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2018 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 13

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RETIREMENT/TEACHERS: Provides relative to the reemployment of retirees of the Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana

AN ACT

2	To amend and reenact R.S. 11:710(A)(9) and to enact R.S. 11:710(A)(5)(e), relative to
3	reemployment in the Teachers' Retirement System of Louisiana; to provide for
4	reemployment in a position for presenter of professional development; and to
5	provide for related matters.
6	Notice of intention to introduce this Act has been published
7	as provided by Article X, Section 29(C) of the Constitution
8	of Louisiana.
9	Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:
10	Section 1. R.S. 11:710(A)(9) is hereby amended and R.S. 11:710(A)(5)(e) is hereby
11	enacted to read as follows:
12	§710. Employment of retirees
13	A. Definitions.
14	* * *
15	(5) "Reemployment-eligible position" means any of the following:
16	* * *
17	(e) A position for a presenter of professional development training.
18	* * *

1 (9) "Substitute classroom teacher" means any classroom teacher employed 2 in a temporary capacity to proctor tests or to fill the position of another classroom 3 teacher who is unavailable to teach or to proctor tests for any reason. 4 5 Section 2. The cost of this Act, if any, shall be funded with additional employer 6 contributions in compliance with Article X, Section 29(F) of the Constitution of Louisiana. 7 Section 3. This Act shall become effective on July 1, 2018; if vetoed by the governor 8 and subsequently approved by the legislature, this Act shall become effective on July 1, 9 2018, or on the day following such approval by the legislature, whichever is later.

## **DIGEST**

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**Abstract:** Authorizes a retiree of the Teachers' Retirement System of La. (TRSL) to return to work as a presenter of professional development and continue to collect his benefit check, subject to an earnings limitation of 25% of his benefit amount.

<u>Present law</u> generally provides that a retiree of TRSL may not return to work in a position covered by the system and continue to receive retirement benefits while reemployed. Further provides exceptions to <u>present law</u>.

<u>Present law</u> authorizes a retiree to return to work as a substitute classroom teacher, an adjunct professor, an instructor in an adult literacy program, or a school nurse and to continue to receive his benefit check; however, the allowable employment earnings of such retiree are capped at 25% of his benefit amount. <u>Proposed law</u> retains <u>present law</u> and adds presenter of professional development to the list of positions that a retiree may return to subject to a 25% earnings limitation.

Effective July 1, 2018.

(Amends R.S. 11:710(A)(9); Adds R.S. 11:710(A)(5)(e))