

SB2894



99TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

2015 and 2016

SB2894

Introduced 2/18/2016, by Sen. James F. Clayborne, Jr.

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

40 ILCS 5/7-155

from Ch. 108 1/2, par. 7-155

Amends the Illinois Municipal Retirement Fund (IMRF) Article of the Illinois Pension Code. Deletes the one-year limit on backdating a survivor benefit. Effective immediately.

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FISCAL NOTE ACT
MAY APPLY

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APPLY

A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning public employee benefits.

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

4 Section 5. The Illinois Pension Code is amended by changing
5 Section 7-155 as follows:

6 (40 ILCS 5/7-155) (from Ch. 108 1/2, par. 7-155)

7 Sec. 7-155. Surviving spouse annuities-commencement. A
8 surviving spouse annuity shall begin on the 1st day of the
9 month next following the month in which the participating
10 employee, or the employee annuitant or such person entitled to
11 a retirement annuity died, upon a written application therefor,
12 provided:

13 1. (Blank). ~~Such date is not more than one year prior to~~
14 ~~the date the application was received by the Board; and~~

15 2. The amount of surviving spouse annuity before the
16 application of paragraph 3 of Section 7-158, is at least \$5 per
17 month, beginning on such date.

18 (Source: P.A. 80-653.)

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