

THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
Monday, April 13, 2009

ENGROSSED

Senate Bill No. 397

ENGROSSED SENATE BILL NO. 397 - By: CRAIN of the Senate and SULLIVAN of the House.

An Act relating to counties and county officers; amending 19 O.S. 2001, Sections 957-1, 960 and 961, which relate to contributions to county retirement systems; modifying amount of employer contribution; placing cap on total amount of employee and employer contributions; providing an effective date; and declaring an emergency.

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

1 SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 19 O.S. 2001, Section 957-1, is amended to read
2 as follows:

3 Section 957-1. The county commissioners of any county establishing a drainage
4 district or districts, and establishing a county retirement system, in addition to the
5 duties and authority now provided by law, are hereby authorized to pay into the
6 retirement system of such county for the use and benefit of the employees eligible for
7 retirement benefits, such amounts as the said board of county commissioners may
8 authorize by resolution not exceeding ~~ten percent (10%)~~ of the current annual salaries of
9 all employees to be covered in the following percentages:

10 July 1, 2009 - June 30, 2010 15 1/2%

1 Beginning July 1, 2009, the total employer and employee contributions shall not
2 exceed sixteen and one-half percent (16.5%) of the monthly compensation of each
3 member.

4 ~~(b)~~ B. It shall be the mandatory duty of the governing board of the court fund to pay
5 annually from the court fund to a county retirement system which is not a participant in
6 the Oklahoma Public Employees Retirement System, the employer's contribution for that
7 court reporter who pursuant to the provisions of Section ~~5, Chapter 328, O.S.L. 1969 (20~~
8 ~~O.S. Supp. 1969, Section 1004)~~ 106.8 of Title 20 of the Oklahoma Statutes, exercised his
9 or her option to continue as a member of the county retirement system following January
10 13, 1969. The contributions to be so paid shall be limited to the amount provided for in
11 subsection ~~(a)~~ hereof A of this section. The provisions of this subsection ~~(b)~~ shall operate
12 retroactively to take effect on and after January 13, 1969.

13 SECTION 3. AMENDATORY 19 O.S. 2001, Section 961, is amended to read as
14 follows:

15 Section 961. In addition to all other items which are now or may hereafter be
16 authorized to be paid from the Law Library Fund, it shall be the mandatory duty of the
17 trustees of the Law Library Fund to pay annually for the sole use of the retirement
18 system a sum equal to the contributions made to the Retirement Fund by the employees,
19 but not to exceed ~~ten percent (10%)~~ the following percentages of the current annual
20 salaries of all employees whose salaries are paid either in whole or in part out of the Law
21 Library Fund of such county:

22 July 1, 2009 - June 30, 2010

15 1/2%

