

ONE HUNDRED AND THIRD LEGISLATURE

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S. P. 234 In Senate, February 2, 1967 Referred to Committee on Retirements and Pensions. Sent down for concurrence and ordered printed.

JERROLD B. SPEERS, Secretary Presented by Senator Curtis of Penobscot.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED SIXTY-SEVEN

AN ACT to Permit Executive Council Services as Credit for Members of State Retirement System.

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

Sec. 1. R. S., T. 5, § 1001, sub-§ 10, amended. The first sentence of subsection 10 of section 1001 of Title 5 of the Revised Statutes, as amended by section 1 of chapter 339 and by section 7 of chapter 513, both of the public laws of 1965, is further amended to read as follows:

"Employee" shall mean any regular classified or unclassified officer or employee in a department, including teachers in the state colleges and for the purposes of this chapter, teachers in the public schools, but shall not include any members of the Council or any Justice of the Superior Court or Supreme Judicial Court who is now or may be later entitled to retirement benefits under Title 4, section 5, and Title 4, section 103, nor shall it include any Judge of the District Court who is now or may be later entitled to retirement benefits under Title 4, chapter 5, nor shall it include any member of the State Police who is now entitled to retirement benefits under Title 25, chapter 195.

Sec. 2. R. S., T. 5, § 1094, sub-§ 3, amended. The last paragraph of subsection 3 of section 1094 of the Revised Statutes, as enacted by section 2 of chapter 339 of the public laws of 1965, is amended to read as follows:

Any member who has served as a member of either the House of Representatives or the Senate, or as a member of the Excutive Council of the State of Maine, shall be entitled to receive the appropriate creditable service for such legislative or Executive Council service. Any member of the retirement system who does serve as a member of the House of Representatives or the Senate, or as a member of the Executive Council, shall have deductions taken from his salaries and shall be entitled to all applicable rights and benefits of this Title. Any such member shall become entitled to receive time credits for the duration of his election or until such time as he shall officially resign from the House of Representatives or the Senate, or as a member of the Executive Council, but in no instance shall he receive more than one year of creditable service in any one-year of period.