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SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

40	ILCS	5/1 - 161 r	new							
40	ILCS	5/2-124			from	Ch.	108	1/2,	par.	2-124
40	ILCS	5/14-131								
40	ILCS	5/15-155			from	Ch.	108	1/2,	par.	15-155
40	ILCS	5/16-158			from	Ch.	108	1/2,	par.	16-158
40	ILCS	5/18-131			from	Ch.	108	1/2,	par.	18-131
30	ILCS	805/8.38	new							

Amends the Illinois Pension Code. Shifts the required State contributions under the State Universities and Downstate Teacher retirement systems to the actual employers, beginning in State fiscal year 2016. With respect to the 5 State-funded retirement systems: Provides a new funding formula for State and employer contributions, with a 100% funding goal through 2045 (determined using the projected unit credit actuarial cost method) and a 90% funding goal thereafter. Provides that no additional service credit may be accrued and no automatic increase in a retirement annuity shall be received. Provides that the pensionable salary of an active participant may not exceed that individual's pensionable salary as of the effective date. Provides that State-funded retirement systems shall establish self-directed retirement plans for all active participants and all employees hired on or after the effective date. Provides that all active participants shall have the option of participating in a self-directed retirement plan. Provides that these changes are controlling over any other law. Amends the State Mandates Act to require implementation without reimbursement. Includes a nonacceleration provision.

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AN ACT concerning public employee benefits.

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

Section 5. The Illinois Pension Code is amended by changing
Sections 2-124, 14-131, 15-155, 16-158, and 18-131 and by
adding Section 1-161 as follows:

7 (40 ILCS 5/1-161 new)

8 Sec. 1-161. Pension benefits, end of service credit; 9 self-directed retirement plans.

10 (a) For the purposes of this Section:

11"Active participant" means a participant in a12State-funded retirement system who does not receive an13annuity from a State-funded retirement system.

14"Annuitant" means a participant in a State-funded15retirement system who receives an annuity from a16State-funded retirement system.

17"Automatic increase in retirement annuity" means an18automatic increase in retirement annuity granted under19Section 1-160 or Article 2, 14, 15, 16, or 18 of this Code.20"Consumer price index-u" means the index published by

21 <u>the Bureau of Labor Statistics of the United States</u>
22 <u>Department of Labor that measures the average change in</u>
23 <u>prices of goods and services purchased by all urban</u>

1	consumers, United States city average, all items, 1982-84 =
2	<u>100.</u>
3	"Pensionable salary" means the amount of salary,
4	compensation, or earnings used by the applicable
5	State-funded retirement system to calculate the amount of
6	an individual's retirement annuity.
7	"State-funded retirement system" means a retirement
8	system established under Article 2, 14, 15, 16, or 18 of
9	this Code.
10	(b) No active participant may accrue service credit in a
11	State-funded retirement system on or after the effective date
12	of this amendatory Act of the 98th General Assembly.
13	(c) The pensionable salary of an active participant shall
14	not exceed the pensionable salary of that participant as of the
15	effective date of this amendatory Act of the 98th General
16	Assembly.
17	(d) An annuitant shall not receive an automatic increase in
18	retirement annuity on or after the effective date of this
19	Section.
20	(e) The retirement age of active participants who are
21	ineligible to retire as of the effective date of this
22	amendatory Act of the 98th General Assembly shall be increased
23	according to a schedule developed by the Public Pension
24	Division of the Department of Insurance as soon as practicable
25	after the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 98th
26	General Assembly. The schedule of retirement ages adopted by

1	administrative rule of the Division shall, at a minimum, ensure
2	(i) that persons who first become active participants on or
3	after the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 98th
4	General Assembly are not eligible to retire until reaching the
5	Social Security Normal Retirement Age and (ii) that persons who
6	are active participants but ineligible to retire as of the
7	effective date of this amendatory Act of the 98th General
8	Assembly remain ineligible to retire until reaching age 59. The
9	Division's schedule shall also provide for the adjustment of
10	retirement ages using a matrix that accounts for the current
11	statutory retirement age for various classes of persons and
12	service credit accrued by those persons as of the effective
13	date of this amendatory Act of the 98th General Assembly.
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14 (f) As soon as practicable after the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 98th General Assembly, each State-funded 15 retirement system shall establish a self-directed retirement 16 17 plan that allows individuals who are active participants and individuals who become active participants on or after the 18 effective date of this amendatory Act of the 98th General 19 20 Assembly the opportunity to accumulate assets for retirement 21 through a combination of employee and employer contributions 22 that may be invested in mutual funds, collective investment 23 funds, or other investment products and used to purchase 24 annuity contracts, either fixed or variable or a combination 25 thereof. The plan must be qualified under the Internal Revenue 26 Code of 1986. Participants in the retirement system established

1 <u>under Article 15 may participate in the self-managed plan</u>
2 <u>established under Section 15-158.2 in lieu of participating in</u>
3 <u>a self-directed retirement plan created under this subsection</u>
4 <u>(f).</u>

5 (q) Each active participant in the retirement system established under Article 14 of this Code who is a noncovered 6 7 employee and each active participant in a retirement system established under Article 15, 16, or 18 of this Code, except 8 9 for a participant in the self-managed plan established under Section 15-158.2, shall participate in the self-directed 10 11 retirement plan established under subsection (f) and 12 contribute 8% of his or her salary, earnings, or compensation, 13 whichever is applicable, to the plan. The employer of each of 14 those active participants shall contribute 7% of salary, earnings, or compensation, whichever is applicable, to that 15 16 plan on behalf of the participant.

Each active participant in the retirement system established under Article 14 who is a covered employee shall participate in the self-directed retirement plan established under subsection (f) and shall contribute 3% of compensation to the plan. The employer of each of those participants shall contribute 3% of compensation to the self-directed retirement plan on behalf of the participant.

Each active participant in the retirement system established under Article 2 of this Code shall have the option of participating in the self-directed retirement plan

1	established under subsection (f) and shall be entitled to
2	contribute as much to the plan as is authorized by federal law.
3	However, no employer contribution to the self-directed plan
4	shall be made on behalf of active participants in the
5	retirement system established under Article 2 of this Code.
6	For the purposes of this subsection (g), salary, earnings,
7	or compensation shall not exceed \$110,100. However, that amount
8	shall be increased on January 1, 2016 and each January 1
9	thereafter by the lesser of (i) 3% of that amount or (ii)
10	one-half the annual unadjusted percentage increase (but not
11	less than zero) in the consumer price index-u for the 12 months
12	ending with the September preceding each November 1, as
13	calculated by the Public Pension Division of the Department of
14	Insurance and made available to the boards of the State-funded
15	retirement systems by November 1, 2015 and each November 1
16	thereafter.
17	(h) The provisions of this amendatory Act of the 98th
18	General Assembly apply notwithstanding any other law,
19	including Section 1-160 of this Code. If there is a conflict
20	between the provisions of this amendatory Act of the 98th
21	General Assembly and any other law, the provisions of this
22	Section shall control.
23	(40 ILCS 5/2-124) (from Ch. 108 1/2, par. 2-124)
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25 Sec. 2-124. Contributions by State.

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(a) The State shall make contributions to the System by 1 2 which, together appropriations of amounts with the contributions of participants, interest earned on investments, 3 4 and other income will meet the cost of maintaining and 5 administering the System on a 90% 100% funded basis in accordance with actuarial recommendations by the end of State 6 7 fiscal year 2044.

8 (b) The Board shall determine the amount of State 9 contributions required for each fiscal year on the basis of the 10 actuarial tables and other assumptions adopted by the Board and 11 the prescribed rate of interest, using the formula in 12 subsection (c).

13 (c) For State fiscal years 2016 through 2045, the minimum contribution to the System to be made by the State for each 14 fiscal year shall be an amount determined by the System to be 15 16 sufficient to bring the total assets of the System up to 100% 17 of the total actuarial liabilities of the System by the end of State fiscal year 2045. In making these determinations, the 18 19 required State contribution shall be calculated each year as a 20 level dollar amount over the years remaining to and including fiscal year 2045 and shall be determined under the projected 21 22 unit credit actuarial cost method.

23 For State fiscal years 2015 through 2044, the minimum 24 contribution to the System to be made by the State for each 25 fiscal year shall be an amount determined by the System to be 26 equal to the sum of (1) the State's portion of the projected

normal cost for that fiscal year, plus (2) an amount sufficient 1 2 to bring the total assets of the System up to 100% of the total actuarial liabilities of the System by the end of State fiscal 3 year 2044. In making these determinations, the required State 4 contribution shall be calculated each year as 5 a level 6 percentage of payroll over the years remaining to and including 7 fiscal year 2044 and shall be determined under the projected unit cost method for fiscal year 2015 and under the entry 8 age 9 normal actuarial cost method for fiscal years 2016 through 2044. 10

11 For State fiscal years 2012 through 2015 2014, the minimum 12 contribution to the System to be made by the State for each 13 fiscal year shall be an amount determined by the System to be sufficient to bring the total assets of the System up to 90% of 14 the total actuarial liabilities of the System by the end of 15 16 State fiscal year 2045. In making these determinations, the 17 required State contribution shall be calculated each year as a level percentage of payroll over the years remaining to and 18 including fiscal year 2045 and shall be determined under the 19 20 projected unit credit actuarial cost method.

For State fiscal years 1996 through 2005, the State contribution to the System, as a percentage of the applicable employee payroll, shall be increased in equal annual increments so that by State fiscal year 2011, the State is contributing at the rate required under this Section.

26 Notwithstanding any other provision of this Article, the

1 total required State contribution for State fiscal year 2006 is 2 \$4,157,000.

3 Notwithstanding any other provision of this Article, the 4 total required State contribution for State fiscal year 2007 is 5 \$5,220,300.

For each of State fiscal years 2008 through 2009, the State contribution to the System, as a percentage of the applicable employee payroll, shall be increased in equal annual increments from the required State contribution for State fiscal year 2007, so that by State fiscal year 2011, the State is contributing at the rate otherwise required under this Section.

12 Notwithstanding any other provision of this Article, the 13 total required State contribution for State fiscal year 2010 is 14 \$10,454,000 and shall be made from the proceeds of bonds sold 15 in fiscal year 2010 pursuant to Section 7.2 of the General 16 Obligation Bond Act, less (i) the pro rata share of bond sale 17 expenses determined by the System's share of total bond proceeds, (ii) any amounts received from the General Revenue 18 Fund in fiscal year 2010, and (iii) any reduction in bond 19 proceeds due to the issuance of discounted bonds, 20 if 21 applicable.

Notwithstanding any other provision of this Article, the total required State contribution for State fiscal year 2011 is the amount recertified by the System on or before April 1, 2011 pursuant to Section 2-134 and shall be made from the proceeds of bonds sold in fiscal year 2011 pursuant to Section 7.2 of

the General Obligation Bond Act, less (i) the pro rata share of bond sale expenses determined by the System's share of total bond proceeds, (ii) any amounts received from the General Revenue Fund in fiscal year 2011, and (iii) any reduction in bond proceeds due to the issuance of discounted bonds, if applicable.

Beginning in State fiscal year 2046, the minimum State
contribution for each fiscal year shall be the amount needed to
maintain the total assets of the System at 90% of the total
actuarial liabilities of the System.

11 Beginning in State fiscal year 2045, the minimum State 12 contribution for each fiscal year shall be the amount needed to 13 maintain the total assets of the System at 100% of the total 14 actuarial liabilities of the System.

15 Amounts received by the System pursuant to Section 25 of 16 the Budget Stabilization Act or Section 8.12 of the State 17 Finance Act in any fiscal year do not reduce and do not constitute payment of any portion of the minimum State 18 contribution required under this Article in that fiscal year. 19 20 Such amounts shall not reduce, and shall not be included in the calculation of, the required State contributions under this 21 22 Article in any future year until the System has reached a 23 funding ratio of at least 90% 100%. A reference in this Article to the "required State contribution" or any substantially 24 25 similar term does not include or apply to any amounts payable to the System under Section 25 of the Budget Stabilization Act. 26

Notwithstanding any other provision of this Section, the 1 2 required State contribution for State fiscal year 2005 and for fiscal year 2008 and each fiscal year thereafter through State 3 fiscal year 2014, as calculated under this Section and 4 5 certified under Section 2-134, shall not exceed an amount equal to (i) the amount of the required State contribution that would 6 7 have been calculated under this Section for that fiscal year if 8 the System had not received any payments under subsection (d) 9 of Section 7.2 of the General Obligation Bond Act, minus (ii) 10 the portion of the State's total debt service payments for that 11 fiscal year on the bonds issued in fiscal year 2003 for the 12 purposes of that Section 7.2, as determined and certified by 13 the Comptroller, that is the same as the System's portion of the total moneys distributed under subsection (d) of Section 14 15 7.2 of the General Obligation Bond Act. In determining this 16 maximum for State fiscal years 2008 through 2010, however, the amount referred to in item (i) shall be increased, as a 17 percentage of the applicable employee payroll, in equal 18 increments calculated from the sum of the required State 19 20 contribution for State fiscal year 2007 plus the applicable portion of the State's total debt service payments for fiscal 21 22 year 2007 on the bonds issued in fiscal year 2003 for the 23 purposes of Section 7.2 of the General Obligation Bond Act, so that, by State fiscal year 2011, the State is contributing at 24 25 the rate otherwise required under this Section.

26 (d) For purposes of determining the required State

1 contribution to the System, the value of the System's assets
2 shall be equal to the actuarial value of the System's assets,
3 which shall be calculated as follows:

As of June 30, 2008, the actuarial value of the System's assets shall be equal to the market value of the assets as of that date. In determining the actuarial value of the System's assets for fiscal years after June 30, 2008, any actuarial gains or losses from investment return incurred in a fiscal year shall be recognized in equal annual amounts over the 5-year period following that fiscal year.

11 (e) For purposes of determining the required State 12 contribution to the system for a particular year, the actuarial 13 value of assets shall be assumed to earn a rate of return equal 14 to the system's actuarially assumed rate of return.

15 (Source: P.A. 97-813, eff. 7-13-12; 98-599, eff. 6-1-14.)

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(40 ILCS 5/14-131)

17 (Text of Section after amendment by P.A. 98-599)

18 Sec. 14-131. Contributions by State.

(a) The State shall make contributions to the System by appropriations of amounts which, together with other employer contributions from trust, federal, and other funds, employee contributions, investment income, and other income, will be sufficient to meet the cost of maintaining and administering the System on a <u>90%</u> 100% funded basis in accordance with actuarial recommendations by the end of State fiscal year 2044.

For the purposes of this Section and Section 14-135.08, references to State contributions refer only to employer contributions and do not include employee contributions that are picked up or otherwise paid by the State or a department on behalf of the employee.

6 (b) The Board shall determine the total amount of State 7 contributions required for each fiscal year on the basis of the 8 actuarial tables and other assumptions adopted by the Board, 9 using the formula in subsection (e).

10 The Board shall also determine a State contribution rate 11 for each fiscal year, expressed as a percentage of payroll, 12 based on the total required State contribution for that fiscal amount received by the 13 year (less the System from appropriations under Section 8.12 of the State Finance Act and 14 15 Section 1 of the State Pension Funds Continuing Appropriation 16 Act, if any, for the fiscal year ending on the June 30 17 immediately preceding the applicable November 15 certification deadline), the estimated payroll (including all forms of 18 compensation) for personal services rendered by eligible 19 20 employees, and the recommendations of the actuary.

For the purposes of this Section and Section 14.1 of the State Finance Act, the term "eligible employees" includes employees who participate in the System, persons who may elect to participate in the System but have not so elected, persons who are serving a qualifying period that is required for participation, and annuitants employed by a department as

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described in subdivision (a)(1) or (a)(2) of Section 14-111.

2 (c) Contributions shall be made by the several departments 3 for each pay period by warrants drawn by the State Comptroller against their respective funds or appropriations based upon 4 5 vouchers stating the amount to be so contributed. These amounts shall be based on the full rate certified by the Board under 6 7 Section 14-135.08 for that fiscal year. From the effective date 8 of this amendatory Act of the 93rd General Assembly through the 9 payment of the final payroll from fiscal year 2004 10 appropriations, the several departments shall not. make 11 contributions for the remainder of fiscal year 2004 but shall 12 instead make payments as required under subsection (a-1) of 13 Section 14.1 of the State Finance Act. The several departments shall resume those contributions at the commencement of fiscal 14 15 year 2005.

16 (c-1) Notwithstanding subsection (c) of this Section, for 17 fiscal years 2010, 2012, 2013, and 2014 only, contributions by 18 the several departments are not required to be made for General 19 Revenue Funds payrolls processed by the Comptroller. Payrolls 20 paid by the several departments from all other State funds must 21 continue to be processed pursuant to subsection (c) of this 22 Section.

23 (c-2) For State fiscal years 2010, 2012, 2013, and 2014 24 only, on or as soon as possible after the 15th day of each 25 month, the Board shall submit vouchers for payment of State 26 contributions to the System, in a total monthly amount of one-twelfth of the fiscal year General Revenue Fund
 contribution as certified by the System pursuant to Section
 14-135.08 of the Illinois Pension Code.

(d) If an employee is paid from trust funds or federal 4 5 funds, the department or other employer shall pay employer 6 contributions from those funds to the System at the certified 7 rate, unless the terms of the trust or the federal-State agreement preclude the use of the funds for that purpose, in 8 9 which case the required employer contributions shall be paid by 10 the State. From the effective date of this amendatory Act of 11 the 93rd General Assembly through the payment of the final 12 payroll from fiscal year 2004 appropriations, the department or 13 other employer shall not pay contributions for the remainder of 14 fiscal year 2004 but shall instead make payments as required 15 under subsection (a-1) of Section 14.1 of the State Finance 16 Act. The department or other employer shall resume payment of 17 contributions at the commencement of fiscal year 2005.

(e) For State fiscal years 2016 through 2045, the minimum 18 19 contribution to the System to be made by the State for each 20 fiscal year shall be an amount determined by the System to be 21 sufficient to bring the total assets of the System up to 100% 22 of the total actuarial liabilities of the System by the end of 23 State fiscal year 2045. In making these determinations, the 24 required State contribution shall be calculated each year as a 25 level dollar amount over the years remaining to and including fiscal year 2045 and shall be determined under the projected 26

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uni<u>t credit actuarial cost method.</u>

2 For State fiscal years 2015 through 2044, the minimum contribution to the System to be made by the State for each 3 fiscal year shall be an amount determined by the System to be 4 5 equal to the sum of (1) the State's portion of the projected 6 normal cost for that fiscal year, plus (2) an amount sufficient to bring the total assets of the System up to 100% of the total 7 8 actuarial liabilities of the System by the end of State fiscal 9 year 2044. In making these determinations, the required State contribution shall be calculated each year as a level 10 11 percentage of payroll over the years remaining to and including 12 fiscal year 2044 and shall be determined under the projected unit cost method for fiscal year 2015 and under the entry 13 age normal actuarial cost method for fiscal years 2016 through 14 2044.15

16 For State fiscal years 2012 through 2015 2014, the minimum 17 contribution to the System to be made by the State for each fiscal year shall be an amount determined by the System to be 18 sufficient to bring the total assets of the System up to 90% of 19 20 the total actuarial liabilities of the System by the end of State fiscal year 2045. In making these determinations, the 21 22 required State contribution shall be calculated each year as a 23 level percentage of payroll over the years remaining to and including fiscal year 2045 and shall be determined under the 24 25 projected unit credit actuarial cost method.

26 For State fiscal years 1996 through 2005, the State

contribution to the System, as a percentage of the applicable 1 2 employee payroll, shall be increased in equal annual increments so that by State fiscal year 2011, the State is contributing at 3 the rate required under this Section; except that (i) for State 4 5 fiscal year 1998, for all purposes of this Code and any other 6 law of this State, the certified percentage of the applicable 7 employee payroll shall be 5.052% for employees earning eligible creditable service under Section 14-110 and 6.500% for all 8 9 other employees, notwithstanding any contrary certification 10 made under Section 14-135.08 before the effective date of this 11 amendatory Act of 1997, and (ii) in the following specified 12 State fiscal years, the State contribution to the System shall 13 not be less than the following indicated percentages of the 14 applicable employee payroll, even if the indicated percentage will produce a State contribution in excess of the amount 15 16 otherwise required under this subsection and subsection (a): 17 9.8% in FY 1999; 10.0% in FY 2000; 10.2% in FY 2001; 10.4% in FY 2002; 10.6% in FY 2003; and 10.8% in FY 2004. 18

Notwithstanding any other provision of this Article, the total required State contribution to the System for State fiscal year 2006 is \$203,783,900.

Notwithstanding any other provision of this Article, the total required State contribution to the System for State fiscal year 2007 is \$344,164,400.

For each of State fiscal years 2008 through 2009, the State contribution to the System, as a percentage of the applicable employee payroll, shall be increased in equal annual increments from the required State contribution for State fiscal year 2007, so that by State fiscal year 2011, the State is contributing at the rate otherwise required under this Section.

5 Notwithstanding any other provision of this Article, the total required State General Revenue Fund contribution for 6 State fiscal year 2010 is \$723,703,100 and shall be made from 7 8 the proceeds of bonds sold in fiscal year 2010 pursuant to 9 Section 7.2 of the General Obligation Bond Act, less (i) the 10 pro rata share of bond sale expenses determined by the System's share of total bond proceeds, (ii) any amounts received from 11 12 the General Revenue Fund in fiscal year 2010, and (iii) any 13 reduction in bond proceeds due to the issuance of discounted 14 bonds, if applicable.

Notwithstanding any other provision of this Article, the 15 16 total required State General Revenue Fund contribution for 17 State fiscal year 2011 is the amount recertified by the System on or before April 1, 2011 pursuant to Section 14-135.08 and 18 shall be made from the proceeds of bonds sold in fiscal year 19 20 2011 pursuant to Section 7.2 of the General Obligation Bond (i) the pro rata share of bond sale expenses 21 Act, less 22 determined by the System's share of total bond proceeds, (ii) 23 any amounts received from the General Revenue Fund in fiscal year 2011, and (iii) any reduction in bond proceeds due to the 24 25 issuance of discounted bonds, if applicable.

26 Beginning in State fiscal year 2046, the minimum State

<u>contribution for each fiscal year shall be the amount needed to</u>
 <u>maintain the total assets of the System at 90% of the total</u>
 actuarial liabilities of the System.

Beginning in State fiscal year 2045, the minimum State
contribution for each fiscal year shall be the amount needed to
maintain the total assets of the System at 100% of the total
actuarial liabilities of the System.

8 Amounts received by the System pursuant to Section 25 of the Budget Stabilization Act or Section 8.12 of the State 9 10 Finance Act in any fiscal year do not reduce and do not constitute payment of any portion of the minimum State 11 12 contribution required under this Article in that fiscal year. 13 Such amounts shall not reduce, and shall not be included in the calculation of, the required State contributions under this 14 15 Article in any future year until the System has reached a 16 funding ratio of at least 90% 100%. A reference in this Article 17 to the "required State contribution" or any substantially similar term does not include or apply to any amounts payable 18 to the System under Section 25 of the Budget Stabilization Act. 19

Notwithstanding any other provision of this Section, the required State contribution for State fiscal year 2005 and for fiscal year 2008 and each fiscal year thereafter through State fiscal year 2014, as calculated under this Section and certified under Section 14-135.08, shall not exceed an amount equal to (i) the amount of the required State contribution that would have been calculated under this Section for that fiscal

year if the System had not received any payments under 1 2 subsection (d) of Section 7.2 of the General Obligation Bond Act, minus (ii) the portion of the State's total debt service 3 payments for that fiscal year on the bonds issued in fiscal 4 5 year 2003 for the purposes of that Section 7.2, as determined and certified by the Comptroller, that is the same as the 6 7 System's portion of the total moneys distributed under 8 subsection (d) of Section 7.2 of the General Obligation Bond 9 Act. In determining this maximum for State fiscal years 2008 10 through 2010, however, the amount referred to in item (i) shall 11 be increased, as a percentage of the applicable employee 12 payroll, in equal increments calculated from the sum of the 13 required State contribution for State fiscal year 2007 plus the 14 applicable portion of the State's total debt service payments 15 for fiscal year 2007 on the bonds issued in fiscal year 2003 for the purposes of Section 7.2 of the General Obligation Bond 16 17 Act, so that, by State fiscal year 2011, the State is contributing at the rate otherwise required under this Section. 18

19 (f) After the submission of all payments for eligible 20 employees from personal services line items in fiscal year 2004 have been made, the Comptroller shall provide to the System a 21 22 certification of the sum of all fiscal year 2004 expenditures 23 for personal services that would have been covered by payments to the System under this Section if the provisions of this 24 amendatory Act of the 93rd General Assembly had not been 25 enacted. Upon receipt of the certification, the System shall 26

determine the amount due to the System based on the full rate 1 2 certified by the Board under Section 14-135.08 for fiscal year 2004 in order to meet the State's obligation under this 3 Section. The System shall compare this amount due to the amount 4 5 received by the System in fiscal year 2004 through payments 6 under this Section and under Section 6z-61 of the State Finance 7 Act. If the amount due is more than the amount received, the difference shall be termed the "Fiscal Year 2004 Shortfall" for 8 9 purposes of this Section, and the Fiscal Year 2004 Shortfall shall be satisfied under Section 1.2 of the State Pension Funds 10 11 Continuing Appropriation Act. If the amount due is less than 12 the amount received, the difference shall be termed the "Fiscal Year 2004 Overpayment" for purposes of this Section, and the 13 14 Fiscal Year 2004 Overpayment shall be repaid by the System to 15 the Pension Contribution Fund as soon as practicable after the 16 certification.

17 (g) For purposes of determining the required State 18 contribution to the System, the value of the System's assets 19 shall be equal to the actuarial value of the System's assets, 20 which shall be calculated as follows:

As of June 30, 2008, the actuarial value of the System's assets shall be equal to the market value of the assets as of that date. In determining the actuarial value of the System's assets for fiscal years after June 30, 2008, any actuarial gains or losses from investment return incurred in a fiscal year shall be recognized in equal annual amounts over the

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1 5-year period following that fiscal year.

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2 (h) For purposes of determining the required State 3 contribution to the System for a particular year, the actuarial 4 value of assets shall be assumed to earn a rate of return equal 5 to the System's actuarially assumed rate of return.

(i) After the submission of all payments for eligible 6 7 employees from personal services line items paid from the 8 General Revenue Fund in fiscal year 2010 have been made, the 9 Comptroller shall provide to the System a certification of the 10 sum of all fiscal year 2010 expenditures for personal services 11 that would have been covered by payments to the System under 12 this Section if the provisions of this amendatory Act of the 13 96th General Assembly had not been enacted. Upon receipt of the 14 certification, the System shall determine the amount due to the 15 System based on the full rate certified by the Board under 16 Section 14-135.08 for fiscal year 2010 in order to meet the 17 State's obligation under this Section. The System shall compare this amount due to the amount received by the System in fiscal 18 year 2010 through payments under this Section. If the amount 19 20 due is more than the amount received, the difference shall be termed the "Fiscal Year 2010 Shortfall" for purposes of this 21 22 Section, and the Fiscal Year 2010 Shortfall shall be satisfied 23 under Section 1.2 of the State Pension Funds Continuing Appropriation Act. If the amount due is less than the amount 24 25 received, the difference shall be termed the "Fiscal Year 2010 26 Overpayment" for purposes of this Section, and the Fiscal Year

2010 Overpayment shall be repaid by the System to the General
 Revenue Fund as soon as practicable after the certification.

3 (j) After the submission of all payments for eligible employees from personal services line items paid from the 4 5 General Revenue Fund in fiscal year 2011 have been made, the 6 Comptroller shall provide to the System a certification of the 7 sum of all fiscal year 2011 expenditures for personal services 8 that would have been covered by payments to the System under 9 this Section if the provisions of this amendatory Act of the 10 96th General Assembly had not been enacted. Upon receipt of the 11 certification, the System shall determine the amount due to the 12 System based on the full rate certified by the Board under 13 Section 14-135.08 for fiscal year 2011 in order to meet the 14 State's obligation under this Section. The System shall compare 15 this amount due to the amount received by the System in fiscal 16 year 2011 through payments under this Section. If the amount 17 due is more than the amount received, the difference shall be termed the "Fiscal Year 2011 Shortfall" for purposes of this 18 Section, and the Fiscal Year 2011 Shortfall shall be satisfied 19 20 under Section 1.2 of the State Pension Funds Continuing Appropriation Act. If the amount due is less than the amount 21 22 received, the difference shall be termed the "Fiscal Year 2011 23 Overpayment" for purposes of this Section, and the Fiscal Year 2011 Overpayment shall be repaid by the System to the General 24 25 Revenue Fund as soon as practicable after the certification.

26 (k) For fiscal years 2012 through 2014 only, after the

submission of all payments for eligible employees from personal 1 2 services line items paid from the General Revenue Fund in the 3 fiscal year have been made, the Comptroller shall provide to the System a certification of the sum of all expenditures in 4 5 the fiscal year for personal services. Upon receipt of the certification, the System shall determine the amount due to the 6 7 System based on the full rate certified by the Board under 8 Section 14-135.08 for the fiscal year in order to meet the 9 State's obligation under this Section. The System shall compare 10 this amount due to the amount received by the System for the 11 fiscal year. If the amount due is more than the amount 12 received, the difference shall be termed the "Prior Fiscal Year Shortfall" for purposes of this Section, and the Prior Fiscal 13 Year Shortfall shall be satisfied under Section 1.2 of the 14 15 State Pension Funds Continuing Appropriation Act. If the amount 16 due is less than the amount received, the difference shall be 17 termed the "Prior Fiscal Year Overpayment" for purposes of this Section, and the Prior Fiscal Year Overpayment shall be repaid 18 19 by the System to the General Revenue Fund as soon as 20 practicable after the certification.

21 (Source: P.A. 97-72, eff. 7-1-11; 97-732, eff. 6-30-12; 98-24,
22 eff. 6-19-13; 98-599, eff. 6-1-14.)

- 23 (40 ILCS 5/15-155) (from Ch. 108 1/2, par. 15-155)
- 24 (Text of Section after amendment by P.A. 98-599)
- 25 Sec. 15-155. Employer contributions.

Through State fiscal year 2015, the The State of 1 (a) 2 Illinois shall make contributions by appropriations of amounts which, together with the other employer contributions from 3 4 trust, federal, and other funds, employee contributions, 5 income from investments, and other income of this System, will 6 be sufficient to meet the cost of maintaining and administering the System on a 90% 100% funded basis in accordance with 7 8 actuarial recommendations by the end of State fiscal year 2044. 9 Notwithstanding any other provision of this Article, beginning in State fiscal year 2016, the actual employers under 10 11 this Article shall make contributions of amounts which, 12 together with the other employer contributions from trust, 13 federal, and other funds, employee contributions, income from 14 investments, and other income of this System, will be sufficient to meet the cost of maintaining and administering 15 16 the System on a 90% funded basis in accordance with actuarial 17 recommendations.

The Board shall determine the amount of State <u>and employer</u> contributions required for each fiscal year on the basis of the actuarial tables and other assumptions adopted by the Board and the recommendations of the actuary, using the formula in subsection (a-1). <u>Beginning with State fiscal year 2016, the</u> <u>required employer contributions shall be expressed as a</u> <u>percentage of payroll.</u>

25 (a-1) For State fiscal years 2016 through 2045, the minimum
 26 total contribution to the System to be made by the employers

under this subsection for each fiscal year shall be an amount 1 2 determined by the System to be sufficient to bring the total assets of the System up to 100% of the total actuarial 3 liabilities of the System by the end of State fiscal year 2045. 4 5 making these determinations, the required State In contribution shall be calculated each year as a level dollar 6 7 amount over the years remaining to and including fiscal year 2045 and shall be determined under the projected unit credit 8 9 actuarial cost method.

10 For State fiscal years 2015 through 2044, the minimum 11 contribution to the System to be made by the State for each 12 fiscal year shall be an amount determined by the System to be equal to the sum of (1) the State's portion of the projected 13 normal cost for that fiscal year, plus (2) an amount sufficient 14 15 to bring the total assets of the System up to 100% of the total 16 actuarial liabilities of the System by the end of the State 17 fiscal year 2044. In making these determinations, the required State contribution shall be calculated each year as a level 18 19 percentage of payroll over the years remaining to and including 20 fiscal year 2044 and shall be determined under the projected unit cost method for fiscal year 2015 and under the entry age 21 22 normal actuarial cost method for fiscal years 2016 through 2044. 23

For State fiscal years 2012 through <u>2015</u> 2014, the minimum contribution to the System to be made by the State for each fiscal year shall be an amount determined by the System to be 1 sufficient to bring the total assets of the System up to 90% of 2 the total actuarial liabilities of the System by the end of 3 State fiscal year 2045. In making these determinations, the 4 required State contribution shall be calculated each year as a 5 level percentage of payroll over the years remaining to and 6 including fiscal year 2045 and shall be determined under the 7 projected unit credit actuarial cost method.

8 For State fiscal years 1996 through 2005, the State 9 contribution to the System, as a percentage of the applicable 10 employee payroll, shall be increased in equal annual increments 11 so that by State fiscal year 2011, the State is contributing at 12 the rate required under this Section.

Notwithstanding any other provision of this Article, the total required State contribution for State fiscal year 2006 is \$166,641,900.

Notwithstanding any other provision of this Article, the total required State contribution for State fiscal year 2007 is \$252,064,100.

For each of State fiscal years 2008 through 2009, the State contribution to the System, as a percentage of the applicable employee payroll, shall be increased in equal annual increments from the required State contribution for State fiscal year 2007, so that by State fiscal year 2011, the State is contributing at the rate otherwise required under this Section. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Article, the

total required State contribution for State fiscal year 2010 is

\$702,514,000 and shall be made from the State Pensions Fund and 1 2 proceeds of bonds sold in fiscal year 2010 pursuant to Section 7.2 of the General Obligation Bond Act, less (i) the pro rata 3 share of bond sale expenses determined by the System's share of 4 5 total bond proceeds, (ii) any amounts received from the General Revenue Fund in fiscal year 2010, (iii) any reduction in bond 6 7 proceeds due to the issuance of discounted bonds, if 8 applicable.

9 Notwithstanding any other provision of this Article, the 10 total required State contribution for State fiscal year 2011 is 11 the amount recertified by the System on or before April 1, 2011 12 pursuant to Section 15-165 and shall be made from the State 13 Pensions Fund and proceeds of bonds sold in fiscal year 2011 14 pursuant to Section 7.2 of the General Obligation Bond Act, 15 less (i) the pro rata share of bond sale expenses determined by 16 the System's share of total bond proceeds, (ii) any amounts 17 received from the General Revenue Fund in fiscal year 2011, and (iii) any reduction in bond proceeds due to the issuance of 18 19 discounted bonds, if applicable.

20 <u>Beginning in State fiscal year 2046, the minimum total</u> 21 <u>employer contribution under this subsection for each fiscal</u> 22 <u>year shall be the amount needed to maintain the total assets of</u> 23 <u>the System at 90% of the total actuarial liabilities of the</u> 24 System.

Beginning in State fiscal year 2045, the minimum
 contribution for each fiscal year shall be the amount needed to

1 maintain the total assets of the System at 100% of the total 2 liabilities of the System.

Amounts received by the System pursuant to Section 25 of 3 the Budget Stabilization Act or Section 8.12 of the State 4 5 Finance Act in any fiscal year do not reduce and do not 6 constitute payment of any portion of the minimum State 7 contribution required under this Article in that fiscal year. Such amounts shall not reduce, and shall not be included in the 8 9 calculation of, the required State contributions under this 10 Article in any future year until the System has reached a funding ratio of at least 90% 100%. A reference in this Article 11 12 to the "required State contribution" or any substantially similar term does not include or apply to any amounts payable 13 14 to the System under Section 25 of the Budget Stabilization Act.

15 Notwithstanding any other provision of this Section, the required State contribution for State fiscal year 2005 and for 16 17 fiscal year 2008 and each fiscal year thereafter through State fiscal year 2015 2014, as calculated under this Section and 18 certified under Section 15-165, shall not exceed an amount 19 20 equal to (i) the amount of the required State contribution that would have been calculated under this Section for that fiscal 21 22 year if the System had not received any payments under 23 subsection (d) of Section 7.2 of the General Obligation Bond Act, minus (ii) the portion of the State's total debt service 24 payments for that fiscal year on the bonds issued in fiscal 25 26 year 2003 for the purposes of that Section 7.2, as determined

and certified by the Comptroller, that is the same as the 1 2 System's portion of the total moneys distributed under subsection (d) of Section 7.2 of the General Obligation Bond 3 Act. In determining this maximum for State fiscal years 2008 4 5 through 2010, however, the amount referred to in item (i) shall be increased, as a percentage of the applicable employee 6 7 payroll, in equal increments calculated from the sum of the required State contribution for State fiscal year 2007 plus the 8 9 applicable portion of the State's total debt service payments 10 for fiscal year 2007 on the bonds issued in fiscal year 2003 11 for the purposes of Section 7.2 of the General Obligation Bond 12 Act, so that, by State fiscal year 2011, the State is 13 contributing at the rate otherwise required under this Section.

(b) If an employee is paid from trust or federal funds, the 14 15 employer shall pay to the Board contributions from those funds 16 which are sufficient to cover the accruing normal costs on 17 behalf of the employee. However, universities having employees who are compensated out of local auxiliary funds, income funds, 18 or service enterprise funds are not required to pay such 19 20 contributions on behalf of those employees. The local auxiliary 21 funds, income funds, and service enterprise funds of 22 universities shall not be considered trust funds for the 23 purpose of this Article, but funds of alumni associations, foundations, and athletic associations which are affiliated 24 25 with the universities included as employers under this Article 26 and other employers which do not receive State appropriations

are considered to be trust funds for the purpose of this
 Article.

(b-1) The City of Urbana and the City of Champaign shall 3 each make employer contributions to this System for their 4 5 respective firefighter employees who participate in this System pursuant to subsection (h) of Section 15-107. The rate 6 of contributions to be made by those municipalities shall be 7 8 determined annually by the Board on the basis of the actuarial 9 assumptions adopted by the Board and the recommendations of the 10 actuary, and shall be expressed as a percentage of salary for 11 each such employee. The Board shall certify the rate to the 12 affected municipalities as soon as may be practical. The 13 employer contributions required under this subsection shall be 14 remitted by the municipality to the System at the same time and 15 in the same manner as employee contributions.

16 (c) Through State fiscal year 1995: The total employer 17 contribution shall be apportioned among the various funds of the State and other employers, whether trust, federal, or other 18 funds, in accordance with actuarial procedures approved by the 19 20 Board. State of Illinois contributions for employers receiving State appropriations for personal services shall be payable 21 22 from appropriations made to the employers or to the System. The 23 contributions for Class I community colleges covering earnings 24 other than those paid from trust and federal funds, shall be 25 payable solely from appropriations to the Illinois Community 26 College Board or the System for employer contributions.

1 (d) Beginning in State fiscal year 1996, the required State 2 contributions to the System shall be appropriated directly to 3 the System and shall be payable through vouchers issued in 4 accordance with subsection (c) of Section 15-165, except as 5 provided in subsection (g).

6 (e) The State Comptroller shall draw warrants payable to 7 the System upon proper certification by the System or by the 8 employer in accordance with the appropriation laws and this 9 Code.

10 (f) Normal costs under this Section means liability for 11 pensions and other benefits which accrues to the System because 12 of the credits earned for service rendered by the participants during the fiscal year and expenses of administering the 13 14 System, but shall not include the principal of or any 15 redemption premium or interest on any bonds issued by the Board 16 or any expenses incurred or deposits required in connection 17 therewith.

18 (g) <u>Contributions required under this subsection are in</u> 19 <u>addition to the contributions required under subsection (a) of</u> 20 <u>this Section.</u>

If the amount of a participant's earnings for any academic year used to determine the final rate of earnings, determined on a full-time equivalent basis, exceeds the amount of his or her earnings with the same employer for the previous academic year, determined on a full-time equivalent basis, by more than 6%, the participant's employer shall pay to the System, in

addition to all other payments required under this Section and 1 2 in accordance with guidelines established by the System, the present value of the increase in benefits resulting from the 3 portion of the increase in earnings that is in excess of 6%. 4 5 This present value shall be computed by the System on the basis 6 of the actuarial assumptions and tables used in the most recent actuarial valuation of the System that is available at the time 7 8 of the computation. The System may require the employer to 9 provide any pertinent information or documentation.

10 Whenever it determines that a payment is or may be required 11 under this subsection (g), the System shall calculate the 12 amount of the payment and bill the employer for that amount. 13 The bill shall specify the calculations used to determine the 14 amount due. If the employer disputes the amount of the bill, it 15 may, within 30 days after receipt of the bill, apply to the System in writing for a recalculation. The application must 16 17 specify in detail the grounds of the dispute and, if the employer asserts that the calculation is subject to subsection 18 (h) or (i) of this Section, must include an affidavit setting 19 20 forth and attesting to all facts within the employer's knowledge that are pertinent to the applicability of subsection 21 22 (i). Upon receiving a timely application for (h) or 23 recalculation, the System shall review the application and, if appropriate, recalculate the amount due. 24

The employer contributions required under this subsection (g) may be paid in the form of a lump sum within 90 days after

receipt of the bill. If the employer contributions are not paid within 90 days after receipt of the bill, then interest will be charged at a rate equal to the System's annual actuarially assumed rate of return on investment compounded annually from the 91st day after receipt of the bill. Payments must be concluded within 3 years after the employer's receipt of the bill.

8 (h) This subsection (h) applies only to payments made or 9 salary increases given on or after June 1, 2005 but before July 10 1, 2011. The changes made by Public Act 94-1057 shall not 11 require the System to refund any payments received before July 12 31, 2006 (the effective date of Public Act 94-1057).

When assessing payment for any amount due under subsection (g), the System shall exclude earnings increases paid to participants under contracts or collective bargaining agreements entered into, amended, or renewed before June 1, 2005.

When assessing payment for any amount due under subsection (g), the System shall exclude earnings increases paid to a participant at a time when the participant is 10 or more years from retirement eligibility under Section 15-135.

When assessing payment for any amount due under subsection (g), the System shall exclude earnings increases resulting from overload work, including a contract for summer teaching, or overtime when the employer has certified to the System, and the System has approved the certification, that: (i) in the case of

overloads (A) the overload work is for the sole purpose of 1 2 academic instruction in excess of the standard number of 3 instruction hours for a full-time employee occurring during the academic year that the overload is paid and (B) the earnings 4 5 increases are equal to or less than the rate of pay for academic instruction computed using the participant's current 6 7 salary rate and work schedule; and (ii) in the case of 8 overtime, the overtime was necessary for the educational 9 mission.

10 When assessing payment for any amount due under subsection 11 (g), the System shall exclude any earnings increase resulting 12 from (i) a promotion for which the employee moves from one 13 classification to a higher classification under the State 14 Universities Civil Service System, (ii) a promotion in academic 15 rank for a tenured or tenure-track faculty position, or (iii) a 16 promotion that the Illinois Community College Board has 17 recommended in accordance with subsection (k) of this Section. These earnings increases shall be excluded only if the 18 19 promotion is to a position that has existed and been filled by 20 a member for no less than one complete academic year and the earnings increase as a result of the promotion is an increase 21 22 that results in an amount no greater than the average salary 23 paid for other similar positions.

(i) When assessing payment for any amount due under
 subsection (g), the System shall exclude any salary increase
 described in subsection (h) of this Section given on or after

July 1, 2011 but before July 1, 2014 under a contract or collective bargaining agreement entered into, amended, or renewed on or after June 1, 2005 but before July 1, 2011. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Section, any payments made or salary increases given after June 30, 2014 shall be used in assessing payment for any amount due under subsection (g) of this Section.

8 (j) The System shall prepare a report and file copies of 9 the report with the Governor and the General Assembly by 10 January 1, 2007 that contains all of the following information:

(1) The number of recalculations required by the changes made to this Section by Public Act 94-1057 for each employer.

14 (2) The dollar amount by which each employer's
15 contribution to the System was changed due to
16 recalculations required by Public Act 94-1057.

17 (3) The total amount the System received from each
18 employer as a result of the changes made to this Section by
19 Public Act 94-4.

20 (4) The increase in the required State contribution
21 resulting from the changes made to this Section by Public
22 Act 94-1057.

(k) The Illinois Community College Board shall adopt rules for recommending lists of promotional positions submitted to the Board by community colleges and for reviewing the promotional lists on an annual basis. When recommending

promotional lists, the Board shall consider the similarity of 1 2 the positions submitted to those positions recognized for State universities by the State Universities Civil Service System. 3 The Illinois Community College Board shall file a copy of its 4 5 findings with the System. The System shall consider the 6 findings of the Illinois Community College Board when making determinations under this Section. The System shall not exclude 7 8 any earnings increases resulting from a promotion when the 9 promotion was not submitted by a community college. Nothing in 10 this subsection (k) shall require any community college to 11 submit any information to the Community College Board.

12 (1) For purposes of determining the required State <u>or</u> 13 <u>employer</u> contribution to the System, the value of the System's 14 assets shall be equal to the actuarial value of the System's 15 assets, which shall be calculated as follows:

As of June 30, 2008, the actuarial value of the System's assets shall be equal to the market value of the assets as of that date. In determining the actuarial value of the System's assets for fiscal years after June 30, 2008, any actuarial gains or losses from investment return incurred in a fiscal year shall be recognized in equal annual amounts over the 5-year period following that fiscal year.

23 (m) For purposes of determining the required State <u>or</u> 24 <u>employer</u> contribution to the system for a particular year, the 25 actuarial value of assets shall be assumed to earn a rate of 26 return equal to the system's actuarially assumed rate of

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1 return.

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2 (Source: P.A. 97-813, eff. 7-13-12; 98-92, eff. 7-16-13; 3 98-463, eff. 8-16-13; 98-599, eff. 6-1-14.)

4 (40 ILCS 5/16-158) (from Ch. 108 1/2, par. 16-158)

(Text of Section after amendment by P.A. 98-599)

6 Sec. 16-158. Contributions by State and other employing 7 units.

8 (a) Through State fiscal year 2015, the The State shall 9 make contributions to the System by means of appropriations 10 from the Common School Fund and other State funds of amounts 11 which, together with other employer contributions, employee 12 contributions, investment income, and other income, will be sufficient to meet the cost of maintaining and administering 13 14 the System on a 90% $\frac{100\%}{100\%}$ funded basis in accordance with 15 actuarial recommendations by the end of State fiscal year 2044. 16 Notwithstanding any other provision of this Article, beginning in State fiscal year 2016, the actual employers of 17 18 teachers under this Article shall make contributions of amounts which, together with the other employer contributions from 19 20 trust, federal, and other funds, employee contributions, 21 income from investments, and other income of this System, will 22 be sufficient to meet the cost of maintaining and administering 23 the System on a 90% funded basis in accordance with actuarial 24 recommendations.

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The Board shall determine the amount of State and employer

1 contributions required for each fiscal year on the basis of the 2 actuarial tables and other assumptions adopted by the Board and 3 the recommendations of the actuary, using the formula in 4 subsection (b-3). <u>Beginning with State fiscal year 2016, the</u> 5 <u>required employer contributions shall be expressed as a</u>

6 <u>percentage of payroll.</u>

7 (a-1) Annually, on or before November 15 through November 8 15, 2011, the Board shall certify to the Governor the amount of 9 the required State contribution for the coming fiscal year. The 10 certification under this subsection (a-1) shall include a copy 11 of the actuarial recommendations upon which it is based.

12 On or before May 1, 2004, the Board shall recalculate and 13 recertify to the Governor the amount of the required State 14 contribution to the System for State fiscal year 2005, taking 15 into account the amounts appropriated to and received by the 16 System under subsection (d) of Section 7.2 of the General 17 Obligation Bond Act.

On or before July 1, 2005, the Board shall recalculate and recertify to the Governor the amount of the required State contribution to the System for State fiscal year 2006, taking into account the changes in required State contributions made by this amendatory Act of the 94th General Assembly.

On or before April 1, 2011, the Board shall recalculate and recertify to the Governor the amount of the required State contribution to the System for State fiscal year 2011, applying the changes made by Public Act 96-889 to the System's assets 1 and liabilities as of June 30, 2009 as though Public Act 96-889
2 was approved on that date.

(a-5) On or before November 1 of each year, beginning 3 November 1, 2012, the Board shall submit to the State Actuary, 4 5 the Governor, and the General Assembly a proposed certification of the amount of the required State contribution to the System 6 7 for the next fiscal year, along with all of the actuarial 8 assumptions, calculations, and data upon which that proposed 9 certification is based. On or before January 1 of each year, 10 beginning January 1, 2013, the State Actuary shall issue a 11 preliminary report concerning the proposed certification and 12 identifying, if necessary, recommended changes in actuarial 13 assumptions that the Board must consider before finalizing its certification of the required State contributions. 14

On or before January 15, 2013 and each January 15 15 16 thereafter, the Board shall certify to the Governor and the 17 General Assembly the amount of the required State contribution for the next fiscal year. The certification shall include a 18 copy of the actuarial recommendations upon which it is based 19 and shall specifically identify the System's projected State 20 normal cost for that fiscal year. The Board's certification 21 22 must note any deviations from the State Actuary's recommended 23 changes, the reason or reasons for not following the State Actuary's recommended changes, and the fiscal impact of not 24 25 following the State Actuary's recommended changes on the 26 required State contribution.

1	(a-10) For purposes of Section (c-5) of Section 20 of the
2	Budget Stabilization Act, on or before November 1 of each year
3	beginning November 1, 2014, the Board shall determine the
4	amount of the State contribution to the System that would have
5	been required for the next fiscal year if this amendatory Act
6	of the 98th General Assembly had not taken effect, using the
7	best and most recent available data but based on the law in
8	effect on May 31, 2014. The Board shall submit to the State
9	Actuary, the Governor, and the General Assembly a proposed
10	certification, along with the relevant law, actuarial
11	assumptions, calculations, and data upon which that
12	certification is based. On or before January 1, 2015 and every
13	January 1 thereafter, the State Actuary shall issue a
14	preliminary report concerning the proposed certification and
15	identifying, if necessary, recommended changes in actuarial
16	assumptions that the Board must consider before finalizing its
17	certification. On or before January 15, 2015 and every January
18	1 thereafter, the Board shall certify to the Governor and the
19	General Assembly the amount of the State contribution to the
20	System that would have been required for the next fiscal year
21	if this amendatory Act of the 98th General Assembly had not
22	taken effect, using the best and most recent available data but
23	based on the law in effect on May 31, 2014. The Board's
24	certification must note any deviations from the State Actuary's
25	recommended changes, the reason or reasons for not following
26	the State Actuary's recommended changes, and the impact of not

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1 following the State Actuary's recommended changes.

(b) Through State fiscal year 1995, the State contributions
shall be paid to the System in accordance with Section 18-7 of
the School Code.

5 (b-1) Beginning in State fiscal year 1996, on the 15th day 6 of each month, or as soon thereafter as may be practicable, the 7 Board shall submit vouchers for payment of State contributions 8 to the System, in a total monthly amount of one-twelfth of the required annual State contribution certified under subsection 9 10 (a-1). From the effective date of this amendatory Act of the 11 93rd General Assembly through June 30, 2004, the Board shall 12 not submit vouchers for the remainder of fiscal year 2004 in excess of the fiscal year 2004 certified contribution amount 13 determined under this Section after taking into consideration 14 15 the transfer to the System under subsection (a) of Section 16 6z-61 of the State Finance Act. These vouchers shall be paid by 17 the State Comptroller and Treasurer by warrants drawn on the funds appropriated to the System for that fiscal year. 18

19 If in any month the amount remaining unexpended from all 20 other appropriations to the System for the applicable fiscal 21 year (including the appropriations to the System under Section 22 8.12 of the State Finance Act and Section 1 of the State 23 Pension Funds Continuing Appropriation Act) is less than the lawfully vouchered under this 24 amount. subsection, the 25 difference shall be paid from the Common School Fund under the 26 continuing appropriation authority provided in Section 1.1 of

1 the State Pension Funds Continuing Appropriation Act.

2 (b-2) Allocations from the Common School Fund apportioned
3 to school districts not coming under this System shall not be
4 diminished or affected by the provisions of this Article.

5 (b-3) For State fiscal years 2016 through 2045, the minimum total contribution to the System to be made by the employers 6 7 under this subsection for each fiscal year shall be an amount determined by the System to be sufficient to bring the total 8 9 assets of the System up to 100% of the total actuarial 10 liabilities of the System by the end of State fiscal year 2045. 11 making these determinations, the required In State 12 contribution shall be calculated each year as a level dollar 13 amount over the years remaining to and including fiscal year 2045 and shall be determined under the projected unit credit 14 15 actuarial cost method.

16 For State fiscal years 2015 through 2044, the minimum 17 contribution to the System to be made by the State for each fiscal year shall be an amount determined by the System to be 18 equal to the sum of (1) the State's portion of the projected 19 20 normal cost for that fiscal year, plus (2) an amount sufficient 21 to bring the total assets of the System up to 100% of the total 22 actuarial liabilities of the System by the end of State fiscal 23 year 2044. In making these determinations, the required State contribution shall be calculated each year as a 24 25 percentage of payroll over the years remaining to and including 26 fiscal year 2044 and shall be determined under the projected

1 unit cost method for fiscal year 2015 and under the entry age 2 normal actuarial cost method for fiscal years 2016 through 3 2044.

For State fiscal years 2012 through 2015 2014, the minimum 4 5 contribution to the System to be made by the State for each fiscal year shall be an amount determined by the System to be 6 sufficient to bring the total assets of the System up to 90% of 7 the total actuarial liabilities of the System by the end of 8 9 State fiscal year 2045. In making these determinations, the 10 required State contribution shall be calculated each year as a 11 level percentage of payroll over the years remaining to and 12 including fiscal year 2045 and shall be determined under the 13 projected unit credit actuarial cost method.

14 For State fiscal years 1996 through 2005, the State 15 contribution to the System, as a percentage of the applicable 16 employee payroll, shall be increased in equal annual increments 17 so that by State fiscal year 2011, the State is contributing at the rate required under this Section; except that in the 18 19 following specified State fiscal years, the State contribution 20 to the System shall not be less than the following indicated 21 percentages of the applicable employee payroll, even if the 22 indicated percentage will produce a State contribution in 23 excess of the amount otherwise required under this subsection 24 and subsection (a), and notwithstanding anv contrary 25 certification made under subsection (a-1) before the effective date of this amendatory Act of 1998: 10.02% in FY 1999; 10.77% 26

1 in FY 2000; 11.47% in FY 2001; 12.16% in FY 2002; 12.86% in FY
2 2003; and 13.56% in FY 2004.

3 Notwithstanding any other provision of this Article, the 4 total required State contribution for State fiscal year 2006 is 5 \$534,627,700.

Notwithstanding any other provision of this Article, the
total required State contribution for State fiscal year 2007 is
\$738,014,500.

9 For each of State fiscal years 2008 through 2009, the State 10 contribution to the System, as a percentage of the applicable 11 employee payroll, shall be increased in equal annual increments 12 from the required State contribution for State fiscal year 13 2007, so that by State fiscal year 2011, the State is 14 contributing at the rate otherwise required under this Section.

15 Notwithstanding any other provision of this Article, the 16 total required State contribution for State fiscal year 2010 is 17 \$2,089,268,000 and shall be made from the proceeds of bonds sold in fiscal year 2010 pursuant to Section 7.2 of the General 18 19 Obligation Bond Act, less (i) the pro rata share of bond sale expenses determined by the System's share of total bond 20 21 proceeds, (ii) any amounts received from the Common School Fund 22 in fiscal year 2010, and (iii) any reduction in bond proceeds 23 due to the issuance of discounted bonds, if applicable.

Notwithstanding any other provision of this Article, the total required State contribution for State fiscal year 2011 is the amount recertified by the System on or before April 1, 2011

pursuant to subsection (a-1) of this Section and shall be made 1 2 from the proceeds of bonds sold in fiscal year 2011 pursuant to Section 7.2 of the General Obligation Bond Act, less (i) the 3 pro rata share of bond sale expenses determined by the System's 4 5 share of total bond proceeds, (ii) any amounts received from 6 the Common School Fund in fiscal year 2011, and (iii) any 7 reduction in bond proceeds due to the issuance of discounted 8 bonds, if applicable. This amount shall include, in addition to 9 the amount certified by the System, an amount necessary to meet 10 employer contributions required by the State as an employer 11 under paragraph (e) of this Section, which may also be used by 12 the System for contributions required by paragraph (a) of 13 Section 16-127.

Beginning in State fiscal year 2046, the minimum total employer contribution under this subsection for each fiscal year shall be the amount needed to maintain the total assets of the System at 90% of the total actuarial liabilities of the System.

Beginning in State fiscal year 2045, the minimum State contribution for each fiscal year shall be the amount needed to maintain the total assets of the System at 100% of the total actuarial liabilities of the System.

Amounts received by the System pursuant to Section 25 of the Budget Stabilization Act or Section 8.12 of the State Finance Act in any fiscal year do not reduce and do not constitute payment of any portion of the minimum State

contribution required under this Article in that fiscal year. 1 2 Such amounts shall not reduce, and shall not be included in the calculation of, the required State contributions under this 3 Article in any future year until the System has reached a 4 5 funding ratio of at least 90% 100%. A reference in this Article 6 to the "required State contribution" or any substantially 7 similar term does not include or apply to any amounts payable 8 to the System under Section 25 of the Budget Stabilization Act.

9 Notwithstanding any other provision of this Section, the 10 required State contribution for State fiscal year 2005 and for 11 fiscal year 2008 and each fiscal year thereafter through State 12 fiscal year 2015 2014, as calculated under this Section and 13 certified under subsection (a-1), shall not exceed an amount 14 equal to (i) the amount of the required State contribution that 15 would have been calculated under this Section for that fiscal 16 year if the System had not received any payments under 17 subsection (d) of Section 7.2 of the General Obligation Bond Act, minus (ii) the portion of the State's total debt service 18 19 payments for that fiscal year on the bonds issued in fiscal year 2003 for the purposes of that Section 7.2, as determined 20 and certified by the Comptroller, that is the same as the 21 22 System's portion of the total moneys distributed under 23 subsection (d) of Section 7.2 of the General Obligation Bond Act. In determining this maximum for State fiscal years 2008 24 through 2010, however, the amount referred to in item (i) shall 25 be increased, as a percentage of the applicable employee 26

payroll, in equal increments calculated from the sum of the required State contribution for State fiscal year 2007 plus the applicable portion of the State's total debt service payments for fiscal year 2007 on the bonds issued in fiscal year 2003 for the purposes of Section 7.2 of the General Obligation Bond Act, so that, by State fiscal year 2011, the State is contributing at the rate otherwise required under this Section.

8 (c) Payment of the required State contributions and of all 9 pensions, retirement annuities, death benefits, refunds, and 10 other benefits granted under or assumed by this System, and all 11 expenses in connection with the administration and operation 12 thereof, are obligations of the State.

13 If members are paid from special trust or federal funds 14 which are administered by the employing unit, whether school 15 district or other unit, the employing unit shall pay to the 16 System from such funds the full accruing retirement costs based 17 upon that service, as determined by the System. Employer contributions, based on salary paid to members from federal 18 19 funds, may be forwarded by the distributing agency of the State of Illinois to the System prior to allocation, in an amount 20 21 determined in accordance with guidelines established by such 22 agency and the System.

(d) Effective July 1, 1986, any employer of a teacher as defined in paragraph (8) of Section 16-106 shall pay the employer's normal cost of benefits based upon the teacher's service, in addition to employee contributions, as determined

by the System. Such employer contributions shall be forwarded monthly in accordance with guidelines established by the System.

However, with respect to benefits granted under Section 4 5 16-133.4 or 16-133.5 to a teacher as defined in paragraph (8) of Section 16-106, the employer's contribution shall be 12% 6 7 (rather than 20%) of the member's highest annual salary rate 8 for each year of creditable service granted, and the employer 9 shall also pay the required employee contribution on behalf of 10 the teacher. For the purposes of Sections 16-133.4 and 11 16-133.5, a teacher as defined in paragraph (8) of Section 12 16-106 who is serving in that capacity while on leave of 13 absence from another employer under this Article shall not be considered an employee of the employer from which the teacher 14 15 is on leave.

16 (e) <u>Contributions required under this subsection are in</u> 17 <u>addition to the contributions required under subsection (b-3)</u> 18 <u>of this Section.</u>

Beginning July 1, 1998, every employer of a teacher shall pay to the System an employer contribution computed as follows:

(1) Beginning July 1, 1998 through June 30, 1999, the
employer contribution shall be equal to 0.3% of each
teacher's salary.

(2) Beginning July 1, 1999 and thereafter, the employer
 contribution shall be equal to 0.58% of each teacher's
 salary.

1 The school district or other employing unit may pay these 2 employer contributions out of any source of funding available 3 for that purpose and shall forward the contributions to the 4 System on the schedule established for the payment of member 5 contributions.

6 These employer contributions are intended to offset a portion of the cost to the System of the increases in 7 8 retirement benefits resulting from this amendatory Act of 1998. 9 Each employer of teachers is entitled to a credit against 10 the contributions required under this subsection (e) with 11 respect to salaries paid to teachers for the period January 1, 12 2002 through June 30, 2003, equal to the amount paid by that 13 employer under subsection (a-5) of Section 6.6 of the State Employees Group Insurance Act of 1971 with respect to salaries 14 15 paid to teachers for that period.

16 The additional 1% employee contribution required under 17 Section 16-152 by this amendatory Act of 1998 is the 18 responsibility of the teacher and not the teacher's employer, 19 unless the employer agrees, through collective bargaining or 20 otherwise, to make the contribution on behalf of the teacher.

If an employer is required by a contract in effect on May 1, 1998 between the employer and an employee organization to pay, on behalf of all its full-time employees covered by this Article, all mandatory employee contributions required under this Article, then the employer shall be excused from paying the employer contribution required under this subsection (e)

1 for the balance of the term of that contract. The employer and 2 the employee organization shall jointly certify to the System 3 the existence of the contractual requirement, in such form as 4 the System may prescribe. This exclusion shall cease upon the 5 termination, extension, or renewal of the contract at any time 6 after May 1, 1998.

7 (f) <u>Contributions required under this subsection are in</u>
8 <u>addition to the contributions required under subsection (b-3)</u>
9 of this Section.

10 If the amount of a teacher's salary for any school year 11 used to determine final average salary exceeds the member's 12 annual full-time salary rate with the same employer for the 13 previous school year by more than 6%, the teacher's employer shall pay to the System, in addition to all other payments 14 15 required under this Section and in accordance with guidelines 16 established by the System, the present value of the increase in 17 benefits resulting from the portion of the increase in salary that is in excess of 6%. This present value shall be computed 18 by the System on the basis of the actuarial assumptions and 19 20 tables used in the most recent actuarial valuation of the System that is available at the time of the computation. If a 21 22 teacher's salary for the 2005-2006 school year is used to 23 determine final average salary under this subsection (f), then the changes made to this subsection (f) by Public Act 94-1057 24 25 shall apply in calculating whether the increase in his or her salary is in excess of 6%. For the purposes of this Section, 26

change in employment under Section 10-21.12 of the School Code on or after June 1, 2005 shall constitute a change in employer. The System may require the employer to provide any pertinent information or documentation. The changes made to this subsection (f) by this amendatory Act of the 94th General Assembly apply without regard to whether the teacher was in service on or after its effective date.

8 Whenever it determines that a payment is or may be required 9 under this subsection, the System shall calculate the amount of 10 the payment and bill the employer for that amount. The bill 11 shall specify the calculations used to determine the amount 12 due. If the employer disputes the amount of the bill, it may, within 30 days after receipt of the bill, apply to the System 13 14 in writing for a recalculation. The application must specify in 15 detail the grounds of the dispute and, if the employer asserts 16 that the calculation is subject to subsection (g) or (h) of 17 this Section, must include an affidavit setting forth and attesting to all facts within the employer's knowledge that are 18 19 pertinent to the applicability of that subsection. Upon 20 receiving a timely application for recalculation, the System 21 shall review the application and, if appropriate, recalculate 22 the amount due.

The employer contributions required under this subsection (f) may be paid in the form of a lump sum within 90 days after receipt of the bill. If the employer contributions are not paid within 90 days after receipt of the bill, then interest will be

1 charged at a rate equal to the System's annual actuarially 2 assumed rate of return on investment compounded annually from 3 the 91st day after receipt of the bill. Payments must be 4 concluded within 3 years after the employer's receipt of the 5 bill.

6 (g) This subsection (g) applies only to payments made or 7 salary increases given on or after June 1, 2005 but before July 8 1, 2011. The changes made by Public Act 94-1057 shall not 9 require the System to refund any payments received before July 10 31, 2006 (the effective date of Public Act 94-1057).

When assessing payment for any amount due under subsection (f), the System shall exclude salary increases paid to teachers under contracts or collective bargaining agreements entered into, amended, or renewed before June 1, 2005.

When assessing payment for any amount due under subsection (f), the System shall exclude salary increases paid to a teacher at a time when the teacher is 10 or more years from retirement eligibility under Section 16-132 or 16-133.2.

19 When assessing payment for any amount due under subsection 20 (f), the System shall exclude salary increases resulting from overload work, including summer school, when the school 21 22 district has certified to the System, and the System has 23 approved the certification, that (i) the overload work is for the sole purpose of classroom instruction in excess of the 24 25 standard number of classes for a full-time teacher in a school 26 district during a school year and (ii) the salary increases are equal to or less than the rate of pay for classroom instruction
 computed on the teacher's current salary and work schedule.

3 When assessing payment for any amount due under subsection (f), the System shall exclude a salary increase resulting from 4 5 a promotion (i) for which the employee is required to hold a certificate or supervisory endorsement issued by the State 6 7 Teacher Certification Board that is a different certification 8 or supervisory endorsement than is required for the teacher's 9 previous position and (ii) to a position that has existed and 10 been filled by a member for no less than one complete academic 11 year and the salary increase from the promotion is an increase 12 that results in an amount no greater than the lesser of the 13 average salary paid for other similar positions in the district 14 requiring the same certification or the amount stipulated in 15 the collective bargaining agreement for a similar position 16 requiring the same certification.

When assessing payment for any amount due under subsection (f), the System shall exclude any payment to the teacher from the State of Illinois or the State Board of Education over which the employer does not have discretion, notwithstanding that the payment is included in the computation of final average salary.

(h) When assessing payment for any amount due under subsection (f), the System shall exclude any salary increase described in subsection (g) of this Section given on or after July 1, 2011 but before July 1, 2014 under a contract or

1 collective bargaining agreement entered into, amended, or 2 renewed on or after June 1, 2005 but before July 1, 2011. 3 Notwithstanding any other provision of this Section, any 4 payments made or salary increases given after June 30, 2014 5 shall be used in assessing payment for any amount due under 6 subsection (f) of this Section.

7 (i) The System shall prepare a report and file copies of
8 the report with the Governor and the General Assembly by
9 January 1, 2007 that contains all of the following information:

10 (1) The number of recalculations required by the 11 changes made to this Section by Public Act 94-1057 for each 12 employer.

13 (2) The dollar amount by which each employer's
14 contribution to the System was changed due to
15 recalculations required by Public Act 94-1057.

16 (3) The total amount the System received from each
17 employer as a result of the changes made to this Section by
18 Public Act 94-4.

(4) The increase in the required State contribution
resulting from the changes made to this Section by Public
Act 94-1057.

(j) For purposes of determining the required State or employer contribution to the System, the value of the System's assets shall be equal to the actuarial value of the System's assets, which shall be calculated as follows:

As of June 30, 2008, the actuarial value of the System's

assets shall be equal to the market value of the assets as of that date. In determining the actuarial value of the System's assets for fiscal years after June 30, 2008, any actuarial gains or losses from investment return incurred in a fiscal year shall be recognized in equal annual amounts over the 5-year period following that fiscal year.

7 (k) For purposes of determining the required State <u>or</u> 8 <u>employer</u> contribution to the system for a particular year, the 9 actuarial value of assets shall be assumed to earn a rate of 10 return equal to the system's actuarially assumed rate of 11 return.

12 (Source: P.A. 97-694, eff. 6-18-12; 97-813, eff. 7-13-12; 13 98-599, eff. 6-1-14.)

14 (40 ILCS 5/18-131) (from Ch. 108 1/2, par. 18-131)

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Sec. 18-131. Financing; employer contributions.

16 (a) The State of Illinois shall make contributions to this System by appropriations of the amounts which, together with 17 18 the contributions of participants, net earnings on investments, and other income, will meet 19 the costs of 20 maintaining and administering this System on a 90% funded basis 21 in accordance with actuarial recommendations.

22 (b) The Board shall determine the amount of State 23 contributions required for each fiscal year on the basis of the 24 actuarial tables and other assumptions adopted by the Board and 25 the prescribed rate of interest, using the formula in

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1 subsection (c).

2 (c) For State fiscal years 2016 through 2045, the minimum contribution to the System to be made by the State for each 3 fiscal year shall be an amount determined by the System to be 4 5 sufficient to bring the total assets of the System up to 100% of the total actuarial liabilities of the System by the end of 6 State fiscal year 2045. In making these determinations, the 7 required State contribution shall be calculated each year as a 8 9 level dollar amount over the years remaining to and including fiscal year 2045 and shall be determined under the projected 10 11 unit credit actuarial cost method.

12 For State fiscal years 2012 through 2015 2045, the minimum 13 contribution to the System to be made by the State for each fiscal year shall be an amount determined by the System to be 14 15 sufficient to bring the total assets of the System up to 90% of the total actuarial liabilities of the System by the end of 16 17 State fiscal year 2045. In making these determinations, the required State contribution shall be calculated each year as a 18 level percentage of payroll over the years remaining to and 19 20 including fiscal year 2045 and shall be determined under the projected unit credit actuarial cost method. 21

For State fiscal years 1996 through 2005, the State contribution to the System, as a percentage of the applicable employee payroll, shall be increased in equal annual increments so that by State fiscal year 2011, the State is contributing at the rate required under this Section.

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Notwithstanding any other provision of this Article, the
 total required State contribution for State fiscal year 2006 is
 \$29,189,400.

Notwithstanding any other provision of this Article, the
total required State contribution for State fiscal year 2007 is
\$35,236,800.

For each of State fiscal years 2008 through 2009, the State contribution to the System, as a percentage of the applicable employee payroll, shall be increased in equal annual increments from the required State contribution for State fiscal year 2007, so that by State fiscal year 2011, the State is contributing at the rate otherwise required under this Section.

13 Notwithstanding any other provision of this Article, the 14 total required State contribution for State fiscal year 2010 is 15 \$78,832,000 and shall be made from the proceeds of bonds sold 16 in fiscal year 2010 pursuant to Section 7.2 of the General 17 Obligation Bond Act, less (i) the pro rata share of bond sale expenses determined by the System's share of total bond 18 19 proceeds, (ii) any amounts received from the General Revenue Fund in fiscal year 2010, and (iii) any reduction in bond 20 to the issuance of 21 proceeds due discounted bonds, if 22 applicable.

Notwithstanding any other provision of this Article, the total required State contribution for State fiscal year 2011 is the amount recertified by the System on or before April 1, 2011 pursuant to Section 18-140 and shall be made from the proceeds of bonds sold in fiscal year 2011 pursuant to Section 7.2 of the General Obligation Bond Act, less (i) the pro rata share of bond sale expenses determined by the System's share of total bond proceeds, (ii) any amounts received from the General Revenue Fund in fiscal year 2011, and (iii) any reduction in bond proceeds due to the issuance of discounted bonds, if applicable.

8 Beginning in State fiscal year 2046, the minimum State 9 contribution for each fiscal year shall be the amount needed to 10 maintain the total assets of the System at 90% of the total 11 actuarial liabilities of the System.

12 Amounts received by the System pursuant to Section 25 of 13 the Budget Stabilization Act or Section 8.12 of the State Finance Act in any fiscal year do not reduce and do not 14 15 constitute payment of any portion of the minimum State 16 contribution required under this Article in that fiscal year. 17 Such amounts shall not reduce, and shall not be included in the calculation of, the required State contributions under this 18 19 Article in any future year until the System has reached a 20 funding ratio of at least 90%. A reference in this Article to the "required State contribution" or any substantially similar 21 22 term does not include or apply to any amounts payable to the 23 System under Section 25 of the Budget Stabilization Act.

Notwithstanding any other provision of this Section, the required State contribution for State fiscal year 2005 and for fiscal year 2008 and each fiscal year thereafter, as calculated

under this Section and certified under Section 18-140, shall 1 2 not exceed an amount equal to (i) the amount of the required State contribution that would have been calculated under this 3 Section for that fiscal year if the System had not received any 4 5 payments under subsection (d) of Section 7.2 of the General 6 Obligation Bond Act, minus (ii) the portion of the State's 7 total debt service payments for that fiscal year on the bonds 8 issued in fiscal year 2003 for the purposes of that Section 9 7.2, as determined and certified by the Comptroller, that is 10 the same as the System's portion of the total moneys 11 distributed under subsection (d) of Section 7.2 of the General 12 Obligation Bond Act. In determining this maximum for State fiscal years 2008 through 2010, however, the amount referred to 13 14 in item (i) shall be increased, as a percentage of the 15 applicable employee payroll, in equal increments calculated 16 from the sum of the required State contribution for State 17 fiscal year 2007 plus the applicable portion of the State's total debt service payments for fiscal year 2007 on the bonds 18 issued in fiscal year 2003 for the purposes of Section 7.2 of 19 the General Obligation Bond Act, so that, by State fiscal year 20 21 2011, the State is contributing at the rate otherwise required 22 under this Section.

(d) For purposes of determining the required State contribution to the System, the value of the System's assets shall be equal to the actuarial value of the System's assets, which shall be calculated as follows:

As of June 30, 2008, the actuarial value of the System's assets shall be equal to the market value of the assets as of that date. In determining the actuarial value of the System's assets for fiscal years after June 30, 2008, any actuarial gains or losses from investment return incurred in a fiscal year shall be recognized in equal annual amounts over the 5-year period following that fiscal year.

8 (e) For purposes of determining the required State 9 contribution to the system for a particular year, the actuarial 10 value of assets shall be assumed to earn a rate of return equal 11 to the system's actuarially assumed rate of return.

12 (Source: P.A. 96-43, eff. 7-15-09; 96-1497, eff. 1-14-11; 13 96-1511, eff. 1-27-11; 96-1554, eff. 3-18-11; 97-813, eff. 14 7-13-12.)

Section 90. The State Mandates Act is amended by adding Section 8.38 as follows:

17 (30 ILCS 805/8.38 new)

18 Sec. 8.38. Exempt mandate. Notwithstanding Sections 6 and 8 19 of this Act, no reimbursement by the State is required for the 20 implementation of any mandate created by this amendatory Act of 21 the 98th General Assembly.

22 Section 95. No acceleration or delay. Where this Act makes 23 changes in a statute that is represented in this Act by text

that is not yet or no longer in effect (for example, a Section represented by multiple versions), the use of that text does not accelerate or delay the taking effect of (i) the changes made by this Act or (ii) provisions derived from any other Public Act.