The original instrument and the following digest, which constitutes no part of the legislative instrument, were prepared by Alan Miller.

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Present law requires the premium costs of group hospital, surgical, medical expense, and dental insurance and the first $10,000 of life insurance contracted for under present law be paid in full from the Iberville Parish sheriff's general fund for all sheriffs and deputy sheriffs retired with at least 15 years of service who are at least 55 years of age or retired with at least 30 years of service at any age.

Proposed law retains present law, but limits the applicable time period to before July 1, 2022.

Proposed law requires the Iberville Parish Sheriff's Office to pay 100% of the premium costs of group hospital, surgical, and medical expense insurance and the first $10,000 of life insurance contracted for under the provisions of present law to be paid in full from the sheriff's general fund for any sheriff or full-time deputy sheriff who has retired from the Iberville Parish Sheriff's Office and who is eligible to receive benefits from the Sheriff's Pension and Relief Fund, is at least 55 years of age with 20 or more years of full-time creditable service with the Iberville Parish Sheriff's Office, and is in good standing with the Iberville Parish Sheriff's Office at the time of retirement.

Proposed law limits applicability to persons that retire from the Iberville Parish Sheriff's Office on and after July 1, 2022.

Effective July 1, 2022.

(Adds R.S. 13:5554(MM))