

2025 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 17

BY REPRESENTATIVE TARVER

Prefiled pursuant to Article III, Section 2(A)(4)(b)(i) of the Constitution of Louisiana.

RETIREMENT/MUNICIPAL POL: Provides relative to the deferred retirement option plan of the Municipal Police Employees' Retirement System

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 11:2221(C), relative to the Municipal Police Employees'  
3 Retirement System; to provide for participation in the Deferred Retirement Option  
4 Plan; to provide for extension of duration for certain members; and to provide for  
5 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. 11:2221(C) is hereby amended and reenacted to read as follows:

11 §2221. Deferred Retirement Option Plan

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13 C.(1) The duration of participation in the plan shall be specified and shall not  
14 exceed five years. However, if employer contributions on behalf of a participant are  
15 suspended during the participation period as a result of interruption of employment,  
16 benefit payments into the participant's subaccount within the plan shall be suspended  
17 until payment of employer contributions is restored, and the member's participation  
18 period shall be extended by the number of months his benefit payments were  
19 suspended. In such a case, the participation period may exceed five calendar years  
20 but shall not exceed sixty nonconsecutive months of participation.

