

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 1656

H. P. 1205

House of Representatives, March 17, 1971

Referred to Committee on Veterans and Retirement. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

BERTHA W. JOHNSON, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Cooney of Webster.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SEVENTY-ONE

AN ACT Relating to State Retirement for Participating Local Districts.

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

R. S., T. 5, § 1092, sub-§ 14, additional. Section 1092 of Title 5 of the Revised Statutes, as amended, is further amended by adding a new subsection 14 to read as follows:

14. Request by employee of local districts. Upon receipt of a written request for coverage under the Maine State Retirement System by an employee of any employing unit under subsection 1, the board of selectmen, city council or any administrative body of the employing unit shall take such action as is necessary to obtain cost and benefit information. The request and information obtained shall be presented to the next regular meeting of the legislative body of the employing unit for such action as may be required under subsection 1 to become a participating district and for its employees to be eligible to any or all benefits elected by said employing unit and available under the Retirement System.

STATEMENT OF FACT

This bill requires a town, city or other body to look into and vote upon State retirement benefits when so requested by an employee.