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# ONE HUNDRED AND THIRD LEGISLATURE

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JERROLD B. SPEERS, Secretary

Presented by Senator Boisvert of Androscoggin.

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## STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED  
SIXTY-SEVEN

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### **AN ACT Relating to Retirement Benefits for Policemen and Firemen of the Lewiston Police and Fire Departments Under the State Retirement System.**

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

**P. & S. L., 1939, c. 8, Art. XVI, § 21-B, additional.** Article XVI of chapter 8 of the private and special laws of 1939, as amended, is further amended by adding a new section 21-B. to read as follows:

**Sec. 21-B. Retirement benefits for policemen and firemen under State Retirement System.** Notwithstanding other provisions of this charter to the contrary, policemen of the Lewiston police department and firemen of the Lewiston fire department who now are or hereafter become members of the Maine State Retirement System, shall become entitled on and after January 2, 1968 to the retirement benefits as provided in the Revised Statutes of 1964, Title 5, section 1092, subsection 3, except that the number of years of completed service shall be set at 25 years of such service in either department; provided that the last sentence of said section 1092, subsection 3, shall be of no force and effect, since the City of Lewiston has accepted that provision known as "cost of living for retired persons" as set forth in the Revised Statutes of 1964, Title 5, section 1128 whereby retirement allowances are automatically adjusted when general salary adjustments are granted; and it is intended that said section 1128 shall govern.

The finance board and city council of the City of Lewiston shall perform all acts, file all certifications, furnish all statements of data and agreements as are necessary or required by the administrators or trustees of the Maine State Retirement System, or both, to implement the effect of this section.