

(c) (1) This subsection applies to a member OF THE EMPLOYEES' PENSION SYSTEM OR TEACHERS' PENSION SYSTEM WHO IS SUBJECT TO THE NONCONTRIBUTORY PENSION BENEFIT AND who was on authorized leave of absence at partial pay or without pay during the last 3 years of employment as a member.

(2) If the period used to determine average final compensation is the period that immediately precedes the date of retirement or other separation from employment, the Board of Trustees:

(i) may not include in the computation of average final compensation the period of months of the leave of absence, not exceeding 12, that otherwise would be included in the computation; and

(ii) shall substitute an equal number of months immediately preceding that period.

21-305.5.

(a) (1) In this section the following words have the meanings indicated.

(2) "Complement of the participant funding ratio" is a ratio equal to 100% minus the participant funding ratio, and may not be less than zero.

(3) "Employees' systems" means the Employees' Pension System and the Employees' Retirement System.

(4) "Noncontributory participating governmental unit" means a participating governmental unit that did not elect to provide its employees with the contributory pension benefit [under Title 23 of this article] OR THE ALTERNATE CONTRIBUTORY PENSION SELECTION as provided in § 31-116 of this article.

(5) "Noncontributory system funding ratio" means the ratio determined by the actuary as provided under subsection (e) of this section.

(6) "Participant funding ratio" means the ratio determined under subsection (d) of this section.

(7) "Transition amount" means the amount determined by the actuary as provided under subsection (i) of this section.

(d) (1) This subsection applies to a participating governmental unit that elected to provide its employees with the contributory pension benefit [under Title 23 of this article] OR THE ALTERNATE CONTRIBUTORY PENSION SELECTION as provided in § 31-116 of this article.