

*or any committee or member thereof acting in his official capacity or to any local, state, or federal government or agency thereof having legally vested authority to implement or recommend the implementation of public accommodation, fair employment, fair housing or similar laws.*

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That this Act shall apply to all matters pending before the Human Relations Commission on the effective date of this Act. ; provided, however, that the provisions of Sections 15 and 15A of Section 1 of this Act shall not apply to a final order of the Commission filed more than 30 days prior to the effective date of this Act.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted,* That if any provision of this Act or the application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid for any reason, the invalidity shall not affect the other provisions or any other application of this Act which can be given effect without the invalid provisions or application, and to this end all the provisions of this Act are declared to be severable.

SEC. 4. *And be it further enacted,* That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1972.

Approved May 26, 1972.

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CHAPTER 409

(Senate Bill 399)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 195 (2) of Article 77 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1969 Replacement Volume), title "Public Education," subtitle "Teacher's Retirement System," AND TO REPEAL AND RE-ENACT, WITH AMENDMENTS, SECTION 11 (3) OF ARTICLE 73B OF THE SAME CODE (1970 REPLACEMENT VOLUME), TITLE "PENSIONS," SUBTITLE "IN GENERAL," to reduce the service credit requirements for teachers AND STATE EMPLOYEES for eligibility for full benefits in the retirement system ~~for 35 years' service at any age to 30 years' service at any age.~~ UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That Section 195 (2) of Article 77 of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1969 Replacement Volume), title "Public Education," subtitle "Teachers' Retirement System," be and it is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, AND THAT SECTION 11 (3) OF ARTICLE 73B OF THE SAME CODE (1970 REPLACEMENT VOLUME), TITLE "PENSIONS," SUBTITLE "IN GENERAL," BE AND IT IS HEREBY REPEALED AND RE-ENACTED, WITH AMENDMENTS, AND ALL to read as follows:

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(2) Upon retirement for service a member shall receive a service retirement allowance which shall consist of :