

SENATE SUMMARY OF HOUSE AMENDMENTS

SB 7

2018 Regular Session

Peacock

KEYWORD AND SUMMARY AS RETURNED TO THE SENATE

MUNICIPAL POL EMPS RET. Corrects language regarding average final compensation as for average final compensation for certain disability retirees. (6/30/18)

SUMMARY OF HOUSE AMENDMENTS TO THE SENATE BILL

1. Adds provision regarding average compensation of certain retirees suffering permanent brain damage or spinal cord injury.

DIGEST OF THE SENATE BILL AS RETURNED TO THE SENATE

SB 7 Reengrossed

2018 Regular Session

Peacock

Present law relative to the Municipal Police Employees' Retirement System (MPERS) provides for a definition of "average final compensation".

Proposed law provides for specificity of language relative to the definition of average final compensation.

Present law provides that any disability retiree who is blinded or who loses the total use of a limb solely as a result of injuries sustained on or after July 1, 2003, in the performance of his official duties, and whose condition is certified by the State Medical Disability Board, shall receive a benefit equal to his final average compensation.

Proposed law retains these provisions but includes a disability retiree who suffers a traumatic physical injury causing permanent damage to the brain or spinal cord as a result of injuries sustained on or after July 1, 2003, in the performance of his official duties, and whose condition is certified by the State Medical Disability Board, shall receive a benefit equal to his final average compensation.

Effective June 30, 2018.

(Amends R.S. 11:2220(B)(1)(a)(ii) and (2)(a) and (b) and (G) and 2223(E)(2))

Thomas L. Tyler
Deputy Chief of Staff