1   AN ACT in relation to public employee benefits.

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

4   Section 5.   The Illinois Pension Code is amended by
5   changing Section 7-137.1 as follows:

6   (40 ILCS 5/7-137.1) (from Ch. 108 1/2, par. 7-137.1)
7   Sec. 7-137.1. Elected officials.
8   (a) A person holding an elective office who has elected
9   to participate in the Fund while in that office may revoke
10   that election and cease participating in the Fund   by
11   notifying the Board in writing before January 1, 1992.
12   Upon such revocation, the person shall forfeit all
13   creditable service earned while holding that office, and the
14   Board shall refund to the person, without interest, all
15   employee contributions paid for the forfeited creditable
16   service. The Board shall also refund or credit to the
17   employing municipality, without interest, the employer
18   contributions relating to the forfeited service, except those
19   for death and disability.
20   (b) Notwithstanding the provisions of Sections 7-141 and
21   7-144, beginning January 1, 1992, a person who holds   an
22   elective office and has not elected to participate in the
23   Fund with respect to that _term of_ office (or has revoked his
24   election to participate with respect to that _term of_ office
25   under subsection (a) of this Section) shall   not   be
26   disqualified from receiving a retirement annuity _during that_
27   _term of office_ by reason of holding _that_ ~~such~~ office,
28   provided that the annuity is not based on any credits
29   received for participating _during_ ~~while-holding~~ that _term of_
30   office.
31   (Source: P.A. 87-740.)

1   Section 90.   The State Mandates Act is amended by adding

2 Section 8.26 as follows:

3   (30 ILCS 805/8.26 new)

4   Sec. 8.26. Exempt mandate.   Notwithstanding Sections 6

5 and   8 of this Act, no reimbursement by the State is required

6 for   the   implementation   of   any   mandate   created by this

7 amendatory Act of the 92nd General Assembly.

8   Section 99. Effective date.   This Act takes effect upon

9 becoming law.