

## 100TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY State of Illinois 2017 and 2018 HB0295

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## SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

40 ILCS 5/16-121

from Ch. 108 1/2, par. 16-121

Amends the Downstate Teachers Article of the Illinois Pension Code. Provides that "salary" does not include expense reimbursements, expense allowances, or fringe benefits unless included in a reportable flexible benefit plan. 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 changing
- 5 Section 16-121 as follows:
- 6 (40 ILCS 5/16-121) (from Ch. 108 1/2, par. 16-121)
- 7 (Text of Section WITHOUT the changes made by P.A. 98-599,
- 8 which has been held unconstitutional)
- 9 Sec. 16-121. Salary. "Salary": The actual compensation
- 10 received by a teacher during any school year and recognized by
- 11 the system in accordance with rules of the board. "Salary" does
- 12 not include expense reimbursements, expense allowances, or
- 13 fringe benefits unless included in a reportable flexible
- 14 <u>benefit plan.</u> For purposes of this Section, "school year"
- includes the regular school term plus any additional period for
- 16 which a teacher is compensated and such compensation is
- 17 recognized by the rules of the board.
- 18 (Source: P.A. 84-1028.)
- 19 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon
- 20 becoming law.