

~~REDUCED.~~

~~NO REDUCTION SHALL BE MADE FOR THE AMOUNT OF MEDICAL, SURGICAL, OR OTHER ATTENDANCE OR TREATMENT, NURSE AND HOSPITAL SERVICE, MEDICINE, CRUTCHES OR APPARATUS AND OF ANY FUNERAL EXPENSE PROVIDED UNDER THE WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION LAW IN ADDITION TO REGULAR COMPENSATION BENEFITS, OR OF ANY LEGAL FEES AWARDED UNDER THE WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION LAW.~~

~~SECTION 5. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That now Section 56 be and it is hereby added to Article 38A Fires and Investigations, of the Annotated Code of Maryland (1974 Replacement Volume and 1976 Supplement) to read as follows:~~

~~Article 38A — Fires and Investigations~~

~~46.~~

~~(A) IF ANY BENEFITS UNDER THE WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION LAW ARE PAYABLE AS A RESULT OF ACCIDENTAL DISABILITY OR ACCIDENTAL DEATH, PAYMENT SHALL BE MADE PURSUANT TO THIS ARTICLE ON ACCOUNT OF THE DISABILITY OR DEATH UNTIL THERE SHALL BE A FINAL DETERMINATION OF THE CLAIM FOR WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION BENEFITS.~~

~~(B) ANY PENSION PAYABLE PURSUANT TO THIS ARTICLE ON ACCOUNT OF ANY DISABILITY OR DEATH SHALL BE REDUCED BY THE AMOUNT OF BENEFITS THAT ARE FINALLY DETERMINED TO BE PAYABLE UNDER THE WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION LAW BY REASON OF THE DISABILITY OR DEATH. THE REDUCTION SHALL BE AS FOLLOWS:~~

~~(1) PENSION INSTALLMENTS SHALL BE REDUCED BY THE AMOUNT OF THE CONCURRENT WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION BENEFITS.~~

~~(2) THE PENSION RESERVE ON ACCOUNT OF A PENSION SO PAYABLE SHALL BE REDUCED BY THE AMOUNT OF ANY LUMP SUM WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION BENEFITS PAID. IN SUCH CASE, THE PENSION THEREAFTER PAYABLE SHALL BE THE ACTUARIAL EQUIVALENT OF THE PENSION RESERVE AS SO REDUCED.~~

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~~(C) A FINAL DETERMINATION OF THE STATE WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION COMMISSION THAT BENEFITS ARE PAYABLE PURSUANT TO THE WORKMEN'S COMPENSATION LAW BY REASON OF THE ACCIDENTAL DISABILITY OR ACCIDENTAL DEATH OF A MEMBER OF THE RETIREMENT SYSTEM SHALL NOT IN ANY RESPECT BE, OR~~