

**Senate Bill No. 78**

AN ACT concerning

**Retirement and Pensions - Baltimore City Child Support Enforcement Employees**

FOR the purpose of providing a certain amount of service credit to certain State employees who were formerly employed by a private vendor to provide child support enforcement services in Baltimore City; requiring certain State employees to deposit a certain amount of money into a certain fund; reducing certain retirees' allowances if a certain amount of money is not deposited into a certain fund; and generally relating to service credit for certain members of the State Retirement and Pension System who were employed by a private vendor to provide child support enforcement services in Baltimore City.

BY adding to

Article - State Personnel and Pensions

Section 22-305.1 and 23-307.4

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1997 Replacement Volume and 2002 Supplement)

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

**Article - State Personnel and Pensions**

22-305.1.

(A) THIS SECTION APPLIES ONLY TO A MEMBER OF THE EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM WHO:

- (1) WAS AN EMPLOYEE OF THE STATE PRIOR TO NOVEMBER 1, 1996;
- (2) AS OF NOVEMBER 1, 1996 WAS EMPLOYED BY A PRIVATE VENDOR TO PROVIDE CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT SERVICES IN BALTIMORE CITY; AND
- (3) RESUMED EMPLOYMENT WITH THE STATE AS OF NOVEMBER 1, 2002.

~~(B) A MEMBER DESCRIBED IN SUBSECTION (A) OF THIS SECTION SHALL RECEIVE SERVICE CREDIT FOR THE TIME THE MEMBER WAS EMPLOYED BY A PRIVATE VENDOR TO PROVIDE CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT SERVICES IN BALTIMORE CITY PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1998.~~

(C) (1) A MEMBER DESCRIBED IN SUBSECTION (A) OF THIS SECTION IS ENTITLED TO RECEIVE SERVICE CREDIT FOR THE TIME THE MEMBER WAS EMPLOYED BY A PRIVATE VENDOR TO PROVIDE CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT SERVICES IN BALTIMORE CITY ~~FROM JULY 1, 1998 THROUGH~~ PRIOR TO OCTOBER 31, 2002.

(2) ~~ON OR BEFORE JUNE 30, 2008~~ PRIOR TO THE MEMBER'S DATE OF RETIREMENT, AND SUBJECT TO PARAGRAPH (3) OF THIS SUBSECTION, A MEMBER