

## RESOLUTION

- (2) Has at least 8 years of creditable service;
- (3) Is at least 55 years of age but not more than 62 years of age; and
- (4) Completes and submits an application for retirement to the Board of Trustees:

- (i) Stating the date on which the member desires to retire; and
  - (ii) Electing to receive a reduced service retirement allowance instead of the service retirement allowance payable under § 7 or § 8 of this Item 3A.

(b) Reduced service retirement allowance. On retirement under this section, a member shall receive a reduced service retirement allowance equal to the service retirement allowance or portion thereof computed under § 7, 8(d), or § 8(e)(2)(ii) of this Item 3A on the basis of the member's creditable service and current annual salary, reduced by 0.5% for each month by which the member's early retirement date precedes the date the member attains age 62.

### 10. Disability retirement allowance.

(a) Definition. In this section, "disabled" means the member is mentally or physically incapacitated for the further performance of duty as a legislator and the incapacity is likely to be permanent.

(b) Eligibility for disability retirement. A member who is currently serving in the General Assembly is eligible to receive a disability retirement allowance if:

- (1) The member has at least 8 years of creditable service regardless of age;
- (2) The medical board has certified that the member is disabled; and

- (3) The member completes and submits an application for retirement to the Board of Trustees stating the date on which the member desires to retire.

(c) Disability retirement allowance. A member shall receive a disability retirement allowance computed as set forth in § 7(d) of this Item 3A for all years of creditable service.

### 11. Survivor allowance payable on death of retiree.

(a) Survivor allowance. On the death of a retiree, the Board of Trustees shall pay a survivor allowance equal to one-half of the retirement allowance that would be payable to the retiree if the retiree were living and continued to receive a retirement allowance:

- (1) To the retiree's surviving spouse for life, commencing on the date of the retiree's death; or