

- “Judges’ Retirement System” § 20-101
- “Local Fire and Police System” § 20-101
- “Member” § 20-101
- “Natural Resources Pension System” § 20-101
- “State Police Retirement System” § 20-101
- “Teachers’ Pension System” § 20-101
- “Teachers’ Retirement System” § 20-101

(CC) PARTICIPANT.

“PARTICIPANT” MEANS A BENEFICIARY, DESIGNATED BENEFICIARY, FORMER MEMBER, MEMBER, OR RETIREE WHO IS OR MAY BECOME ELIGIBLE TO RECEIVE A BENEFIT OF ANY TYPE FROM THE SEVERAL SYSTEMS.

REVISOR’S NOTE: This subsection formerly was Art. 73B, § 1-101(o).

The only changes are in style.

- Defined terms: “Beneficiary” § 20-101
- “Designated beneficiary” § 20-101
- “Former member” § 20-101
- “Member” § 20-101
- “Retiree” § 20-101
- “Several systems” § 20-101

(DD) PARTICIPATING EMPLOYER.

“PARTICIPATING EMPLOYER” MEANS THE EMPLOYER OF AN INDIVIDUAL WHO, BECAUSE OF THE EMPLOYMENT RELATIONSHIP, IS ELIGIBLE FOR MEMBERSHIP IN A STATE SYSTEM.

REVISOR’S NOTE: This subsection is new language derived without substantive change from former Art. 73B, § 1-101(j).

The reference to “the employer of an individual who, because of the employment relationship, is eligible for membership in a State system” is substituted for the former reference to “the State of Maryland and any county board of education, public board of library trustees, board of community college trustees, or municipal corporation” for accuracy. The former list of employers was incomplete.

- Defined term: “State system” § 20-101

(EE) PARTICIPATING GOVERNMENTAL UNIT.

“PARTICIPATING GOVERNMENTAL UNIT” MEANS A GOVERNMENTAL UNIT THAT PARTICIPATES IN A STATE SYSTEM UNDER TITLE 31 OF THIS ARTICLE.

REVISOR’S NOTE: This subsection is new language added to avoid repetition of the phrase “a governmental unit that participates in a State system under Title 31 of this article”.

- Defined term: “State system” § 20-101