

100TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2017 and 2018 HB2490

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SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

40 ILCS 5/3-144.7 new 40 ILCS 5/4-138.7 new

Amends the Downstate Police and Downstate Firefighter Articles of the Illinois Pension Code. Provides that, subject to appropriation, beginning with fiscal year 2018, a municipality that has a fund created after July 1, 2012 may apply to the Department of Insurance for reimbursement for administrative costs associated with the creation and administration of the fund, including, but not limited to, legal fees, actuarial analyses, continuing education for board members, and other qualified costs, as determined by the Department of Insurance. Provides that reimbursement may only be made for administrative costs associated with the first 5 years after the fund is created. Provides that a municipality that established a fund pursuant to a referendum is not eligible for reimbursement. Authorizes rulemaking. Effective immediately.

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FISCAL NOTE ACT MAY APPLY

PENSION IMPACT NOTE ACT MAY APPLY 1 AN ACT concerning public employee benefits.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois, represented in the General Assembly:

Section 5. The Illinois Pension Code is amended by adding Sections 3-144.7 and 4-138.7 as follows:

6 (40 ILCS 5/3-144.7 new)

Sec. 3-144.7. Reimbursement for certain administrative costs. Subject to appropriation, beginning with fiscal year 2018, a municipality that has a fund under this Article that was established after July 1, 2012 may apply to the Department of Insurance for reimbursement for administrative costs associated with the establishment and administration of that fund, including, but not limited to, legal fees, actuarial analyses, continuing education for board members, and other qualified costs, as determined by the Department of Insurance. Reimbursement under this Section may only be made for administrative costs associated with the first 5 years after the establishment of the fund. This Section does not apply to a municipality that established a fund pursuant to a referendum held under Section 3-145. The Department of Insurance shall adopt rules to implement this Section.

1 Sec. 4-138.7. Reimbursement for certain administrative 2 costs. Subject to appropriation, beginning with fiscal year 2018, a municipality that has a fund under this Article that 3 4 was established after July 1, 2012 may apply to the Department of Insurance for reimbursement for administrative costs 5 6 associated with the establishment and administration of that fund, including, but not limited to, legal fees, actuarial 7 analyses, continuing education for board members, and other 8 9 qualified costs, as determined by the Department of Insurance. Reimbursement under this Section may only be made for 10 11 administrative costs associated with the first 5 years after 12 the establishment of the fund. This Section does not apply to a 13 municipality that established a fund pursuant to a referendum held under Section 4-141. The Department of Insurance shall 14 15 adopt rules to implement this Section.

Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon becoming law.