

of [thirty] twenty-five thousand. Such salaries shall be payable quarterly as full compensation for the duties imposed by the provisions of this act.

APPROVED—The 17th day of September, A. D. 1965.

WILLIAM W. SCRANTON

No. 270

AN ACT

SB 743

Amending the act of July 8, 1941 (P. L. 298), entitled "An act authorizing the creation of, and providing for, and regulating the maintenance and operation of a county employes' retirement system in counties of the fourth class, imposing certain charges on counties, and fixing penalties," reducing the superannuation retirement age for certain contributors after a certain period of service and who are discontinued from service not voluntarily.

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

Section 1. The definition of "Superannuation retirement age" in section 2, act of July 8, 1941 (P. L. 298), entitled "An act authorizing the creation of, and providing for, and regulating the maintenance and operation of a county employes' retirement system in counties of the fourth class, imposing certain charges on counties, and fixing penalties," amended May 28, 1943 (P. L. 789), is amended to read:

Section 2. Definitions.—The following words and phrases as used in this act shall be construed to have the following meanings:

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"Superannuation retirement age," as applied to a contributor, means sixty years of age or upwards, except as applied to a contributor who is discontinued from service not voluntarily after having completed twenty years of total service, in which case superannuation retirement age means fifty-five years of age or upwards.

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Section 2. Section 14 of the act, amended August 14, 1963 (P. L. 974), is amended to read:

Section 14. Involuntary Retirement Allowances; Voluntary Retirement Allowances After Twenty-five Years Service.—Should a contributor be discontinued from service not voluntarily or an elected county officer complete his term of office and discontinue service after having

completed ten years of total service, except as hereinafter provided for certain contributors who have completed twenty years of total service or voluntarily after having completed twenty-five years of total service, but before reaching superannuation retirement age, or should a contributor die while in the county service but after completing fifteen years of total service, he shall be paid, as he may elect, as follows: (a) The full amount of the accumulated deductions standing to his credit in the members' annuity reserve account, or (b) a member's annuity of equivalent actuarial value to his accumulated deductions standing to his credit in the members' annuity reserve account, and in addition a county annuity having a value equal to the present value of a county annuity beginning at superannuation retirement age as provided in this act with respect to county annuities for superannuation retirement. The same options shall be available to beneficiaries in case of death after fifteen years total service while still in county service or involuntary or voluntary retirement as provided herein in the case of superannuation retirement. Any contributor who is discontinued from service not voluntarily after having completed twenty years of total service and who has reached the superannuation retirement age as provided for such a contributor in section 2 of this act shall be entitled to the superannuation retirement allowance provided in section 12.

APPROVED—The 17th day of September, A. D. 1965.

WILLIAM W. SCRANTON

No. 271

AN ACT

SB 744

Amending the act of August 5, 1941 (P. L. 803), entitled, as amended, "An act providing for the creation, maintenance and operation of a county employes' retirement system in counties of the fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth class: imposing certain charges on counties, and prescribing penalties," reducing the superannuation retirement age for certain contributors after a certain period of service and who are discontinued from service not voluntarily.

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

Section 1. The definition of "Superannuation Retirement Age," in