1.9) BY THE EMPLOYER IN THE SCHOOL DIVISION THAT WAS THE TEACHER'S LAST EMPLOYER UNTIL TWO YEARS AFTER THE TEACHER'S DATE OF RETIREMENT.

(i) ON OR BEFORE DECEMBER 1, 2020, THE ASSOCIATION SHALL SUBMIT A REPORT TO THE FINANCE COMMITTEES OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND THE SENATE, OR ANY SUCCESSOR COMMITTEES, REGARDING THE EMPLOYMENT AFTER SERVICE RETIREMENT PROVISIONS OF THIS SUBSECTION (1.9). THE EMPLOYERS IN THE SCHOOL DIVISION OF THE ASSOCIATION THAT EMPLOY TEACHERS, SCHOOL BUS DRIVERS, OR SCHOOL FOOD SERVICES COOKS PURSUANT TO THIS SUBSECTION (1.9) SHALL PROVIDE INFORMATION REQUESTED BY THE ASSOCIATION FOR THE PURPOSES OF THE REPORT. THE REPORT SHALL INCLUDE:

(I) THE NUMBER OF TEACHERS, SCHOOL BUS DRIVERS, AND SCHOOL FOOD SERVICES COOKS WHO HAVE BEEN EMPLOYED AFTER SERVICE RETIREMENT PURSUANT TO THIS SUBSECTION (1.9) AS OF THE DATE OF THE REPORT;

(II) THE EXTENT TO WHICH THIS SUBSECTION (1.9) HAS HELPED EMPLOYERS IN THE SCHOOL DIVISION ADDRESS TEACHER, SCHOOL BUS DRIVER, AND SCHOOL FOOD SERVICES COOK SHORTAGES;

(III) THE COSTS, IF ANY, TO THE ASSOCIATION AS A RESULT OF THIS SUBSECTION (1.9); AND

(IV) ANY OTHER INFORMATION DEEMED RELEVANT BY THE ASSOCIATION."

Reletter succeeding paragraph accordingly.

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