The phrase "[e]xcept as otherwise provided by law" is added to reflect the possibility that, in certain circumstances, federal and State law may supersede this section. See, e.g., Subtitle 2 of this title.

As to the use of the term "reinstatement", $\underline{\text{see}} \S 1-101(k)$ of this article and its accompanying Revisor's Note.

Defined terms: "Classified service" § 1-101

"Position" § 1-101

"Reinstatement" § 1-101

11-102. REINSTATEMENT BENEFITS.

A FORMER PERMANENT EMPLOYEE WHO RETURNS TO STATE EMPLOYMENT WITH AN AUTHORIZED STATUS OF REINSTATEMENT SHALL RECEIVE CREDIT FOR TIME EMPLOYED BEFORE SEPARATION FOR THE PURPOSE OF DETERMINING THE EMPLOYEE'S:

- (1) STEP IN THE PAY GRADE APPLICABLE TO THE EMPLOYEE'S CLASS;
- (2) ANNUAL LEAVE;
- (3) SICK LEAVE; AND
- (4) SENIORITY RIGHTS.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section formerly was Art. 64A, § 37E(b).

The adjective "longevity", which formerly modified "steps", is deleted as unnecessary because all steps are "longevity steps" and there is no need to describe them as such.

The only other changes are in style.

As to the use of the term "reinstatement", <u>see</u> § 1–101(k) of this article and its accompanying Revisor's Note.

Defined terms: "Class" § 1-101 "Reinstatement" § 1-101

GENERAL REVISOR'S NOTE:

The State Personnel Article Review Committee notes, for consideration by the General Assembly, that the Committee is uncertain how this subtitle is to be read in conjunction with §§ 1–101(k), 7–303, 7–308(b), and 7–506(b) of this article. See Revisor's Notes to those provisions.