

2. the Local Fire and Police System, who have not transferred from the Employees' Retirement System;

3. the Law Enforcement Officers' Pension System, who have not transferred from the Employees' Retirement System; and

4. the Teachers' Pension System.

(ii) The total allowance described in paragraph (1) of this subsection may not exceed two-thirds of the member's estimated average final compensation at the age of 62 years.

(4) (i) This paragraph applies only to members of the State Police Retirement System.

(ii) The total allowance described in paragraph (1) of this subsection may not exceed one-half of the member's estimated average final compensation at the age of 50 years.

(c) The additional contributions made under this section shall become a part of the member's accumulated contributions until the member's retirement.

(d) A member may:

(1) at retirement or after other separation from employment, withdraw in cash the member's additional contributions plus regular interest; or

(2) at retirement, receive an additional annuity that is the actuarial equivalent of the member's additional contributions plus regular interest.]

31-2A-01.

(a) In this subtitle the following words have the meanings indicated.

(b) "Effective date" means the date that an eligible governmental unit commenced or commences participation in the Law Enforcement Officers' Pension System.

(c) "Eligible governmental unit" means a governmental unit that is eligible to participate in the Law Enforcement Officers' Pension System under § 31-2A-02 of this subtitle.

(D) (1) "FIREFIGHTER" MEANS:

(I) A PAID FIREFIGHTER, AS DETERMINED BY THE ELIGIBLE GOVERNMENTAL UNIT; OR

(II) A PAID PARAMEDIC, AS DETERMINED BY THE ELIGIBLE GOVERNMENTAL UNIT.

(2) "FIREFIGHTER" DOES NOT INCLUDE:

(I) A VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTER; OR

(II) A VOLUNTEER PARAMEDIC.