RÉSUMÉ DIGEST

ACT 225 (SB 17)

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<u>Prior law</u> provided for the Military Service Relief Act, to promote the stated policy of assuring that Louisiana citizens who serve their country and state and who leave their employment, homes, and education shall not be penalized nor economically disadvantaged because of their uniformed service.

<u>New law</u> retains <u>prior law</u> and updates certain provisions related to creditable service in public retirement systems to comply with federal law, including the Uniformed Services Employment and Reemployment Rights Act (USERRA).

<u>New law</u> also updates provisions of <u>prior law</u> related to the time periods used to compute average compensation.

Effective upon signature of the governor (May 15, 2018).

(Amends R.S. 11:142(F)(3), (G), and (K), 152(C), and 153(F) and R.S. 29:411(B), 412, 414, and 415(A)(1) and (D); adds R.S. 11:152.1 and 153(L))