DATE OF THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE LOCAL RETIREMENT SYSTEM BY THE MUNICIPAL CORPORATION, THE MUNICIPAL CORPORATION AND ITS OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES MAY NOT BE REQUIRED TO MAKE ANY FURTHER CONTRIBUTIONS TO THIS PENSION SYSTEM FOR THE OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES WHO ELECT TO WITHDRAW FROM THIS PENSION SYSTEM. ANY MUNICIPAL CORPORATION THAT WITHDRAWS ITS OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES FROM THIS PENSION SYSTEM AS PROVIDED IN THIS SECTION, OR THAT REENTERS ITS OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES INTO THIS PENSION SYSTEM AFTER HAVING WITHDRAWN THEM, SHALL PAY ALL ADMINISTRATIVE COSTS INVOLVED IN THE WITHDRAWAL OR REENTRY.

139. RESERVED.

TEACHERS' PENSION SYSTEM

140. DEFINITIONS.

IN THIS SUBTITLE THE FOLLOWING WORDS HAVE THE MEANING INDICATED.

- (1) "RETIREMENT SYSTEM" MEANS THE TEACHERS' RETIREMENT SYSTEM OF THE STATE OF MARYLAND AS DEFINED IN § 82 OF THIS SUBTITLE.
- (2) "PENSION SYSTEM" MEANS THE PENSION SYSTEM FOR TEACHERS OF THE STATE OF MARYLAND AS DEFINED IN § 141 OF THIS SUBTITLE.

(3) "PUBLIC SCHOOL" MEANS:

- (A) ANY ELEMENTARY OR SECONDARY DAY SCHOOL THAT IS CONDUCTED IN THE STATE UNDER THE AUTHORITY AND SUPERVISION OF A COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION;
- (B) ANY EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION THAT IS SUPPORTED BY AND UNDER THE CONTROL OF THE STATE, SUCH AS THE SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF, THE STATE COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES, AND THE UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND;
- (C) ANY PUBLIC LIBRARY THAT IS ESTABLISHED OR OPERATES UNDER THE EDUCATION ARTICLE; OR
- (D) ANY COMMUNITY COLLEGE THAT IS ESTABLISHED OR OPERATES UNDER THE EDUCATION ARTICLE.

(4) "TEACHER" MEANS:

- (A) ANY TEACHER, HELPING TEACHER, PRINCIPAL, SUPERVISOR, SUPERINTENDENT, OR CLERK WHO IS EMPLOYED IN THE SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF OR IN AN ELEMENTARY OR SECONDARY DAY SCHOOL IN THE STATE UNDER THE AUTHORITY AND SUPERVISION OF A COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION;
- (B) ANY FACULTY EMPLOYEE OF AN EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION SUPPORTED BY AND UNDER THE CONTROL OF THE STATE;