
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

SENATE BILL

No. **238** Session of
1961

MESSRS. STROUP, KELLER AND SHAFER, IN PLACE,
FEBRUARY 20, 1961.

MR. MCGINNIS, RE-REPORTED FROM COMMITTEE ON
APPROPRIATIONS, AS AMENDED, JULY 18, 1961.

AN ACT

Amending the act of June 1 1959 (P L 350) entitled "An act relating to the retirement of public school employes amending revising consolidating and changing the laws relating thereto ~~granting~~ credit for prior school service upon certain additional payments into the fund PROVIDING CREDIT FOR SCHOOL SERVICE FOR CERTAIN CONTRIBUTORS WHO MAKE ADDITIONAL CONTRIBUTIONS INTO THE FUND

EXPLANATION—CAPITAL LETTERS indicate new matter added to bill. Matter stricken through is to be omitted from bill. Underlining indicates new matter added to existing law. [Brackets] indicate matter stricken from existing law.

The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania hereby enacts as follows

1 Section 1 Section 302 205 act of June 1 1959 (P L. 350) known as
2 the "Public School Employees' Retirement Code of 1959" is amended
3 by adding at the end thereof a new subsection to read

4 Section 302 Members' Contributions on Account of Past Service

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6 (8) Employees who desire to receive credit for school service ren-
7 dered prior to the passage of this amendment may pay in addition to
8 the regular contribution required under section 301 of this act into
9 the fund through the Department of Revenue a sum equal to all the
10 back payments which such employe would have made had he or she
11 become a member of the retirement association at the time of his or
12 her employment Payment of such back payments shall entitle such
13 contributor to all rights and benefits which would have accrued had
14 the back payments been made in the regular course of employment Such
15 back payments shall be paid by the employe before December 31 1961

16 SERVICE 205 CONTRIBUTORY SERVICE CONTRIBUTORY
17 SERVICE SHALL CONSIST OF SERVICE SUBSEQUENT TO
18 JUNE 30 1919 ON ACCOUNT OF WHICH THE CONTRIBUTIONS

1 REQUIRED UNDER THIS ACT TO SECURE CREDIT FOR SUCH
2 SERVICE ARE HELD TO THE CREDIT OF THE CONTRIBUTOR
3 IN THE EMPLOYES' ANNUITY SAVINGS ACCOUNT SUCH
4 SERVICE SHALL CONSIST OF

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6 (7) SCHOOL SERVICE FOR WHICH CREDIT IS ALLOWED
7 UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 207.2 OF THIS AR-
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9 SECTION 2 THE ACT IS AMENDED BY ADDING AFTER
10 SECTION 207.1 A NEW SECTION TO READ

11 SECTION 207.2 CREDIT FOR FORMER SCHOOL SERVICE
12 ANY CONTRIBUTOR WITH SCHOOL SERVICE PRIOR TO DE-
13 CEMBER 31 1961 WHO HAS NOT RECEIVED CREDIT FOR
14 SUCH SERVICE SHALL BE ENTITLED TO RECEIVE CREDIT
15 FOR SUCH SERVICE PROVIDED THAT APPLICATION
16 IS MADE ACCORDING TO ARTICLE V SECTION 505
17 SUBSECTION (3.2) AND BACK CONTRIBUTIONS ARE MADE
18 ACCORDING TO THE PROVISIONS OF ARTICLE III SECTION
19 302 SUBSECTION (5.2)

20 SECTION 3 SECTION 302 OF THE ACT IS AMENDED BY

1 ADDING AFTER SUBSECTION (5.1) A NEW SUBSECTION TO
2 READ

3 SECTION 302 MEMBERS' CONTRIBUTIONS ON ACCOUNT
4 OF PAST SERVICE

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6 (5.2) ANY SCHOOL EMPLOYEE ENTITLED TO CREDIT FOR
7 SCHOOL SERVICE UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF ARTICLE
8 II SECTION 207.2 WHO ELECTS TO RECEIVE SUCH CREDIT
9 SHALL PAY INTO THE RETIREMENT FUND IN ADDITION
10 TO THE REGULAR CONTRIBUTIONS REQUIRED IN ARTICLE
11 III SECTION 301 A SUM EQUAL TO ALL THE CONTRIBU-
12 TIONS WHICH HE WOULD HAVE BEEN REQUIRED TO
13 MAKE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE SALARY EARNED AT
14 THE TIME HE RENDERED SUCH SERVICE HAD HE MADE
15 CONTRIBUTIONS IN THE REGULAR COURSE OF SUCH SERV-
16 ICE SUCH BACK PAYMENTS MAY BE MADE IN A LUMP SUM
17 BY INSTALMENTS OR BY AN INCREASED RATE OF CON-
18 TRIBUTION AGREED UPON BETWEEN THE CONTRIBUTOR
19 AND THE RETIREMENT BOARD PROVIDED HOWEVER THAT

1 ALL SUCH PAYMENTS SHALL BE MADE ON OR BEFORE

2 DECEMBER 31 1962

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4 SECTION 4 SECTION 505 OF THE ACT IS AMENDED BY

5 ADDING AFTER SUBSECTION (3.1) A NEW SUBSECTION TO

6 READ

7 SECTION 505 DUTIES OF SCHOOL EMPLOYES

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9 (3.2) ANY SCHOOL EMPLOYEE WHO ELECTS TO RECEIVE

10 CREDIT FOR SCHOOL SERVICE AS PROVIDED BY ARTICLE

11 II SECTION 207.2 SHALL MAKE APPLICATION IN WRITING

12 PRIOR TO DECEMBER 31 1961 TO THE RETIREMENT BOARD

13 AND SHALL (I) SUBMIT PROOF SATISFACTORY TO THE

14 RETIREMENT BOARD OF ALL OR PART OF SUCH SERVICE

15 AND (II) PAY OR AGREE TO PAY THE BACK CONTRIBU-

16 TIONS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF ARTI-

17 CLE III SECTION 302 SUBSECTION (5.2)

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19 Section 2 5 This act shall take effect immediately

We certify that this bill has passed the Senate and the House of Representatives.

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Chief Clerk, Senate

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President pro tempore, Senate

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Speaker, House of Representatives

Approved The day of A. D. 1961.

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Governor