
By: **Delegate Edwards**
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A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Retirement and Pensions - Earnable Compensation**

3 FOR the purpose of amending the definition of "earnable compensation" for certain
4 members of a State retirement or pension system; requiring the State
5 Retirement Agency to adopt certain regulations; and generally relating to the
6 definition of "earnable compensation" for certain members of a State retirement
7 or pension system.

8 BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,
9 Article - State Personnel and Pensions
10 Section 20-101(o)
11 Annotated Code of Maryland
12 (2004 Replacement Volume)

13 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF
14 MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

15 **Article - State Personnel and Pensions**

16 20-101.

17 (o) "Earnable compensation" means one-twelfth of the member's annual
18 salary rate payable for working the normal time in the member's position, including:

19 (1) the employer pickup contribution provided for in § 21-312 of this
20 article; [or]

21 (2) a contribution made under a salary reduction or supplemental
22 retirement plan in accordance with Title 35 of this article; OR

23 (3) FOR A MEMBER OF THE TEACHERS' RETIREMENT SYSTEM OR THE
24 TEACHERS' PENSION SYSTEM:

25 (I) COMPENSATION FOR PARTICIPATING AS A COACH OR AN
26 ADVISOR FOR ANY EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITY; OR

1 (II) ANY STIPEND THE MEMBER RECEIVES FOR PARTICIPATING IN
2 THE NATIONAL TEACHER CERTIFICATION PROGRAM.

3 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the State Retirement
4 Agency shall adopt regulations that are necessary to implement this Act.

5 SECTION 3. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take
6 effect July 1, 2005.