

reemployed ~~on a contractual basis by the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene as health care practitioners~~ under certain circumstances; *providing that certain retirees of the Employees' Retirement System or the Employees' Pension System may only be reemployed for a certain period of time; requiring the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene to provide the State Retirement Agency with certain information; requiring the Department of Health and Mental Hygiene to submit certain reports by a certain date to certain committees; making certain clarifying changes;* and generally relating to the reemployment of retirees of the Employees' Retirement System and the Employees' Pension System.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article - State Personnel and Pensions

Section 22-406 and 23-407

Annotated Code of Maryland

(2004 Replacement Volume)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

Article - State Personnel and Pensions

22-406.

(a) An individual who is receiving a service retirement allowance or vested allowance may accept employment with a participating employer on a permanent, temporary, or contractual basis, if:

(1) the individual immediately notifies the Board of Trustees of the individual's intention to accept this employment; and

(2) the individual specifies the compensation to be received.

(b) (1) The Board of Trustees shall reduce the allowance of an individual who accepts employment as provided under subsection (a) of this section if:

(i) the individual's current employer is a participating employer other than the State and is the same participating employer that employed the individual at the time of the individual's last separation from employment with a participating employer before the individual commenced receiving a service retirement allowance or vested allowance;

(ii) the individual's current employer is any unit of State government and the individual's employer at the time of the individual's last separation from employment with the State before the individual commenced receiving a service retirement allowance or vested allowance was also a unit of State government; or

(iii) the individual becomes reemployed within 12 months of receiving an early service retirement allowance under § 22-402 of this subtitle.