

(3) TO ELECT TO BE A MEMBER OF THE EMPLOYEES' PENSION SYSTEM UNDER THIS SUBSECTION, AN INDIVIDUAL SHALL FILE A WRITTEN APPLICATION WITH THE STATE RETIREMENT AGENCY.

(4) AN INDIVIDUAL WHO DOES NOT ELECT MEMBERSHIP WITHIN 6 MONTHS OF THE DATE THE INDIVIDUAL BEGINS SERVING AS THE BALTIMORE CITY SHERIFF SHALL BECOME A MEMBER OF THE LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS' PENSION SYSTEM.

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(a) Except as provided in subsection (b) of this section, this subtitle applies only to:

(1) an employee of the Department of Natural Resources commissioned by the Secretary of Natural Resources as:

(i) a Natural Resources police officer; or

(ii) a law enforcement officer, other than a Natural Resources police officer;

(2) a law enforcement officer employed by the Field Enforcement Bureau;

(3) a member of the Maryland Transportation Authority Police Force who has the powers granted to a police officer under § 4-208 of the Transportation Article;

(4) a deputy sheriff employed by the Baltimore City Sheriff's Department;

(5) a member of the University of Maryland Police Force who has the powers granted to a police officer under § 13-601 of the Education Article;

(6) a law enforcement officer or firefighter employed by a participating governmental unit that on or after July 1, 1999 has elected to participate in the Law Enforcement Officers' Pension System;

(7) the State Fire Marshal or a Deputy State Fire Marshal;

(8) a member of the Morgan State University Police Force who has the powers granted to a police officer under § 14-106 of the Education Article;

(9) a member of the BWI Airport Fire & Rescue Department;

(10) a member of the Department of General Services Police Force who has the powers granted to a police officer under § 4-605 of the State Finance and Procurement Article;

(11) an employee of the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene commissioned by the Secretary of Health and Mental Hygiene as a Health and Mental Hygiene police officer;