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The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Margaret M. Corley.

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DIGEST

SB 3 Original

2018 Regular Session

Peacock

Present law provides for the survivor benefit for the spouse and children of a member of Louisiana State Employees' Retirement System (LASERS) hazardous duty service plan (R.S. 11:611) who was killed in the line of duty or died from the direct result of an injury received while in the line of duty. Present law provides that the benefit shall be equal to 80% of the member's average compensation without regard to the amount of time that the deceased was a member of the plan.

Proposed law provides for the survivor benefit for the spouse and children of a member of the hazardous duty service plan (R.S. 11:611) killed in the line of duty by an intentional act of violence. Proposed law provides that the benefit shall be equal to 100% of the member's average compensation without regard to the amount of time that the deceased was a member of the plan.

Proposed law provides that the LASERS board of trustees shall electronically notify all members of the legislature when a survivor benefit is granted pursuant to proposed law.

Proposed law provides that the Sheriffs' Pension and Relief Fund board of trustees shall electronically notify all members of the legislature when a survivor benefit is granted pursuant to present law (R.S. 11:2178(D)(4)).

Effective upon signature of the governor or lapse of time for gubernatorial action.

(Amends R.S. 11:618(B))