

BY: Finance Committee

AMENDMENT TO SENATE BILL NO. 173

(First Reading File Bill)

On page 1, in line 7, after "terms;" insert "requiring a certain death benefit to be adjusted to reflect a certain change in a certain index.".

On page 2, in line 33, after "(1)" insert "(I)".

On page 3, in line 2, after "1989." insert:

"(II)";

and after line 2, insert:

"(III) FOR FISCAL YEAR 1999 AND EACH FISCAL YEAR THEREAFTER, THE DEATH BENEFIT PROVIDED IN THE PRIOR FISCAL YEAR SHALL BE ADJUSTED BY THE CHANGE FOR THE CALENDAR YEAR PRECEDING THE FISCAL YEAR IN THE CONSUMER PRICE INDEX (ALL URBAN CUSTOMERS - UNITED STATES CITY AVERAGE - ALL ITEMS) AS PUBLISHED BY THE UNITED STATES BUREAU OF LABOR STATISTICS."