

(c) Should a disability beneficiary under the age of [55] 50 be restored to active service and should his annual compensation then or at any time prior to the age of [55] 50 be equal to or greater than his average final compensation at retirement, his retirement allowance shall cease, he shall again become a member of the Retirement System, and he shall contribute thereafter at the same rate he paid prior to disability. Anything in this sub-title to the contrary notwithstanding, any prior service certificate on the basis of which his service was computed at the time of his retirement shall be restored to full force and effect, and in addition, upon his subsequent retirement he shall be credited with all the service as a member creditable to him at the time of retirement; but should he be restored to membership after the attainment of age [50] 45, his pension upon subsequent retirement shall not exceed the pension he was receiving immediately prior to his last restoration to membership before any reduction of such pension as provided in paragraph (b) of this sub-section and the pension that may have accrued to him as a new member on account of service since his last restoration to membership, provided that the total pension on his subsequent retirement shall not exceed the rate per centum he would have received had he remained in service during the period of his prior retirement.

(8) Ordinary death benefit.—Upon the receipt of proper proofs of the death of a member in service there shall be paid to such person having an insurable interest in the life of the deceased, as he shall have nominated by written designation duly executed and filed with the board of trustees, otherwise to his estate:

(a) His accumulated contributions; and

(b) If the [number] member has one [or more] through two years of creditable service, an amount equal to fifty per centum of his average final compensation.

No ordinary death benefit shall be paid for the death of any member whenever a special death benefit shall be paid for the same.

(9) Special death benefit.—Upon the receipt of proper proofs of the death of a member in service [arising] who had either more than two years of creditable service or whose death arose out of or in the course of the actual performance of duty, provided that in either event the death was without wilful negligence on [his part] the part of the deceased, and upon the finding and certification by the board that such death so occurred, there shall be paid:

(a) To such person having an insurable interest in the life of the deceased, as he shall have nominated by written designation duly executed and filed with the board of trustees, otherwise to his estate, his accumulated contributions; and

(b) To his widow, if he leaves a widow, to continue during her widowhood; or if there be no widow, or if the widow dies or remarries before the younger child of such deceased member shall have attained the age of eighteen, then to his child or children under said age, if he leaves children, divided in such manner as the board in its discretion shall determine to continue as a joint and survivorship pension for the benefit of the child or children under said age until every child dies or attains said age; or if there be no widow or children under the age of eighteen years living at the death of such member, then to his dependent father or dependent mother as the board in its discretion shall direct to continue for life, a pension of fifty per