

98TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2013 and 2014 HB3760

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SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

40 ILCS 5/1-167 new

Amends the Illinois Pension Code. Provides that a member or participant of a retirement system or pension fund established under the Code who is receiving a retirement annuity or retirement pension under the Code and becomes employed on or after the effective date of the amendatory Act in a position in which he or she is eliqible to accrue service credit or creditable service under any Article of the Code shall, in the month immediately after commencing that employment, have the amount of his or her monthly retirement annuity or retirement pension offset by the amount of his or her compensation, earnings, or salary (whichever is applicable) in the immediately preceding month as certified to the applicable retirement system or pension fund by his or her employer, unless the payment of that retirement annuity or pension is already suspended or terminated under the Code during that period. Exempts the first \$2,000 per month of retirement annuity payments. Provides that if during the course of a member's or participant's employment that member's or participant's retirement annuity or retirement pension under the Code fully vests, then that member or participant may maintain his or her employment in that position without contributing to any retirement annuity fund or any retirement pension fund under the Code. Effective immediately.

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FISCAL NOTE ACT MAY APPLY

PENSION IMPACT NOTE ACT MAY APPLY

- AN ACT concerning public employee benefits, which may also
- 2 be referred to as The Retirement Means Retirement Act.

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

 Section 1-167 as follows:
- 7 (40 ILCS 5/1-167 new)

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- 8 <u>Sec. 1-167. Return to employment offset; continuation of</u> 9 employment after fully vesting.
 - (a) Notwithstanding any other provision of this Code, a member or participant of a retirement system or pension fund established under this Code who is receiving a retirement annuity or retirement pension under this Code and becomes employed on or after the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 98th General Assembly in a position in which he or she is eliqible to accrue service credit or creditable service under any Article of this Code shall, in the month immediately after commencing that employment, have the amount of his or her monthly retirement annuity or retirement pension offset by the amount of his or her compensation, earnings, or salary (whichever is applicable) in the immediately preceding month as certified to the applicable retirement system or pension fund by his or her employer, unless the payment of that retirement

- annuity or retirement pension is already suspended or

 terminated under this Code during that period. However, this

 subsection (a) shall not apply to the first \$2,000 per month of

 retirement annuity payments for a member or participant of a

 retirement system established under this Code.
- 6 (b) Notwithstanding any other provision of this Code, if
 7 during the course of a member's or participant's employment
 8 that member's or participant's retirement annuity or
 9 retirement pension under this Code fully vests, then that
 10 member or participant may maintain his or her employment in
 11 that position without contributing to any retirement annuity
 12 fund or any retirement pension fund under this Code.

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