

ONE HUNDRED AND NINTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

H. P. 774 House of Representatives, March 5, 1979 Referred to the Committee on Aging, Retirement and Veterans. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

Presented by Mr. Paradis of Augusta.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED SEVENTY-NINE

AN ACT Concerning Retirement Benefits Under the Maine State Retirement System.

Be it enacted by the People of the State of Maine, as follows:

5 MRSA § 1092, sub-§ 3, as amended by PL 1975, c. 622, §§ 22 and 23, is further amended to read:

3. Retirement benefit for policemen, fire fighters, local district employees, sheriffs and full-time deputy sheriffs. Any participating local district, by filing with the board of trustees a duly certified copy of its action, may provide a retirement benefit for policemen, fire fighters, sheriffs and full-time deputy sheriffs or any other participating local district employees, in lieu of the retirement benefits otherwise provided in this chapter for these employees, of $\frac{1}{2}$ average final compensation, after having completed 20 to 25 years of service or a retirement age of 50 to 60 years.

STATEMENT OF FACT

This bill will allow the participating local districts to provide for a lower retirement age if they so desire.

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EDWIN H. PERT, Clerk