

EXCEPT WHEN THE PART-TIME SERVICE IS DETERMINED BY THE MEDICAL BOARD TO BE A RESULT OF A MEDICALLY DETERMINED DISABILITY WHICH PREVENTS FULL-TIME WORK, AND THE MEMBER ELECTS TO MAKE THE CONTRIBUTIONS FOR FULL-TIME EMPLOYMENT REQUIRED BY § 7-202(A) OF THIS TITLE.

(II) IF AT THE TIME THE MEDICAL BOARD MAKES THIS DETERMINATION THE MEMBER ELECTS TO MAKE THE CONTRIBUTIONS FOR FULL-TIME EMPLOYMENT REQUIRED BY § 7-202(A) OF THIS TITLE, THE MEMBER SHALL RECEIVE FULL-TIME CREDIT FOR THE PART-TIME SERVICE IN THE COMPUTATION OF THE RETIREMENT ALLOWANCE OR BENEFIT. HOWEVER, FULL-TIME CREDIT FOR PURPOSES OF COMPUTING THE RETIREMENT ALLOWANCE OR BENEFIT MAY NOT BE GRANTED FOR A DISABILITY INCURRED PRIOR TO THE MEMBER'S ENROLLMENT IN THE RETIREMENT SYSTEM, EXCEPT TO THE EXTENT THAT THIS DISABILITY WAS AGGRAVATED SUBSEQUENT TO THE MEMBER'S ENROLLMENT.

COMMITTEE NOTE: This section is new language that is derived from the revised provision concerning creditable service for the Employees' Retirement System under § 2-301 of this article.

The addition of this section is based on an administrative interpretation of former § 156(e) that the provisions of the Employees' Retirement System on creditable service apply to this retirement system.

7-302. CREDIT FOR UNUSED SICK LEAVE.

(A) UPON VERIFICATION TO THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES, A MEMBER AT THE TIME OF RETIREMENT SHALL RECEIVE CREDITABLE SERVICE FOR UNUSED SICK LEAVE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE FORMULA THAT 22 DAYS OF UNUSED SICK LEAVE ARE EQUAL TO 1 MONTH OF CREDITABLE SERVICE. ONE ADDITIONAL MONTH OF CREDITABLE SERVICE SHALL BE GRANTED IF FRACTIONAL DAYS TOTALING 11 OR MORE RESULT FROM THE APPLICATION OF THIS FORMULA.

(B) FOR THE PURPOSE OF THIS SECTION, NO MORE THAN 15 DAYS OF SICK LEAVE OF ANY MEMBER MAY BE ACCUMULATED ANNUALLY.

(C) FOR THE PURPOSE OF THIS SECTION, IF AN EMPLOYER PROVIDES AN ANNUAL SICK LEAVE ALLOWANCE IN EXCESS OF 15 DAYS, THE DAYS OF SICK LEAVE ACTUALLY USED IN ANY YEAR SHALL FIRST BE CHARGED AGAINST ACCUMULATED LEAVE TO THE EXTENT OF THE EXCESS.

(D) A MEMBER WHO TERMINATES SERVICE FOR REASONS OTHER THAN RETIREMENT PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1990, AND WHO IS OTHERWISE ENTITLED TO A VESTED ALLOWANCE MAY RECEIVE CREDIT FOR UNUSED SICK LEAVE REPORTED BY THE MEMBER'S EMPLOYER AT TIME OF TERMINATION OF EMPLOYMENT.