

HOUSE SUMMARY OF SENATE AMENDMENTS

House Bill No. 58 by Representative Foil

RETIREMENT/MUNICIPAL POL: Provides relative to the definition of "employee" for the Municipal Police Employees' Retirement System

Synopsis of Senate Amendments

1. Adds provision allowing an investigator with a break in service who has not retired to retain membership in the system under certain circumstances.
2. Adds effective date of June 30, 2013.

Present law defines "employee" for purposes of membership in the Municipal Police Employees' Retirement System (MPERS). Proposed law retains present law and adds, thus making eligible for membership, any legal investigator employed by the East Baton Rouge parish attorney's office who receives supplemental state pay and who transferred into the system as a result of the merger agreement between the city-parish and the system on Feb. 26, 2000. Further provides that any such member with a break in service after the merger will retain MPERS membership or retiree status only to the extent of his deferred vested benefit accrued until the break in service.

Provides that the Act shall be applied retroactively and prospectively.

Effective June 30, 2013.

(Amends R.S. 11:2213(11)(f); Adds R.S. 11:2213(11)(g))