TO FACILITATE THE MAKING OF MEMBER CONTRIBUTIONS, THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES MAY MODIFY THE MEMBER CONTRIBUTION REQUIRED OF ANY MEMBER BY AN AMOUNT NOT EXCEEDING 0.1% OF THE ANNUAL EARNABLE COMPENSATION ON THE BASIS OF WHICH THE MEMBER CONTRIBUTION IS TO BE MADE.

## (D) CONTRIBUTIONS REQUIRED.

- (1) THE MEMBER CONTRIBUTIONS PROVIDED FOR UNDER THIS DIVISION II SHALL BE MADE NOTWITHSTANDING ANY RESULTING REDUCTION IN THE ACTUAL COMPENSATION RECEIVED BELOW THE MINIMUM COMPENSATION PROVIDED FOR BY LAW FOR A MEMBER.
- (2) EACH MEMBER IS DEEMED TO AGREE TO MAKE THE MEMBER CONTRIBUTIONS REQUIRED BY THIS DIVISION II AND TO HAVE RECEIVED FULL COMPENSATION.
- (3) EXCEPT FOR THE BENEFITS PROVIDED UNDER THIS DIVISION II, PAYMENT OF COMPENSATION LESS ANY MEMBER CONTRIBUTION IS A COMPLETE DISCHARGE OF ALL CLAIMS FOR SERVICES RENDERED BY AN EMPLOYEE DURING THE TIME COVERED BY THE PAYMENT.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from former Art. 73B, § 1-302(b) and (c).

In subsection (a) of this section, the defined term "earnable compensation" is substituted for the former phrase "amount earnable by a member".

In subsection (c) of this section, the defined term "earnable compensation" is substituted for the former phrase "annual compensation upon the basis of which the employee contribution is made".

Defined terms: "Board of Trustees" § 20-101

"Earnable compensation" § 20–101

"Member" § 20-101

"Member contribution" § 20–101

21-313. SAME — EMPLOYER PICKUP OF MEMBER CONTRIBUTIONS.

(A) "APPROVED EMPLOYER" DEFINED.

IN THIS SECTION, "APPROVED EMPLOYER" MEANS A PARTICIPATING EMPLOYER WHO HAS RECEIVED A FAVORABLE RULING FROM THE INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE FOR AN EMPLOYER PICKUP PROGRAM IN ACCORDANCE WITH § 414(H)(2) OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE.

(B) IN GENERAL.

THE STATE OR OTHER APPROVED EMPLOYER OF A MEMBER SHALL PICK UP, WITHIN THE MEANING OF § 414(H)(2) OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE, THE MEMBER CONTRIBUTIONS REQUIRED BY THIS DIVISION II.

(C) IMPLEMENTATION AND TREATMENT OF PICKUP AMOUNTS.