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SENATE BILL 1085

Short Title: Local Retirement Incentives.

(Public)

Sponsors: Senator Block.

Referred to: Pensions and Retirement.

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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT TO REQUIRE ANY LOCAL GOVERNMENT PARTICIPATING IN THE
2 LOCAL GOVERNMENTAL EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM AND ANY
3 EMPLOYER IN THE TEACHERS' AND STATE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT
4 SYSTEM TO FUND THE PENSION COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH A
5 RETIREMENT INCENTIVE PROGRAM.

6 The General Assembly of North Carolina enacts:

7 Section 1. Article 3 of Chapter 128 of the General Statutes is amended by
8 adding a new section to read:

9 **"§ 128-30A. Funding retirement incentives.**

10 Any employer participating in the Retirement System that engages in a program
11 designed to cause members to commence retirement earlier than expected, based on the
12 tables adopted by the Board of Trustees under the provisions of G.S. 128-28(o), shall
13 pay to the pension accumulation fund an amount such that the employer normal
14 contribution rate shall not be increased by the effect of such a program. The amount
15 shall be determined by the Board of Trustees, upon the advice of its consulting actuary,
16 and shall be paid by an employer either (i) in a lump sum; or (ii) as an accrued liability
17 contribution over a period not to exceed five years."

18 Sec. 2. Article 1 of Chapter 135 of the General Statutes is amended by
19 adding a new section to read:

20 **"§ 135-8A. Funding retirement incentives.**

21 Any employer that engages in a program designed to cause members to commence
22 retirement earlier than expected, based on the tables adopted by the Board of Trustees
23 under the provisions of G.S. 135-6(n), shall pay to the pension accumulation fund an
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1 amount such that the employer normal contribution rate shall not be increased by the
2 effect of such a program. The amount shall be determined by the Board of Trustees,
3 upon the advice of its consulting actuary, and shall be paid by an employer in one lump
4 sum."

5 Sec. 3. This act is effective upon ratification.