## SENATE CHAMBER

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

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2	2nd Session of the 59th Legislature (2024)			
3	FLOOR SUBSTITUTE			
4	FOR ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL NO. 3807 By: Burns of the House			
5	and			
6	Garvin of the Senate			
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9	FLOOR SUBSTITUTE			
10	[ retirement - members of the Oklahoma Law Enforcement Retirement System - notice - contributions - transfers to the System - Oklahoma Pension Legislation Actuarial Analysis Act - definitions - codification -			
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15	BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:			
16	SECTION 1. AMENDATORY 47 O.S. 2021, Section 2-300, as			
17	amended by Section 8, Chapter 151, O.S.L. 2023 (47 O.S. Supp. 2023,			
18	Section 2-300), is amended to read as follows:			
19	Section 2-300. As used in Section 2-300 et seq. of this title:			
20	1. "System" means the Oklahoma Law Enforcement Retirement			
21	System;			
22	2. "Act" means Section 2-300 et seq. of this title;			
23	3. "Board" means the Oklahoma Law Enforcement Retirement Board			
24	of the System;			

1 4. "Executive Director" means the managing officer of the 2 System employed by the Board; 5. "Fund" means the Oklahoma Law Enforcement Retirement Fund; 3 "Participating employer" means any Oklahoma entity with one 4 6. 5 or more employees who are members of the System, including: the Department of Public Safety, 6 a. the Oklahoma State Bureau of Investigation, 7 b. the Oklahoma State Bureau of Narcotics and Dangerous 8 C. 9 Drugs Control, the Alcoholic Beverage Laws Enforcement Commission, 10 d. 11 and 12 е. the Department of Wildlife Conservation. 13 Provided, the Department of Wildlife Conservation shall only be included as a participating employer to the extent that the 14 Department has made an irrevocable election to become a 15 participating employer pursuant to Section 3 of this act; 16 "Member" means: 17 7. a. all commissioned law enforcement officers of the 18 Oklahoma Highway Patrol Division of the 19 Department of Public Safety who have obtained 20 certification from the Council on Law Enforcement 21 Education and Training, and all cadets of a 22 Patrol Academy patrol academy of the Department 23

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of Public Safety,

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1 (2) law enforcement officers and criminalists of the Oklahoma State Bureau of Investigation,

- (3) law enforcement officers of the Oklahoma State

  Bureau of Narcotics and Dangerous Drugs Control

  designated to perform duties in the investigation
  and prevention of crime and the enforcement of
  the criminal laws of this state,
- (4) law enforcement officers of the Alcoholic

  Beverage Laws Enforcement Commission designated
  to perform duties in the investigation and
  prevention of crime and the enforcement of the
  criminal laws of this state,
- (5) employees of the Communications Section of the
  Oklahoma Highway Patrol Division, radio
  technicians and tower technicians of the
  Department of Public Safety, who are employed in
  any such capacity as of June 30, 2008, and who
  remain employed on or after July 1, 2008, until a
  termination of service, or until a termination of
  service with an election of a vested benefit from
  the System, or until retirement. Effective July
  1, 2008, a person employed for the first time as
  an employee of the Department of Public Safety in
  the Communications Division as an information

systems telecommunication technician of the

Department of Public Safety shall not be a member

of the System,

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- (6) park rangers of the Oklahoma Tourism and

  Recreation Department and any park manager or

  park supervisor of the Oklahoma Tourism and

  Recreation Department, who was employed in such a

  position prior to July 1, 1985, and who elects on

  or before September 1, 1996, to participate in

  the System, and
- (7) inspectors of the State Board of Pharmacy,
- (8) law enforcement support staff of a participating

  agency hired on or after the effective date of

  this act, if so designated by a participating

  employer pursuant to Section 2 of this act, and
- (9) active commissioned or CLEET-certified agents

  hired by the Department of Wildlife Conservation
  on or after the effective date of this act.
- b. Effective July 1, 1987, a member does not include a "leased employee" as defined under Section 414(n)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended. Effective July 1, 1999, any individual who agrees with the participating employer that the individual's services are to be performed as a leased employee or

an independent contractor shall not be a member

regardless of any classification as a common-law

employee by the Internal Revenue Service or any other

governmental agency, or any court of competent

jurisdiction.

- c. All persons who shall be offered a position of a commissioned law enforcement officer as an employee of one of the agencies described in subparagraph a of this paragraph shall participate in the System only upon the person meeting the requisite post-offer-preemployment physical examination standards which shall be subject to the following requirements:
  - (1) all such persons shall be of good moral character, free from deformities, mental or physical conditions, or disease and alcohol or drug addiction which would prohibit the person from performing the duties of a law enforcement officer,
  - (2) the physical-medical examination shall pertain to age, sight, hearing, agility and other conditions the requirements of which shall be established by the Board,
  - (3) the person shall be required to meet the conditions of this subsection prior to the

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1 beginning of actual employment but after an offer of employment has been tendered by a 2 participating employer, 3 the Board shall have authority to deny or revoke (4)5 membership of any person submitting false information in such person's membership 6 application, and 7 (5) the Board shall have final authority in 8 9 determining eligibility for membership in the System, pursuant to the provisions of this 10 subsection; 11 7. 8. "Normal retirement date" means the date at which the 12 13 member is eligible to receive the unreduced payments of the member's accrued retirement benefit. Such date shall be the first day of the 14 month coinciding with or following the date the member: 15 completes twenty (20) years of vesting service, or 16 a. b. attains sixty-two (62) years of age with ten (10) 17 years of vesting service, or 18 attains sixty-two (62) years of age, if: 19 C. (1) the member has been transferred to this System 20 from the Oklahoma Public Employees Retirement 21 System on or after July 1, 1981, and 22 23 24

(2) the member would have been vested had the member continued to be a member of the Oklahoma Public Employees Retirement System.

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With respect to distributions under the System made for calendar years beginning on or after January 1, 2005, the System shall apply the minimum distribution incidental benefit requirements, incidental benefit requirements, and minimum distribution requirements of Section 401(a)(9) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, in accordance with the final regulations under Section 401(a)(9) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, including Treasury Regulations Sections 1.401(a)(9)-1 through 1.401(a)(9)-9; provided, that for individuals who attain seventy and one-half (70 1/2) years of age after December 31, 2019, but before January 1, 2023, such distributions shall take into account that "age 70 1/2" was stricken and "age 72" was inserted in Sections 401(a)(9)(B)(iv)(I), 401(a)(9)(C)(i)(I) and 401(a)(9)(C)(ii)(I) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, and, provided further, that for individuals who attain seventy-two (72) years of age after December 31, 2022, such distributions shall take into account that "age 72" was stricken and "the applicable age", as defined in Section 401(a)(9)(C)(v) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, was inserted in Section 401(a)(9)(B)(iv)(I), Section 401(a)(9)(C)(i)(I) and Section 401(a)(9)(C)(ii)(I) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, in all cases notwithstanding any

provision of the System to the contrary. With respect to distributions under the System made for calendar years beginning on or after January 1, 2001, through December 31, 2004, the System shall apply the minimum distribution requirements and incidental benefit requirements of Section 401(a)(9) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, in accordance with the regulations under Section 401(a)(9) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, which were proposed in January 2001, notwithstanding any provision of the System to the contrary.

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Effective July 1, 1989, notwithstanding any other provision contained herein to the contrary, in no event shall commencement of distribution of the accrued retirement benefit of a member be delayed beyond April 1 of the calendar year following the later of: (1) the calendar year in which the member reaches seventy and onehalf  $(70 \ 1/2)$  years of age for a member who attains this age before January 1, 2020, or, for a member who attains this age on or after January 1, 2020, but before January 1, 2023, the calendar year in which the member reaches seventy-two (72) years of age, or effective for distributions required to be made after December 31, 2022, the calendar year in which the member reaches seventy-three (73) years of age for an individual who attains age seventy-two (72) after December 31, 2022, or "the applicable age", as defined in Section 401(a)(9)(C)(v) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, if later; or (2) the actual retirement date of the member. A member

electing to defer the commencement of retirement benefits pursuant to Section 2-308.1 of this title may not defer the benefit commencement beyond the age of sixty-five (65).

Effective September 8, 2009, notwithstanding anything to the contrary of the System, the System, which as a governmental plan (within the meaning of Section 414(d) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended), is treated as having complied with Section 401(a)(9) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, for all years to which Section 401(a)(9) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, applies to the System if the System complies with a reasonable and good faith interpretation of Section 401(a)(9) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended.

A member who was required to join the System effective July 1, 1980, because of the transfer of the employing agency from the Oklahoma Public Employees Retirement System to the System, and was not a member of the Oklahoma Public Employees Retirement System on the date of such transfer shall be allowed to receive credit for prior law enforcement service rendered to this state, if the member is not receiving or eligible to receive retirement credit or benefits for such service in any other public retirement system, upon payment to the System of the employee contribution the member would have been subject to had the member been a member of the System at the time, plus five percent (5%) interest. Service credit received pursuant to this paragraph shall be used in determining the

member's retirement benefit, and shall be used in determining years of service for retirement or vesting purposes;

8. 9. "Actual paid base salary" means the salary received by a member, excluding payment for any accumulated leave or uniform allowance. Salary shall include any amount of nonelective salary reduction under Section 414(h) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986;

9. 10. "Final average salary" means the average of the highest thirty (30) consecutive complete months of actual paid gross salary. Gross salary shall include any amount of elective salary reduction under Section 457 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, and any amount of nonelective salary reduction under Section 414(h) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended. Effective July 1, 1992, gross salary shall include any amount of elective salary reduction under Section 125 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended. Effective July 1, 1998, gross salary shall include any

to reduce his or her regular cash remuneration under Section

132(f)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, shall be

treated as if the member did not make such an election. Only salary

on which required contributions have been made may be used in

amount of elective salary reduction not includable in the gross

income of the member under Section 132(f)(4) of the Internal Revenue

Code of 1986, as amended. Effective July 1, 1998, for purposes of

determining a member's compensation, any contribution by the member

computing the final average salary. Gross salary shall not include severance pay.

In addition to other applicable limitations, and notwithstanding 3 any other provision to the contrary, for plan years beginning on or 4 5 after July 1, 2002, the annual gross salary of each "Noneligible Member" taken into account under the System shall not exceed the 6 Economic Growth and Tax Relief Reconciliation Act of 2001 ("EGTRRA") 7 annual salary limit. The EGTRRA annual salary limit is Two Hundred 9 Thousand Dollars (\$200,000.00), as adjusted by the Commissioner for increases in the cost of living in accordance with Section 10 401(a)(17)(B) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended. 11 12 annual salary limit in effect for a calendar year applies to any period, not exceeding twelve (12) months, over which salary is 13 determined ("determination period") beginning in such calendar year. 14 If a determination period consists of fewer than twelve (12) months, 15 the EGTRRA salary limit will be multiplied by a fraction, the 16 numerator of which is the number of months in the determination 17 period, and the denominator of which is twelve (12). For purposes 18 of this section, a "Noneligible Member" is any member who first 19 became a member during a plan year commencing on or after July 1, 20 1996. 21

For plan years beginning on or after July 1, 2002, any reference in the System to the annual salary limit under Section 401(a)(17) of

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the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, shall mean the EGTRRA salary limit set forth in this provision.

Effective January 1, 2008, gross salary for a plan year shall also include gross salary, as described above, for services, but paid by the later of two and one-half (2 1/2) months after a member's severance from employment or the end of the calendar year that includes the date the member terminated employment, if it is a payment that, absent a severance from employment, would have been paid to the member while the member continued in employment with the employer.

Effective January 1, 2008, any payments not described above shall not be considered gross salary if paid after severance from employment, even if they are paid by the later of two and one-half (2 1/2) months after the date of severance from employment or the end of the calendar year that includes the date of severance from employment, except payments to an individual who does not currently perform services for the employer by reason of qualified military service within the meaning of Section 414(u)(5) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, to the extent these payments do not exceed the amounts the individual would have received if the individual had continued to perform services for the employer rather than entering qualified military service.

Effective January 1, 2008, back pay, within the meaning of Section 1.415(c)-2(g)(8) of the Income Tax Regulations, shall be

treated as gross salary for the limitation year to which the back pay relates to the extent the back pay represents wages and compensation that would otherwise be included in this definition. Effective for years beginning after December 31, 2008, gross salary shall also include differential wage payments under Section 414(u)(12) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended; 10. "Credited service" means the period of service used to determine the amount of benefits payable to a member. Credited service shall consist of the period during which the member participated in the System or the predecessor Plan as an active employee in an eligible membership classification, plus any service prior to the establishment of the predecessor Plan which was credited under the predecessor Plan and for law enforcement officers and criminalists of the Oklahoma State Bureau of Investigation and the Oklahoma State Bureau of Narcotics and Dangerous Drugs Control who became members of the System on July 1, 1980, any service credited under the Oklahoma Public Employees Retirement System as of June 30, 1980, and for members of the Communications and <del>Lake Patrol</del> Marine Enforcement Divisions of the Oklahoma Department of Public Safety, who became members of the System on July 1, 1981, any service credited under the predecessor Plan or the Oklahoma Public Employees Retirement System as of June 30, 1981, and for law enforcement officers of the Alcoholic Beverage Laws Enforcement Commission who became members of the System on July 1, 1982, any

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1 service credited under the Oklahoma Public Employees Retirement System as of June 30, 1982, and for park rangers of the Oklahoma 2 Tourism and Recreation Department who became members of the System 3 on July 1, 1985, any service credited under the Oklahoma Public 4 5 Employees Retirement System as of June 30, 1985, and for inspectors of the State Board of Pharmacy who became members of the System on 6 July 1, 1986, any service credited under the Oklahoma Public 7 Employees Retirement System as of June 30, 1986, for law enforcement 8 9 officers of the Oklahoma Capitol Patrol Division Section of the Department of Public Safety who became members of the System 10 effective July 1, 1993, any service credited under the Oklahoma 11 12 Public Employees Retirement System as of June 30, 1993, and for all 13 commissioned officers in the Gunsmith/Ammunition Reloader Division of the Department of Public Safety who became members of the System 14 effective July 1, 1994, any service credited under the Oklahoma 15 Public Employees Retirement System as of June 30, 1994, and for the 16 17 park managers or park supervisors of the Oklahoma Tourism and Recreation Department who were employed in such a position prior to 18 July 1, 1985, and who elect to become members of the System 19 effective September 1, 1996, any service transferred pursuant to 20 subsection C of Section 2-309.6 of this title and any service 21 purchased pursuant to subsection B of Section 2-307.2 of this title. 22 Effective August 5, 1993, an authorized leave of absence shall 23

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1 include a period of absence pursuant to the Family and Medical Leave 2 Act of 1993;

11. 12. "Disability" means a physical or mental condition which, in the judgment of the Board, totally and presumably permanently prevents the member from engaging in the usual and customary duties of the occupation of the member and thereafter prevents the member from performing the duties of any occupation or service for which the member is qualified by reason of training, education or experience. A person is not under a disability when capable of performing a service to the employer, regardless of occupation, providing the salary of the employee is not diminished thereby;

12. 13. "Limitation year" means the year used in applying the limitations of Section 415 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, which year shall be the calendar year;

13. 14. "Line of duty" means any action which a member whose primary function is crime control or reduction or enforcement of the criminal law is obligated or authorized by rule, regulations, condition of employment or service, or law to perform including those social, ceremonial or athletic functions to which the member is assigned, or for which the member is compensated, by the agency the member serves;

14. 15. "Personal injury" or "injury" means any traumatic injury as well as diseases which are caused by or result from such an injury, but not occupational diseases;

- 15. 16. "Catastrophic nature" means consequences of an injury that permanently prevent an individual from performing any gainful work;
- 16. 17. "Traumatic injury" means a wound or a condition of the body caused by external force including injuries inflicted by bullets, explosives, sharp instruments, blunt objects or other physical blows, chemicals, electricity, climatic conditions, infectious diseases, radiation and bacteria, but excluding stress and strain; and
- 17. 18. "Beneficiary" means the individual designated by the member on a beneficiary designation form supplied by the Oklahoma Law Enforcement Retirement System, or, if there is no designated beneficiary or if the designated beneficiary predeceases the member, the estate of the member. If the member's spouse is not designated as the sole primary beneficiary, the member's spouse must sign a consent; and
- 19. "Law enforcement support staff" means those employees of participating employers that directly support CLEET-certified law enforcement officers, including but not limited to analysts and communications staff.

SECTION 2. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 2-309.9 of Title 47, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:

- A. 1. On or before November 1, 2024, a participating employer of the Oklahoma Law Enforcement Retirement System may make an irrevocable written election to include designated law enforcement support staff hired on or after the effective date of the election as members of the System. Inclusion of law enforcement support staff in an election made under this section shall only be to the extent that such staff position is not already designated as eligible for membership in the System.
- 2. A participating employer wishing to make an election under this subsection shall provide written notice of the election to the System within seven (7) days of the employer making such election. The effective date of the election shall be the first day of the month following the date that the System receives written notice from the participating employer.
- B. Beginning on the effective date of an election under subsection A of this section, the participating employer and law enforcement support staff at the subject of an election shall participate in and make contributions to the System as other participating employers and members of the System. Following such election, no contributions shall be made by or on behalf of law enforcement support staff to any plan offered by the Oklahoma Public

Employees Retirement System, or, in the case of the Department of
Wildlife Conservation, any retirement plan under Section 401(a) of
the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, sponsored or
maintained by the Department of Wildlife Conservation.

- C. In no event shall any employee who is at the subject of an election made pursuant to subsection A of this section be permitted, directly or indirectly, to influence the potential election of a participating member agency.
- SECTION 3. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 2-309.10 of Title 47, unless there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows:
- A. 1. On or before November 1, 2024, the Department of Wildlife Conservation may make an irrevocable election to include law enforcement game wardens who are certified by the Council on Law Enforcement Education and Training (CLEET) and who are hired by the Department on or after the effective date of such election, to participate in and make contributions to the Oklahoma Law Enforcement Retirement System as other participating employers of the System.
- 2. The Department shall provide written notice of the election to the System within seven (7) days of the date that the election is made. The effective date of the election shall be the first day of the month following the date that the System receives written notice of the election from the Department.

- 1 B. On and after the effective date of an election made under 2 subsection A of this section, the Department and the CLEET-certified 3 law enforcement game wardens designated in the election shall participate in and make contributions to the System as other 4 5 participating employers and members of the System. Such employees shall not make contributions to any plan offered by the Oklahoma 6 Public Employees Retirement System or any retirement plan under 7 Section 401(a) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended, 8 9 which is sponsored or maintained by the Department of Wildlife Conservation. 10
- 11 C. In no event shall any employee who is at the subject of an
  12 election made pursuant to subsection A of this section be permitted,
  13 directly or indirectly, to influence the potential election of the
  14 Department.
- 15 SECTION 4. AMENDATORY 62 O.S. 2021, Section 3103, as
  16 last amended by Section 1, Chapter 306, O.S.L. 2022 (62 O.S. Supp.
  17 2023, Section 3103), is amended to read as follows:
- Section 3103. As used in the Oklahoma Pension Legislation

  19 Actuarial Analysis Act:

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1. "Amendment" means any amendment, including a substitute
bill, made to a retirement bill by any committee of the House of
Representatives or Senate, any conference committee of the House or
Senate or by the House or Senate;

2. "RB number" means that number preceded by the letters "RB" assigned to a retirement bill by the respective staffs of the Oklahoma State Senate and the Oklahoma House of Representatives when the respective staff office prepares a retirement bill for a member of the Legislature;

- 3. "Legislative Actuary" means the firm or entity that enters into a contract with the Legislative Service Bureau pursuant to Section 452.15 of Title 74 of the Oklahoma Statutes to provide the actuarial services and other duties provided for in the Oklahoma Pension Legislation Actuarial Analysis Act;
- 4. "Nonfiscal amendment" means an amendment to a retirement bill having a fiscal impact, which amendment does not change any factor of an actuarial investigation specified in subsection A of Section 3109 of this title;
  - 5. "Nonfiscal retirement bill" means a retirement bill:
    - a. which does not affect the cost or funding factors of a retirement system,
    - b. which affects such factors only in a manner which does not:
      - (1) grant a benefit increase under the retirement system affected by the bill,
      - (2) create an actuarial accrued liability for or increase the actuarial accrued liability of the retirement system affected by the bill, or

1 (3) increase the normal cost of the retirement system 2 affected by the bill,

- c. which authorizes the purchase by an active member of the retirement system, at the actuarial cost for the purchase as computed pursuant to the statute in effect on the effective date of the measure allowing such purchase, of years of service for purposes of reaching a normal retirement date in the applicable retirement system, but which cannot be used in order to compute the number of years of service for purposes of computing the retirement benefit for the member,
- d. which provides for the computation of a serviceconnected disability retirement benefit for members of the Oklahoma Law Enforcement Retirement System pursuant to Section 2-305 of Title 47 of the Oklahoma Statutes if the members were unable to complete twenty (20) years of service as a result of the disability,
- e. which requires membership in the defined benefit plan authorized by Section 901 et seq. of Title 74 of the Oklahoma Statutes for persons whose first elected or appointed service occurs on or after November 1, 2018, if such persons had any prior service in the Oklahoma Public Employees Retirement System prior to November 1, 2015,

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f. which provides for a one-time increase in retirement benefits if the increase in retirement benefits is not a permanent increase in the gross annual retirement benefit payable to a member or beneficiary, occurs only once pursuant to a single statutory authorization and does not exceed:

- (1) the lesser of two percent (2%) of the gross annual retirement benefit of the member or One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) and requires that the benefit may only be provided if the funded ratio of the affected retirement system would not be less than sixty percent (60%) but not greater than eighty percent (80%) after the benefit increase is paid,
- (2) the lesser of two percent (2%) of the gross annual retirement benefit of the member or One Thousand Two Hundred Dollars (\$1,200.00) and requires that the benefit may only be provided if the funded ratio of the affected retirement system would be greater than eighty percent (80%) but not greater than one hundred percent (100%) after the benefit increase is paid,
- (3) the lesser of two percent (2%) of the gross annual retirement benefit of the member or One

Thousand Four Hundred Dollars (\$1,400.00) and requires that the benefit may only be provided if the funded ratio of the affected retirement system would be greater than one hundred percent (100%) after the benefit increase is paid, or

(4) the greater of two percent (2%) of the gross annual retirement benefit of the volunteer firefighter or One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00) for persons who retired from the Oklahoma Firefighters Pension and Retirement System as volunteer firefighters and who did not retire from the Oklahoma Firefighters Pension and Retirement System as a paid firefighter.

As used in this subparagraph, "funded ratio" means the figure derived by dividing the actuarial value of assets of the applicable retirement system by the actuarial accrued liability of the applicable retirement system,

g. which modifies the disability pension standard for police officers who are members of the Oklahoma Police Pension and Retirement System as provided by Section 3 of this act Section 50-115 of Title 11 of the Oklahoma Statutes,

1	h.	which provides a cost-of-living benefit increase
2		pursuant to the provisions of:
3		(1) Section 49-143.7 of Title 11 of the Oklahoma
4		Statutes,
5		(2) Section 50-136.9 of Title 11 of the Oklahoma
6		Statutes,
7		(3) Section 1104K of Title 20 of the Oklahoma
8		Statutes,
9		(4) Section 2-305.12 of Title 47 of the Oklahoma
10		Statutes,
11		(5) Section 17-116.22 of Title 70 of the Oklahoma
12		Statutes,
13		(6) Section 930.11 of Title 74 of the Oklahoma
14		Statutes, <del>or</del>
15	i.	which modifies the computation of the line-of-duty
16		disability benefit pursuant to the provisions of this
17		act this section and Sections 50-101 and 50-115 of
18		Title 11 of the Oklahoma Statutes,
19	<u>j.</u>	which authorizes membership in the Oklahoma Law
20		Enforcement Retirement System for law enforcement
21		support staff of participating employers of the System
22		pursuant to Section 2 of this act, or
23	<u>k.</u>	which authorizes membership in the Oklahoma Law
24		Enforcement Retirement System for law enforcement game

wardens of the Department of Wildlife Conservation who
are certified by the Council on Law Enforcement

Education and Training (CLEET) pursuant to an election
made under Section 3 of this act.

A nonfiscal retirement bill shall include any retirement bill that has as its sole purpose the appropriation or distribution or redistribution of monies in some manner to a retirement system for purposes of reducing the unfunded liability of such system or the earmarking of a portion of the revenue from a tax to a retirement system or increasing the percentage of the revenue earmarked from a tax to a retirement system;

- 6. "Reduction-in-cost amendment" means an amendment to a retirement bill having a fiscal impact which reduces the cost of the bill as such cost is determined by the actuarial investigation for the bill prepared pursuant to Section 3109 of this title;
- 7. "Retirement bill" means any bill or joint resolution introduced or any bill or joint resolution amended by a member of the Oklahoma Legislature which creates or amends any law directly affecting a retirement system. A retirement bill shall not mean a bill or resolution that impacts the revenue of any state tax in which a portion of the revenue generated from such tax is earmarked for the benefit of a retirement system;

8. "Retirement bill having a fiscal impact" means any retirement bill creating or establishing a retirement system and any other retirement bill other than a nonfiscal retirement bill; and

- 9. "Retirement system" means the Teachers' Retirement System of Oklahoma, the Oklahoma Public Employees Retirement System, the Uniform Retirement System for Justices and Judges, the Oklahoma Firefighters Pension and Retirement System, the Oklahoma Police Pension and Retirement System, the Oklahoma Law Enforcement Retirement System, or a retirement system established after January 1, 2006.
- SECTION 5. It being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health or 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.

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