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STATE OF OKLAHOMA

1st Session of the 45th Legislature (1995)

HOUSE BILL NO. 1372

By: Matlock

AS INTRODUCED

An Act relating to the Teachers' Retirement System of Oklahoma; providing for teaching service credit based upon participation in the Head Start program; specifying periods during which service eligible for credit; providing for payment by member according to certain requirement of law; providing for codification; and providing an effective date.

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

SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 17-116.3A of Title 70, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

Any member of the Teachers' Retirement System of Oklahoma who provided instruction to eligible students pursuant to the Head Start program prior to becoming a member of the Teachers' Retirement System or who provides instruction to such students pursuant to the Head Start program after becoming a member of the Teachers' Retirement System may receive credit for such teaching service for a period not to exceed two (2) total years, per member, irrespective of the period of Head Start teaching service. In order to receive the credit provided by this section, the member shall pay the amount

determined by the Board of Trustees pursuant to Section 17-116.8 of Title 70 of the Oklahoma Statutes.

SECTION 2. This act shall become effective November 1, 1995.

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