

STATE OF MAINE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 102ND LEGISLATURE FIRST SPECIAL SESSION

HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" to S.P. 673, L. D. 1711, Bill, "An Act Relating to Credit for Military Service under State Retirement Law."

Amend said Bill by striking out everything after the amending clause and inserting in place thereof the following:

'13. Military service credit. Anything to the contrary notwithstanding, military service shall be credited to all state employees who are unable to otherwise qualify for military service credits. A state employee shall be entitled to this credit only if at point of retirement he shall have at least 15 years of membership service in the State Retirement System. The member shall contribute to the retirement system for each year of military service claimed 5% of the earnable compensation paid such member during the first year of state employment subsequent to service in the Armed Forces. Credit for military service under this subsection shall be limited to 4 years. Such credit shall be available to those persons who were separated under conditions other than dishonorable from the Armed Forces of the United States.

It is the intent that these provisions shall apply to all persons, active or retired, but that for those already retired the effective date of any adjustment shall be dot earlier then that date on which such time or credit is certified to the Maine State Retirement System.'

Filed by Mr. Pendergast of Kennebunkport.

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