HB0815/504161/1

BY: Appropriations Committee

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL 815

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 2, in line 7, after "circumstances;" insert "<u>authorizing an eligible</u> governmental unit that does not satisfy certain requirements to participate in certain State systems to submit a certain request to the Board of Trustees for the State Retirement and Pension System; requiring the Board of Trustees to consider certain requests and make certain recommendations to the Joint Committee on Pensions;".

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 7, in line 18, after "2006," insert "BUT BEFORE JULY 1, 2017,".

On page 17, after line 11, insert:

- "(C) (1) IF AN ELIGIBLE GOVERNMENTAL UNIT DOES NOT SATISFY THE REQUIREMENTS UNDER SUBSECTION (B) OF THIS SECTION, THE ELIGIBLE GOVERNMENTAL UNIT MAY SUBMIT A REQUEST TO THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES TO PARTICIPATE IN THE EMPLOYEES' PENSION SYSTEM.
- (2) THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES SHALL CONSIDER A REQUEST MADE UNDER PARAGRAPH (1) OF THIS SUBSECTION AND DETERMINE WHETHER ANY LEGISLATION IS NECESSARY TO ALLOW THE ELIGIBLE GOVERNMENTAL UNIT TO PARTICIPATE IN THE EMPLOYEES' PENSION SYSTEM.
- (3) THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES SHALL MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE JOINT COMMITTEE ON PENSIONS REGARDING ANY LEGISLATION THAT IT DETERMINES IS NECESSARY TO ALLOW THE ELIGIBLE GOVERNMENTAL UNIT TO PARTICIPATE IN THE EMPLOYEES' PENSION SYSTEM.".

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On page 20, after line 7, insert:

- "(C) (1) IF AN ELIGIBLE GOVERNMENTAL UNIT DOES NOT SATISFY THE REQUIREMENTS UNDER SUBSECTION (B) OF THIS SECTION, THE ELIGIBLE GOVERNMENTAL UNIT MAY SUBMIT A REQUEST TO THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES TO PARTICIPATE IN THE LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS' PENSION SYSTEM.
- (2) THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES SHALL CONSIDER A REQUEST MADE UNDER PARAGRAPH (1) OF THIS SUBSECTION AND DETERMINE WHETHER ANY LEGISLATION IS NECESSARY TO ALLOW THE ELIGIBLE GOVERNMENTAL UNIT TO PARTICIPATE IN THE LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS' PENSION SYSTEM.
- (3) THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES SHALL MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE JOINT COMMITTEE ON PENSIONS REGARDING ANY LEGISLATION THAT IT DETERMINES IS NECESSARY TO ALLOW THE ELIGIBLE GOVERNMENTAL UNIT TO PARTICIPATE IN THE LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS' PENSION SYSTEM.".

On page 22, after line 14, insert:

- "(C) (1) IF AN ELIGIBLE GOVERNMENTAL UNIT DOES NOT SATISFY THE REQUIREMENTS UNDER SUBSECTION (B) OF THIS SECTION, THE ELIGIBLE GOVERNMENTAL UNIT MAY SUBMIT A REQUEST TO THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES TO PARTICIPATE IN THE CORRECTIONAL OFFICERS' RETIREMENT SYSTEM.
- (2) THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES SHALL CONSIDER A REQUEST MADE UNDER PARAGRAPH (1) OF THIS SUBSECTION AND DETERMINE WHETHER ANY LEGISLATION IS NECESSARY TO ALLOW THE ELIGIBLE GOVERNMENTAL UNIT TO PARTICIPATE IN THE CORRECTIONAL OFFICERS' RETIREMENT SYSTEM.

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(3) THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES SHALL MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS
TO THE JOINT COMMITTEE ON PENSIONS REGARDING ANY LEGISLATION THAT IT
DETERMINES IS NECESSARY TO ALLOW THE ELIGIBLE GOVERNMENTAL UNIT TO
PARTICIPATE IN THE CORRECTIONAL OFFICERS' RETIREMENT SYSTEM,".