

ENGROSSED HOUSE
BILL NO. 1788

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and SEIKEL of the HOUSE

and

ROZELL and RUBOTTOM of
the SENATE

AN ACT RELATING TO CITIES AND TOWNS; AMENDING 11 O.S.
1991, SECTION 49-108, WHICH RELATES TO THE OKLAHOMA
FIREFIGHTERS PENSION AND RETIREMENT SYSTEM;
CLARIFYING CALCULATION OF RETIREMENT BENEFITS FOR
PAID FIRE FIGHTERS WHEN VOLUNTEER SERVICE IS
INVOLVED; AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 11 O.S. 1991, Section 49-108, is
amended to read as follows:

Section 49-108. A. Any volunteer fire fighter who is appointed
as a ~~regular full-time, paid member of a regular, constituted fire~~
~~department of a municipality, after January 1, 1975, and who serves~~
~~less than ten (10) years as a paid fire fighter~~ and serves less than
ten (10) years as a paid fire fighter, shall be entitled to receive
one-twentieth (1/20) of a volunteer pension for each full year ~~of~~
~~the time he~~ served as a volunteer fire fighter and one-twentieth of
one-half (1/20 of 1/2) of the average salary received ~~by the~~

~~firefighter~~ for each full year ~~of the time~~ the fire fighter served as a paid fire fighter.

B. Any volunteer fire fighter who is appointed as a paid fire fighter and serves ten (10) or more years as a paid fire fighter, shall be entitled to credit no more than ten (10) years of volunteer time to complete a twenty-year paid service pension with remaining volunteer time computed at one-twentieth (1/20) of a volunteer pension for each additional volunteer year.

C. Nothing herein contained in this section shall be construed to create an eligibility for pension which is not otherwise provided by law.

SECTION 2. It being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is hereby declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

Passed the House of Representatives the 19th day of February, 1992.

Speaker of the House of Representatives

Passed the Senate the ____ day of _____, 1992.

President of the Senate