

AN ACT TO REPEAL AND RE-ENACT, WITH AMENDMENTS, SECTION 9 (7) OF ARTICLE 73B OF THE ANNOTATED CODE OF MARYLAND (1960 SUPPLEMENT), TITLE "PENSIONS", SUB-TITLE "IN GENERAL"; AND TO REPEAL AND RE-ENACT, WITH AMENDMENTS, SECTIONS 32 AND 51 OF ARTICLE 88B OF SAID CODE (1957 EDITION), TITLE "STATE POLICE", SUB-TITLES "PENSIONS" AND "STATE POLICE RETIREMENT SYSTEM", amending the laws concerning the STATE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM AND THE State Police Retirement System in order to provide a further opportunity for certain persons to become members of ~~that system~~ THOSE SYSTEMS and relating generally to this opportunity and to the procedure to be followed.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* ~~That SECTION 3 (3-A) BE AND THE SAME IS HEREBY ADDED TO ARTICLE 73B OF THE ANNOTATED CODE OF MARYLAND (1957 EDITION), TITLE "PENSIONS", SUB-TITLE "IN GENERAL", TO FOLLOW IMMEDIATELY AFTER SECTION 3 (3) THEREOF; THAT SECTION 9 (7) OF SAID ARTICLE AND SUB-TITLE (1960 SUPPLEMENT), BE AND THE SAME IS HEREBY REPEALED AND RE-ENACTED, WITH AMENDMENTS; AND THAT Section 51 of Article 88B of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1957 Edition), title "State Police", sub-title "State Police Retirement System", be and it is hereby repealed and THAT SECTION 9 (7) OF ARTICLE 73B OF THE ANNOTATED CODE OF MARYLAND (1960 SUPPLEMENT), TITLE 'PENSIONS', SUB-TITLE 'IN GENERAL', AND SECTIONS 32 AND 51 OF ARTICLE 88B OF SAID CODE (1957 EDITION), TITLE 'STATE POLICE', SUB-TITLES 'PENSIONS' AND 'STATE POLICE RETIREMENT SYSTEM', BE AND THEY ARE HEREBY REPEALED AND re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:~~

73B

3 (3-A)

ANY PERSON WHO WAS A MEMBER OF THE STATE POLICE PENSION FUND ON JUNE 1, 1949, AND WHO ELECTED IN 1949 NOT TO BE COVERED IN THE MEMBERSHIP IN THE RETIREMENT SYSTEM, SHALL HAVE THE FURTHER OPPORTUNITY TO BECOME A MEMBER OF THE RETIREMENT SYSTEM, AT ANY TIME BETWEEN JUNE 1, 1961, AND DECEMBER 31, 1961, BOTH DATES INCLUSIVE, AND NOT THEREAFTER; BUT THIS ELIGIBILITY IS ONLY FOR PERSONS WHO WOULD BE ELIGIBLE FOR MEMBERSHIP IN THE RETIREMENT SYSTEM IF THEY HAD BEGUN THEIR EMPLOYMENT IN 1961. IF DURING THAT TIME HE ELECTS TO BE COVERED IN THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE RETIREMENT SYSTEM, HIS MEMBERSHIP THEREIN SHALL BEGIN AS OF THE FIRST DAY OF THE CALENDAR MONTH NEXT FOLLOWING THE DAY OF HIS ELECTION, SUBJECT TO THE CONDITIONS OF THIS SECTION AND OF THE OTHER PROVISIONS OF THIS ARTICLE NOT INCONSISTENT WITH THIS SECTION. ANY PERSON WHO THUS BECOMES A MEMBER OF THE RETIREMENT SYSTEM SHALL RECEIVE CREDIT