

2026 Regular Session

HOUSE BILL NO. 13

BY REPRESENTATIVE MCKIN

RETIREMENT/STATE POLICE: Provides relative to amortization bases within the Louisiana State Police Retirement System

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 11:102(B)(3)(c) and (F) and 1332.1(B)(1)(b) and (d), relative to
3 the Louisiana State Police Retirement System; to provide relative to employer
4 contributions; to provide for determination of the employer contribution rate; to
5 provide relative to amortization periods for certain changes, gains, and losses; to
6 provide for an effective date; and to provide for related matters.

7 Notice of intention to introduce this Act has been published
8 as provided by Article X, Section 29(C) of the Constitution
9 of Louisiana.

10 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

11 Section 1. R.S. 11:102(B)(3)(c) and (F) and 1332.1(B)(1)(b) and (d) are hereby
12 amended and reenacted to read as follows:

13 §102. Employer contributions; determination; state systems

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15 B.

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17 (3) With respect to each state public retirement system, the actuarially
18 required employer contribution for each fiscal year, commencing with Fiscal Year
19 1989-1990, shall be that dollar amount equal to the sum of:

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1 (c) Except as provided in R.S. 11:102.1 and 102.2 and Paragraph (F)(2) of
2 this Section, that fiscal year's payment, computed as of the first of that fiscal year and
3 projected to the middle of that fiscal year at the actuarially assumed interest rate,
4 necessary to amortize the prior year's over or underpayment as a level dollar amount
5 over a period of five years.

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7 F.(1)(a) Except as provided in Paragraph (2) of this Subsection and in R.S.
8 11:102.5, effective July 1, 2009, and beginning with Fiscal Year 1992-1993, the
9 amortization period for the changes, gains, or losses of the Louisiana State Police
10 Retirement System provided in Items (B)(3)(d)(i) through (iv) of this Section shall
11 be thirty years from the year in which the change, gain, or loss occurred. The
12 outstanding balances of amortization bases established pursuant to Items (B)(3)(d)(i)
13 through (iv) of this Section before Fiscal Year 2008-2009 shall be amortized as a
14 level-dollar amount from July 1, 2009, through June 30, 2029. Beginning with Fiscal
15 Year 2008-2009, and for each fiscal year thereafter, the outstanding balances of
16 amortization bases established pursuant to Items (B)(3)(d)(i) through (iv) of this
17 Section shall be amortized as a level-dollar amount.

18 (b) All outstanding amortization bases in existence on June 30, 2029,
19 including balances established pursuant to Subparagraph (B)(3)(c) of this Section,
20 shall be consolidated and reamortized over the period ending June 30, 2049, with
21 level-dollar payments, beginning July 1, 2029. Amortization bases established after
22 June 30, 2029, shall be amortized as provided in Subparagraph (2)(b) of this
23 Subsection.

24 (2)(a)(i) Notwithstanding the provisions of Paragraph (1) of this Subsection,
25 effective for the June thirtieth valuation following the fiscal year in which the system
26 first attains a funded percentage of seventy or more pursuant to R.S. 11:1332 and for
27 every year thereafter, the amortization period for the changes, gains, or losses of the
28 system provided in Items (B)(3)(d)(i) through (iv) of this Section occurring in that
29 year or thereafter shall be twenty years from the year in which the change, gain, or
30 loss occurred.

1 (ii) Notwithstanding the provisions of Subparagraph (B)(3)(c) of this Section
2 to the contrary, the amortization period for the prior year's over or under payment for
3 the June 30, 2027, 2028, and 2029, valuations shall be twenty years.

4 (b) Notwithstanding the provisions of Paragraph (1) of this Subsection or
5 Subparagraph (a) of this Paragraph to the contrary, the amortization period for the
6 changes, gains, or losses of the system provided in Subparagraphs (B)(3)(c) and (d)
7 of this Section with payments beginning July 1, 2030, or thereafter shall be fifteen
8 years from the year in which the change, gain, or loss occurred.

9 ~~(3) Effective for the first system valuation following June 30, 2015, in which~~
10 ~~an allocation is made to the system's experience account and for each valuation~~
11 ~~thereafter, actuarial gains allocated to the experience account shall be amortized as~~
12 ~~a loss with level payments over a ten-year period.~~

13 ~~(4)~~ In addition to the actuarially required employer contribution rate
14 determined pursuant to Subsection B of this Section, the legislature shall set the
15 permanent benefit increase account funding contribution rate as provided in this
16 Paragraph.

17 (a) Effective July 1, 2023, the rate provided for in this Paragraph, referred
18 to in this Subsection as the "AFC rate", shall be zero.

19 (b) Notwithstanding any other provision of this Section to the contrary,
20 effective for the June 30, 2023, system valuation and beginning July 1, 2024, for any
21 fiscal year in which the projected aggregate employer contribution rate decreases,
22 the AFC rate shall increase by the lesser of one-half of the amount of the decrease
23 in the projected aggregate employer contribution rate determined under this Section
24 or the amount necessary for the AFC rate to equal two and one-half percent. Any
25 increase in the AFC rate shall be permanent. The AFC rate shall not exceed two and
26 one-half percent.

27 (c) Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, the
28 contributions required by this Paragraph shall not be considered actuarially required
29 contributions for the purposes of Paragraph (B)(3) of this Section or Article X,
30 Section 29(E) of the Constitution of Louisiana.

DIGEST

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HB 13 Engrossed

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Abstract: Provides relative to the determination of employer contributions and amortization bases for the Louisiana State Police Retirement System.

Present law provides for determination of employer contributions for each state retirement system, including the La. State Police Retirement System (LSPRS). Provides relative to the amortization of changes, gains, and losses of each system.

Proposed law retains present law.

Present law, relative to LSPRS, provides for a five-year amortization period for any over or under payment in the prior year. Provides for a 20-year amortization period for other changes, gains, and losses.

Proposed law provides for amortization of over or under payments over 20 years beginning with the June 30, 2027, actuarial valuation. Provides for consolidation of all existing amortization bases beginning July 1, 2029.

Proposed law provides for amortization of that consolidated base with level-dollar payments over the 20-year period ending in 2049. Provides for a 15-year amortization period for all changes, gains, or losses beginning in 2030.

Proposed law, beginning in Fiscal Year 2027-2028, sets a minimum employer contribution rate. Specifies that the required employer contribution rate for a given year shall not be less than the projected employer normal cost divided by the projected payroll of all active members of the system for the fiscal year plus the permanent benefit increase account funding contribution (AFC) rate for that year.

Proposed law requires that any cost of proposed law be funded with additional employer contributions in compliance with present constitution (Art. X, Sec. 29(F)).

Effective upon signature of governor or lapse of time for gubernatorial action.

(Amends R.S. 11:102(B)(3)(c) and (F) and 1332.1(B)(1)(b) and (d))

Summary of Amendments Adopted by House

The Committee Amendments Proposed by House Committee on Retirement to the original bill:

1. Change the date of the consolidation of amortization bases.
2. Make technical changes.