

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTH LEGISLATURE

Legislative Document

No. 1931

H. P. 1500

House of Representatives, May 11, 1973

Approved by a Majority of the Committee on Reference of Bills pursuant to Joint Rule No. 10. Referred to Committee on Veterans and Retirement. Sent up for concurrence and ordered printed.

E. LOUISE LINCOLN, Clerk

Presented by Mr. Dudley of Enfield.

STATE OF MAINE

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD NINETEEN HUNDRED
SEVENTY-THREE

RESOLVE, Providing a Member of the Maine State Retirement System with a Minimum of 10 Years Creditable Service.

Emergency preamble. Whereas, Acts and resolves of the Legislature do not become effective until 90 days after adjournment unless enacted as emergencies; and

Whereas, the Revised Statutes, Title 5, section 1121 provides that a member of the State Retirement System may retire if he has at least 10 years of creditable service; and

Whereas, the member, Mrs. Edvia M. Cosseboom, has as of June 30, 1973, 9 years, 4 months and 20 days of creditable service; and

Whereas, the member finds it necessary as a result of a major illness to retire on June 30, 1973; and

Whereas, the following legislation is vitally necessary to provide the member with a minimum standard of living; and

Whereas, in the judgment of the Legislature, these facts create an emergency within the meaning of the Constitution of Maine and require the following legislation as immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety; now, therefore, be it

Mrs. Edvia M. Cosseboom; creditable teaching service. Resolved: That notwithstanding any other provisions of law, the Maine State Retirement System is directed to credit Mrs. Edvia M. Cosseboom with a minimum of 10

years of service, thereby permitting her to receive the minimum retirement benefit as provided under the State Retirement Law; and be it further

Resolved: That there is appropriated from the Unappropriated Surplus of the General Fund to the Maine State Retirement System the sum of \$5,720.57 to carry out the purposes of this resolve.

Emergency clause. In view of the emergency cited in the preamble, this resolve shall take effect when approved.

STATEMENT OF FACT

Mrs. Edvia Cosseboom has been the secretary to the Superintendent of Maine School Union 90. Because of a major illness, Mrs. Cosseboom will be forced to retire before accumulating 10 years of creditable state service. The purpose of this bill is to provide Mrs. Cosseboom with minimum retirement benefits.