

retirement system and the various cities and counties of the State which operate local retirement or pension systems for teachers. On the receipt of the warrant of the Comptroller, the Treasurer of the State of Maryland shall immediately transfer to the State retirement system the amounts due and shall pay to the treasurer of each city or county operating a local retirement or pension plan covering teachers the amount due.

(b) To cover the requirements of the system for the period prior to the first day of October, nineteen hundred and twenty-nine, there is hereby authorized for the Pension Accumulation Fund and for the Expense Fund the use of any funds that may be provided therefor in an amendment or supplement to the budget, or in a supplementary appropriation bill.

(c) Notwithstanding the provisions of § 192, subsection (3) of this article, from and after July 1, 1968, any teacher who is newly employed by the City of Baltimore and becomes eligible to join the Teachers' Retirement System, shall become a member of said retirement system.]

(7) The board of trustees is hereby authorized and directed, subject to the annual appropriation of the necessary funds and in addition to those provided in accordance with and in the same manner as that provided in subsections (1), (2), (3), (4), (5), and (6), of this section, and subject to the conditions hereinafter provided, to make a supplementary payment to any beneficiary who was retired prior to July 1, 1971, in addition to the benefits provided in § 195 of this article, on the following basis:

(a) Which is not less than the rate of the supplementary payment received by any beneficiary prior to July 1, 1962, and

(b) Which, when added to the benefits provided pursuant to § 195 of this article is not less than \$2,000 per annum; provided, however that the said beneficiary is credited with 25 years of service, and provided that any beneficiary having less than 25 years of creditable service shall have his supplementary payment reduced in proportion to the ratio of the number of years of creditable service divided by 25, and provided that no such reduction shall be made for any beneficiary who has retired for disability prior to June 30, 1968, and

(c) Which is computed pro rata on the basis of the following condensed table:

Beneficiary Receiving Under Sec. 195 of Teachers' Retirement Law	Length of Service	Supplementary Payments
\$ 900	25 years	\$1100
1200	25 years	900
1500	25 years	825
1800	25 years	750
2100	25 years	675
2400	25 years	600
2700	25 years	525
3000	25 years	450
3300	25 years	375
3600	25 years	300
3900	25 years	225
4200	25 years	150
4500	25 years	75
4800	25 years	0 and