

she requests the return of the accumulated contributions within 2 years of such termination. The vested retirement allowance shall be a deferred allowance commencing at age sixty and shall be computed as a service retirement allowance as provided under paragraph (a) of § 11(3) of this article on the basis of the member's creditable service and average final compensation at the time his service is terminated.

Should the [member] PERSON who has elected a vested retirement allowance request the return of his OR HER contributions [or die] prior to [the date when the first payment of his retirement allowance becomes normally due] THE PERSON'S EFFECTIVE RETIREMENT DATE, the amount of [his] THAT PERSON'S accumulated contributions shall be returned and no further benefit shall be due or become payable on account of [his] THE PERSON'S previous membership.

UPON RECEIPT OF PROPER PROOFS OF THE DEATH OF THE PERSON WHO HAS ELECTED A VESTED RETIREMENT ALLOWANCE AND DIES PRIOR TO HIS OR HER EFFECTIVE RETIREMENT DATE, THE AMOUNT OF THAT PERSON'S ACCUMULATED CONTRIBUTIONS SHALL BE PAID TO THE BENEFICIARY THE PERSON HAS NOMINATED BY WRITTEN DESIGNATION DULY EXECUTED AND FILED WITH THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES, OR IF THERE BE NO DESIGNATED BENEFICIARY, THEN TO THE PERSON'S ESTATE.

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(10) Any member whose service is terminated other than by death or retirement after he or she has rendered 5 or more years of creditable service may elect to receive a vested retirement allowance. Such a member shall be deemed to have elected a vested retirement allowance, unless he or she requests the return of the accumulated contributions within 5 years of such termination. The vested retirement allowance shall be deferred allowance commencing at age 60 and shall be computed as a service retirement allowance as provided under subsection (2)(a) of this section on the basis of the member's creditable service and average final compensation at the time his service is terminated.

Should the [member] PERSON who has elected a vested retirement allowance request the return of his OR HER contributions [or die] prior to [the date when the first payment of his retirement allowance becomes normally due] THE PERSON'S EFFECTIVE RETIREMENT DATE, the amount of [his] THAT PERSON'S accumulated contributions shall be returned and no further benefit shall be due or become payable on account of [his] THE PERSON'S previous membership.

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