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STATE OF MAINE  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
102ND LEGISLATURE

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT "A" to H. P. 369, L. D. 471, Bill, "An Act Relating to Retirement Benefits for Fish and Game Wardens and Coastal Wardens Under State Retirement System."

Amend said Bill, in section 1, by striking out all of the last underlined paragraph and inserting in place thereof the following:

" 'Anything to the contrary notwithstanding, each warden in the Department of Inland Fisheries and Game and each warden in the Department of Sea and Shore Fisheries shall, beginning the first full week after the effective date of this Act, make an 8% contribution of earnable compensation to the retirement system as long as he is employed as a warden.' "

Further amend said Bill, in section 2, by striking out all of the last underlined paragraph and inserting in place thereof the following:

" 'D. Any law enforcement officer in the Department of Inland Fisheries and Game and any law enforcement officer in the Department of Sea and Shore Fisheries may retire at attained age 50 or upon completion of 25 years of total creditable service as a law enforcement officer in the Department of Inland Fisheries and Game or a law enforcement officer in the Department of Sea and Shore Fisheries, whichever is the later. Retirement shall be compulsory at the attainment of age 60. Except that any law enforcement officer in the Department of Inland Fisheries and Game and any law enforcement officer in the Department of Sea and Shore Fisheries who will not attain the 25 years of creditable service at age 60 may be permitted to continue in his employment until age 63 in order to obtain the 25 years of creditable service necessary. The total amount of the service retirement allowance of a law enforcement officer retired in accordance with this paragraph shall be equal to 1/2 of his current annual salary.' "

Reported by the Committee on Retirements and Pensions.

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