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103RD GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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AN ACT

To repeal sections 57.280, 57.952, 57.955, 57.961, 57.962, 57.967, 70.630, 70.655, 70.680, 70.690, 70.745, 70.746, 70.747, 86.200, 87.140, 87.145, 87.155, 87.260, 87.350, 105.688, 143.124, 221.105, 483.088, 488.024, and 488.435, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof twenty-four new sections relating to retirement.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Missouri, as follows:

Section A. Sections 57.280, 57.952, 57.955, 57.961,

- 2 57.962, 57.967, 70.630, 70.655, 70.680, 70.690, 70.745, 70.746,
- **3** 70.747, 86.200, 87.140, 87.145, 87.155, 87.260, 87.350,
- 4 105.688, 143.124, 221.105, 483.088, 488.024, and 488.435, RSMo,
- 5 are repealed and twenty-four new sections enacted in lieu
- 6 thereof, to be known as sections 57.280, 57.952, 57.961, 57.967,
- **7** 70.630, 70.655, 70.680, 70.690, 70.745, 70.746, 70.747, 70.748,
- **8** 86.200, 87.140, 87.145, 87.155, 87.260, 87.350, 105.688,
- 9 105.692, 105.693, 143.124, 221.105, and 488.435, to read as
- 10 follows:
 - 57.280. 1. Sheriffs shall receive a charge for
- 2 service of any summons, writ, or other order of court, in
- 3 connection with any civil case, and making on the same
- 4 either a return indicating service, a non est return or a
- 5 nulla bona return, the sum of twenty dollars for each item
- 6 to be served, except that a sheriff shall receive a charge
- 7 for service of any subpoena, and making a return on the

EXPLANATION-Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in this bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted in the law.

same, the sum of ten dollars; however, no such charge shall 8 be collected in any proceeding when [court] costs for 9 10 service are to be paid by the state, county, or municipality. In addition to such charge, the sheriff shall 11 12 be entitled to receive for each mile actually traveled in 13 serving any summons, writ, subpoena, or other order of court 14 the rate prescribed by the Internal Revenue Service for all 15 allowable expenses for motor vehicle use expressed as an amount per mile, provided that such mileage shall not be 16 17 charged for more than one subpoena or summons or other writ served in the same cause on the same trip. All of such 18 charges shall be received by the sheriff who is requested to 19 perform the service. Except as otherwise provided by law, 20 21 all charges made pursuant to this section shall be collected 22 by the [court clerk as court costs] sheriff's office responsible for service and are payable prior to the time 23 24 the service is rendered; provided that if the amount of such charge cannot be readily determined, then the sheriff shall 25 receive a deposit based upon the likely amount of such 26 charge, and the balance of such charge shall be payable 27 immediately upon ascertainment of the proper amount of said 28 29 charge. A sheriff may refuse to perform any service in any 30 action or proceeding, other than when [court] costs for 31 service are waived as provided by law, until the charge provided by this section is paid. Failure to receive the 32 33 charge shall not affect the validity of the service. The sheriff shall receive for receiving and paying 34 moneys on execution or other process, where lands or goods 35 have been levied and advertised and sold, five percent on 36 37 five hundred dollars and four percent on all sums above five hundred dollars, and half of these sums, when the money is 38 39 paid to the sheriff without a levy, or where the lands or

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40 goods levied on shall not be sold and the money is paid to 41 the sheriff or person entitled thereto, his agent or 42 attorney. The party at whose application any writ, execution, subpoena, or other process has issued from the 43 court shall pay the sheriff's costs for the removal, 44 45 transportation, storage, safekeeping and support of any 46 property to be seized pursuant to legal process before such 47 seizure. The sheriff shall be allowed for each mile, going and returning from the courthouse of the county in which he 48 49 resides to the place where the court is held, the rate prescribed by the Internal Revenue Service for all allowable 50

expenses for motor vehicle use expressed as an amount per

mile. The provisions of this subsection shall not apply to

- 54 The sheriff upon the receipt of the charge herein 55 provided for shall pay into the treasury of the county any and all charges received pursuant to the provisions of this 56 section. The funds collected pursuant to this section, not 57 to exceed [fifty] seventy-five thousand dollars in any 58 calendar year, shall be held in a fund established by the 59 county treasurer, which may be expended at the discretion of 60 the sheriff for the furtherance of the sheriff's set 61 duties. Any such funds in excess of [fifty] seventy-five 62 thousand dollars in any calendar year shall be placed to the 63 credit of the general revenue fund of the county. Moneys in 64 65 the fund shall be used only for the procurement of services and equipment to support the operation of the sheriff's 66 office. Moneys in the fund established pursuant to this 67 subsection shall not lapse to the county general revenue 68 69 fund at the end of any county budget or fiscal year.
 - 4. **(1)** Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection 3 of this section to the contrary, [the sheriff shall receive

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ten dollars] for service of any summons, writ, subpoena, or 72 73 other order of the court included under subsection 1 of this 74 section, in addition to the charge for such service that each sheriff receives under subsection 1 of this section, 75 the sheriff of any county of the first, second, or fourth 76 77 classification or with a charter form of government shall receive twenty dollars and the sheriff of any county of the 78 79 third classification shall receive fifteen dollars. 80 money received by the sheriff under this subsection shall be 81 paid into the county treasury and the county treasurer shall make such money payable to the state treasurer. 82

For any moneys received by the state treasurer (2) from the county treasurer of any county of the first, second, or fourth classification or with a charter form of government, the state treasurer shall deposit ten dollars of such moneys in the deputy sheriff salary supplementation fund created under section 57.278 and five dollars of such moneys in the sheriffs' retirement fund created under section 57.952, except that any moneys received from a county that does not have a sheriff that participates in the sheriffs' retirement system authorized by sections 57.949 to 57.997 shall be deposited in full in the deputy sheriff supplementation fund. Any other person specially appointed to serve in a county shall execute and deliver to the circuit clerk, along with the confirmation of service, a signed and notarized affidavit of confirmation, made under penalty of perjury, that includes the amount, check number, and date of payment to evidence payment was made to the sheriff for the deputy sheriff salary supplementation fund and the sheriffs' retirement fund as required by this subsection.

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- For any moneys received by the state treasurer (3) from the county treasurer of any county of the third classification, the state treasurer shall deposit ten dollars of such moneys in the deputy sheriff salary supplementation fund created under section 57.278 and five dollars of such moneys in the sheriffs' retirement fund created under section 57.952, except that any moneys received from a county that does not have a sheriff that participates in the sheriffs' retirement system authorized by sections 57.949 to 57.997 shall be deposited in full in the deputy sheriff supplementation fund. Any other person specially appointed to serve in a county shall execute and deliver to the circuit clerk, along with the confirmation of service, a signed and notarized affidavit of confirmation, made under penalty of perjury, that includes the amount, check number, and date of payment to evidence payment was made to the sheriff for the deputy sheriff salary supplementation fund and the sheriffs' retirement fund as required by this subsection.
- 5. Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection 3 of 122 this section, the court clerk shall collect ten dollars as a 123 court cost for service of any summons, writ, subpoena, or 124 other order of the court included under subsection 1 of this 125 126 section if any person other than a sheriff is specially appointed to serve in a county that receives funds under 127 section 57.278. The moneys received by the court clerk 128 129 under this subsection shall be paid into the county treasury and the county treasurer shall make such moneys payable to 130 the state treasurer. The state treasurer shall deposit such 131 132 moneys in the deputy sheriff salary supplementation fund created under section 57.278. 133

- 134 6. Sheriffs shall receive up to fifty dollars for 135 service of any summons, writ, or other order of the court in 136 connection with any eviction proceeding, in addition to the charge for such service that each sheriff receives under 137 this section. All of such charges shall be received by the 138 139 sheriff who is requested to perform the service and shall be paid to the county treasurer in a fund established by the 140 141 county treasurer, which may be expended at the discretion of the sheriff for the furtherance of the sheriff's set 142 143 duties. All charges shall be payable prior to the time the service is rendered; provided that if the amount of such 144 charge cannot be readily determined, then the sheriff shall 145 146 receive a deposit based upon the likely amount of such 147 charge, and the balance of such charge shall be payable 148 immediately upon ascertainment of the proper amount of said 149 charge.
- 57.952. 1. There is hereby authorized a "Sheriffs' 2 Retirement Fund" which shall be under the management of [a] the board [of directors] as described in section 57.958. 3 The board [of directors] shall be responsible for the 4 5 administration and the investment of the funds of such 6 sheriffs' retirement fund. The general assembly and the 7 governing body of a county may appropriate funds for deposit 8 in the sheriffs' retirement fund. [If insufficient funds are generated to provide the benefits payable pursuant to 9 the provisions of sections 57.949 to 57.997, the board shall 10 proportion the benefits according to the funds available.] 11
- 2. The board may accept gifts, donations, grants, and
 bequests from public or private sources to the sheriffs'
 retirement fund.
- 15 3. Each county shall make the payroll deductions for 16 member contributions mandated under section 57.961, and the

- 17 county shall transmit such moneys to the board for deposit
- 18 into the sheriffs' retirement fund.
- 57.961. 1. On and after the effective date of the
- 2 establishment of the system, as an incident to his or her
- 3 employment or continued employment, each person employed as
- 4 an elected or appointed sheriff of a county shall become a
- 5 member of the system. Such membership shall continue as
- 6 long as the person continues to be an employee, or receives
- 7 or is eligible to receive benefits under the provisions of
- 8 sections 57.949 to 57.997.
- 9 2. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the
- 10 contrary, each person who is a member of the system on or
- 11 after January 1, 2024, shall be required to contribute five
- 12 percent of the member's pay to the [retirement] system.
- 13 Such contribution shall be made by the member of the system
- 14 notwithstanding that the minimum salary or wages provided by
- 15 law for any member shall thereby be changed. Each member
- 16 shall be deemed to consent and agree to the deduction made
- 17 and provided for herein. Payment of a member's compensation
- 18 less such deduction shall be a full and complete discharge
- 19 and acquittance of all claims and demands whatsoever for
- 20 services rendered by him or her to a county, except as to
- 21 benefits provided by this system.
- 22 3. The county employer, pursuant to the provisions of
- 23 26 U.S.C. Section 414(h)(2), shall pick up and pay the
- 24 contributions that would otherwise be payable by the member
- 25 under this section. The officer or officers responsible for
- 26 making up the payrolls for each county shall cause the
- 27 contribution provided for in this section to be deducted
- 28 from the compensation of the member in the employ of the
- 29 county, on each and every payroll, for each and every
- 30 payroll to the date his or her membership terminates. When

- 31 deducted, each contribution shall be paid by the county to
- 32 the system; the payments shall be made in the manner and
- 33 shall be accompanied by such supporting data as the board
- 34 shall from time to time prescribe. When paid to the system,
- 35 each of the contributions shall be credited to the member
- 36 from whose compensation the contributions were deducted.
- 37 The contributions so deducted shall be treated as [employee]
- 38 employer contributions for purposes of determining the
- 39 member's pay that is includable in the member's gross income
- 40 for federal income tax purposes.
- 4. Member contributions [deducted and paid into the
- 42 system by the county] picked up by the employer shall be
- 43 paid from the same source of funds used for the payment of
- 44 pay to a member. A deduction shall be made from each
- 45 member's pay equal to the amount of the member's
- 46 contributions picked up by the employer. This deduction,
- 47 however, shall not reduce the member's pay for purposes of
- 48 computing benefits under the [retirement] system under this
- 49 chapter.
- 5. The contributions, although designated as employee
- 51 contributions, shall be paid by the county in lieu of the
- 52 contributions by the member. The member shall not have the
- 53 option of choosing to receive the contributed amounts
- 54 directly instead of having them paid by the county to the
- 55 [retirement] system.
- 6. A former member who is not vested may request a
- 57 refund of his or her contributions. Such refund shall be
- 58 paid by the system after ninety days from the date of
- 59 termination of employment or the request, whichever is
- 60 later, and shall include all contributions made to any
- 61 retirement plan administered by the system.

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- 7. Beginning September 1, 1986, any city not within a 62 county and any county having a charter form of government 63 may elect, by a majority vote of its governing body, to come 64 under the provisions of sections 57.949 to 57.997 [except 65 for the provisions of section 57.955]. Notice in writing of 66 67 such election shall be given to the board, and the person employed as sheriff of such county, as an incident of his 68 69 contract of employment or continued employment, shall become 70 a member of the system on the first day of the month 71 immediately following the date the board receives notice. 72 Such membership shall continue as long as the person continues to be an employee, or receives or is eligible to 73 receive benefits under the provisions of sections 57.949 to 74 75 57.997, and upon becoming a member he shall receive credit
- 8. Subject to the limitations under sections 57.949 to 57.997, the board shall have the authority to formulate and adopt rules and regulations for the administration of these provisions.

for all prior service as if he had become a member on

- 57.967. 1. The normal annuity of a retired member

 shall equal two percent of the final average compensation of

 the retired member multiplied by the number of years of

 creditable service of the retired member, except that the

 normal annuity shall not exceed seventy-five percent of the

 retired member's average final compensation. Such annuity

 shall be not less than one thousand dollars per month.
- 2. The board, at its last meeting of each calendar year, shall determine the monthly amount for medical insurance premiums to be paid to each retired member during the next following calendar year. The monthly amount shall not exceed four hundred fifty dollars. The monthly payments

- 13 are at the discretion of the board on the advice of the
- 14 actuary. The anticipated sum of all such payments during
- 15 the year plus the annual normal cost plus the annual amount
- 16 to amortize the unfunded actuarial accrued liability in no
- 17 more than thirty years shall not exceed the anticipated
- 18 moneys credited to the system pursuant to [sections] section
- 19 57.952 [and 57.955]. The money amount granted here shall
- 20 not be continued to any survivor.
- 3. If a member with eight or more years of service
- 22 dies before becoming eligible for retirement, the member's
- 23 surviving spouse, if he or she has been married to the
- 24 member for at least two years prior to the member's death,
- 25 shall be entitled to survivor benefits under option 1 as set
- 26 forth in section 57.979 as if the member had retired on the
- 27 date of the member's death. The member's monthly benefit
- 28 shall be calculated as the member's accrued benefit at his
- or her death reduced by one-fourth of one percent per month
- 30 for an early commencement from the member's normal
- 31 retirement date: age fifty-five with twelve or more years
- 32 of creditable service or age sixty-two with eight years of
- 33 creditable service, to the member's date of death. Such
- 34 benefit shall be payable on the first day of the month
- 35 following the member's death and shall be payable during the
- 36 surviving spouse's lifetime.
 - 70.630. 1. The membership of the system shall include
- the following persons:
- 3 (1) All employees who are neither policemen nor
- 4 firemen who are in the employ of a political subdivision the
- 5 day preceding the date such political subdivision becomes an
- 6 employer and who continue in such employ on and after such
- 7 date shall become members of the system.

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- 8 (2) All persons who become employed by a political 9 subdivision as neither policemen nor firemen on or after the 10 date such political subdivision becomes an employer shall 11 become members of the system.
- If his employing political subdivision has elected 12 to cover present and future policemen, all policemen who are 13 in the employ of a political subdivision the day preceding 14 15 the date such political subdivision covers policemen hereunder and who continue in such employ as a policeman on 16 17 and after such date, and all persons who become employed by a political subdivision as a policeman on or after the date 18 the political subdivision covers policemen shall become 19 members of the system. 20
 - (4) If his employing political subdivision has elected to cover only future policemen, all persons who become employed by a political subdivision as a policeman on or after the date such political subdivision covers policemen hereunder shall become members of the system.
- If his employing political subdivision has elected 26 to cover present and future firemen, all firemen who are in 27 the employ of a political subdivision the day preceding the 28 date such political subdivision covers firemen hereunder and 29 who continue in such employ as a fireman on and after such 30 31 date, and all persons who become employed by a political subdivision as a fireman on or after the date the political 32 subdivision covers firemen hereunder shall become members of 33 34 the system.
- 35 (6) If his employing political subdivision has elected 36 to cover only future firemen, all persons who become 37 employed by a political subdivision as a fireman on or after 38 the date such political subdivision covers firemen hereunder 39 shall become members of the system.

- 40 2. [In no event shall an employee become a member if
- 41 continuous employment to time of retirement will leave the
- 42 employee with less than minimum number of years of credited
- service specified in section 70.645.
- 3.] In any case of question as to the system
- 45 membership status of any person, the board shall decide the
- 46 question.
 - 70.655. 1. Upon a member's retirement he or she shall
- 2 receive an allowance for life in accordance with the
- 3 applicable benefit program elected by the member's employer,
- 4 as follows:
- 5 (1) Benefit program L-1. A member with credited
- 6 service covered by benefit program L-1 shall receive an
- 7 allowance for life equal to one percent of the member's
- 8 final average salary multiplied by the number of years of
- 9 such credited service;
- 10 (2) Benefit program L-3. A member with credited
- 11 service covered by benefit program L-3 shall receive an
- 12 allowance for life equal to one and one-quarter percent of
- 13 the member's final average salary multiplied by the number
- 14 of years of such credited service;
- 15 (3) Benefit program LT-4. A member with credited
- 16 service covered by benefit program LT-4 shall receive an
- 17 allowance for life equal to one percent of the member's
- 18 final average salary multiplied by the number of years of
- 19 such credited service. In addition, if such member is
- 20 retiring as provided in section 70.645 or section 70.650 or
- 21 section 70.670, and if such member's age at retirement is
- younger than age sixty-two, then such member shall receive a
- 23 temporary allowance equal to one percent of the member's
- 24 final average salary multiplied by the number of years of
- 25 such credited service. Such temporary allowance shall

age sixty-two;

- terminate at the end of the calendar month in which the earlier of the following events occurs: such member's death; or the member's attainment of age sixty-two;
- Benefit program LT-5. A member with credited 29 service covered by benefit program LT-5 shall receive an 30 31 allowance for life equal to one and one-quarter percent of the member's final average salary multiplied by the number 32 33 of years of such credited service. In addition, if such member is retiring as provided in section 70.645 or section 34 35 70.650 or section 70.670, and if such member's age at retirement is younger than age sixty-two, then such member 36 shall receive a temporary allowance equal to three-quarters 37 of one percent of the member's final average salary 38 multiplied by the number of years of such credited service. 39 Such temporary allowance shall terminate at the end of the 40 41 calendar month in which the earlier of the following events 42 occurs: such member's death; or the member's attainment of
- 45 service covered by benefit program L-6 shall receive an
 46 allowance for life equal to two percent of the member's
 47 final average salary multiplied by the number of years of
 48 such credited service;
- 49 (6) Benefit program L-7. A member with credited 50 service covered by benefit program L-7 shall receive an 51 allowance for life equal to one and one-half percent of the 52 member's final average salary multiplied by the number of 53 years of such credited service;
- 54 (7) Benefit program LT-8. A member with credited 55 service covered by benefit program LT-8 shall receive an 56 allowance for life equal to one and one-half percent of the 57 member's final average salary multiplied by the number of

years of such credited service. In addition, if such member is retiring as provided in section 70.645 or section 70.650 or section 70.670, and if such member's age at retirement is younger than age sixty-two, then such member shall receive a temporary allowance equal to one-half of one percent of the member's final average salary multiplied by the number of years of such credited service. Such temporary allowance shall terminate at the end of the calendar month in which the earlier of the following events occurs: such member's death; or the member's attainment of age sixty-two;

- (8) Benefit program LT-4(65). A member with credited service covered by benefit program LT-4(65) shall receive an allowance for life equal to one percent of the member's final average salary multiplied by the number of years of such credited service. In addition, if such member is retiring as provided in section 70.645 or section 70.650 or section 70.670, and if such member's age at retirement is younger than age sixty-five, then such member shall receive a temporary allowance equal to one percent of the member's final average salary multiplied by the number of years of such credited service. Such temporary allowance shall terminate at the end of the calendar month in which the earlier of the following events occurs: such member's death; or the member's attainment of age sixty-five;
- (9) Benefit program LT-5(65). A member with credited service covered by benefit program LT-5(65) shall receive an allowance for life equal to one and one-quarter percent of the member's final average salary multiplied by the number of years of such credited service. In addition, if such member is retiring as provided in section 70.645 or section 70.650 or section 70.670, and if such member's age at retirement is younger than age sixty-five, then such member

- 90 shall receive a temporary allowance equal to three-quarters 91 of one percent of the member's final average salary 92 multiplied by the number of years of such credited service. 93 Such temporary allowance shall terminate at the end of the
- 94 calendar month in which the earlier of the following events
- 95 occurs: such member's death; or the member's attainment of
- 96 age sixty-five;
- Benefit program LT-8(65). A member with credited 97 service covered by benefit program LT-8(65) shall receive an 98 99 allowance for life equal to one and one-half percent of the 100 member's final average salary multiplied by the number of years of such credited service. In addition, if such member 101 is retiring as provided in section 70.645 or section 70.650 102 or section 70.670, and if such member's age at retirement is 103 104 younger than age sixty-five, then such member shall receive
- a temporary allowance equal to one-half of one percent of the member's final average salary multiplied by the number
- 107 of years of such credited service. Such temporary allowance
- 108 shall terminate at the end of the calendar month in which
- 109 the earlier of the following events occurs: such member's
- 110 death; or the member's attainment of age sixty-five;
- 111 (11) Benefit program L-9. A member with credited
- 112 service covered by benefit program L-9 shall receive an
- 113 allowance for life equal to one and six-tenths percent of
- 114 the member's final average salary multiplied by the number
- of years of such credited service;
- 116 (12) Benefit program LT-10(65). A member with
- 117 credited service covered by benefit program LT-10(65) shall
- 118 receive an allowance for life equal to one and six-tenths
- 119 percent of the members' final average salary multiplied by
- 120 the number of years of such credited service. In addition,
- 121 if such member is retiring as provided in section 70.645 or

- section 70.650 or section 70.670, and if such member's age
- 123 at retirement is younger than age sixty-five, then such
- 124 member shall receive a temporary allowance equal to four-
- 125 tenths of one percent of the member's final average salary
- 126 multiplied by the number of years of such credited service.
- 127 Such temporary allowance shall terminate at the end of the
- 128 calendar month in which the earlier of the following events
- occurs: such member's death; or the member's attainment of
- 130 age sixty-five;
- 131 (13) Benefit program L-11. Benefit program L-11 may
- 132 cover employment in a position only if such position is not
- 133 concurrently covered by federal Social Security; in
- 134 addition, if such position was previously covered by federal
- 135 Social Security, benefit program L-11 may cover only
- 136 employment rendered after cessation of federal Social
- 137 Security coverage. A member with credited service covered
- 138 by benefit program L-11 shall receive an allowance for life
- 139 equal to two and one-half percent of the member's final
- 140 average salary multiplied by the number of years of such
- 141 credited service;
- 142 (14) Benefit program L-12. A member with credited
- 143 service covered by benefit program L-12 shall receive an
- 144 allowance for life equal to one and three-quarter percent of
- 145 the member's final average salary multiplied by the number
- 146 of years of such credited service;
- 147 (15) Benefit program LT-14(65). A member with
- 148 credited service covered by benefit program LT-14(65) shall
- 149 receive an allowance for life equal to one and three-quarter
- 150 percent of the member's final average salary multiplied by
- 151 the number of years of such credited service. In addition,
- if such member is retiring as provided in section 70.645,
- 153 70.650, or 70.670, then such member shall receive a

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- temporary allowance equal to one-quarter of one percent of
 the member's final average salary multiplied by the number
 of years of such credited service. Such temporary allowance
 shall terminate at the end of the calendar month in which
 the earlier of the following events occurs: such member's
 death or the member's attainment of age sixty-five.
 - 2. If each portion of a member's credited service is not covered by the same benefit program, then the member's total allowance for life shall be the total of the allowance for life determined under each applicable benefit program.
 - 3. Each employer shall have the credited service of each of its members covered by benefit program L-1 provided for in this section unless such employer shall have elected another benefit program provided for in this section.
- 168 Except as otherwise provided in this subsection, 169 each political subdivision, by majority vote of its 170 governing body, may elect from time to time to cover its members, whose political subdivision employment is 171 concurrently covered by federal Social Security, under one 172 of the benefit programs provided for in this section. Each 173 174 political subdivision, by majority vote of its governing 175 body, may elect from time to time to cover its members, whose political subdivision employment is not concurrently 176 177 covered by federal Social Security, under one of the benefit programs provided for in this section. The clerk or 178 secretary of the political subdivision shall certify the 179 180 election of the benefit program to the board within ten days after such vote. The effective date of the political 181 subdivision's benefit program is the first day of the 182 183 calendar month specified by such governing body, or the 184 first day of the calendar month next following receipt by the board of the certification of election of benefit 185

- 186 program, or the effective date of the political subdivision
- 187 becoming an employer, whichever is the latest. Such
- 188 election of benefit program may be changed from time to time
- 189 by such vote, but not more often than biennially. If such
- 190 changed benefit program provides larger allowances than the
- 191 benefit program previously in effect, then such larger
- 192 benefit program shall be applicable to the past and future
- 193 employment with the employer by present and future
- 194 employees. If such changed benefit program provides smaller
- 195 allowances than the benefit program previously in effect,
- 196 then such changed benefit program shall be applicable only
- 197 to credited service for employment rendered from and after
- 198 the effective date of such change. After August 28, 1994,
- 199 political subdivisions shall not elect coverage under
- 200 benefit program LT-4, benefit program LT-5, or benefit
- 201 program LT-8. After August 28, 2005, political subdivisions
- 202 shall not elect coverage under benefit program L-9 or
- 203 benefit program LT-10(65).
- 5. Should an employer change its election of benefit
- 205 program as provided in this section, the employer
- 206 contributions shall be correspondingly changed effective the
- 207 same date as the benefit program change.
- 208 6. The limitation on increases in an employer's
- 209 contribution provided by subsection 6 of section 70.730
- 210 shall not apply to any contribution increase resulting from
- 211 an employer electing a benefit program which provides larger
- 212 allowances.
- 7. Subject to the provisions of subsections 8 and 9
- 214 [and 10] of this section, for an allowance becoming
- 215 effective on September 28, 1975, or later, and beginning
- 216 with the October first which is at least twelve full months
- 217 after the effective date of the allowance, the amount of the

218 allowance shall be redetermined effective each October first 219 and such redetermined amount shall be payable for the 220 ensuing year. Subject to the limitations stated in the next sentence, such redetermined amount shall be the amount of 221 222 the allowance otherwise payable multiplied by the following 223 percent: one hundred percent, plus two percent for each 224 full year (excluding any fraction of a year) in the period 225 from the effective date of the allowance to the current 226 October first. In no event shall such redetermined amount 227 (1) be less than the amount of the allowance otherwise payable nor (2) be more than the amount of the allowance 228 otherwise payable multiplied by the following fraction: the 229 numerator shall be the Consumer Price Index for the month of 230 231 June immediately preceding such October first (but in no 232 event an amount less than the denominator below) and the 233 denominator shall be the Consumer Price Index for the month 234 of June immediately preceding the effective date of the allowance. As used herein, "Consumer Price Index" means a 235 measure of the Consumer Price Index [for Urban Wage Earners 236 and Clerical Workers,] as determined by the United States 237 Department of Labor and adopted by the board of trustees [in 238 effect January 1, 1975; provided, should such Consumer Price 239 Index be restructured subsequent to 1974 in a manner 240 241 materially changing its character, the board shall change the application of the Consumer Price Index so that as far 242 as is practicable the 1975 intent of the use of the Consumer 243 Price Index shall be continued]. As used herein "the amount 244 of the allowance otherwise payable" means the amount of the 245 allowance which would be payable without regard to these 246 247 provisions redetermining allowance amounts after retirement. 248 [Subject to the provisions of subsections 9 and 10

of this section, for an allowance becoming effective on

- 250 September 28, 1975, or later, the maximum allowance payable
- under the provisions of section 70.685 shall be redetermined
- each October first in the same manner as an allowance is
- redetermined under the provisions of subsection 7 of this
- 254 section.
- 9.] (1) The system establishes reserves for the
- 256 payment of future allowances to retirants and
- 257 beneficiaries. Should the board determine, after consulting
- 258 with the actuary, that the established reserves are more
- 259 than sufficient to provide such allowances, the board may
- 260 increase the annual increase rate provided for in
- 261 [subsections] subsection 7 [and 8] of this section, as it
- 262 applies to any allowance payable, but in no event shall the
- 263 total of all redetermined amounts as of October first of any
- year be greater than one hundred four percent of the
- 265 allowances which would have been payable that October first
- 266 without such redeterminations; provided, as of any
- 267 redetermination date the same annual increase rate shall be
- 268 applied to all allowances with effective dates in the range
- of November first to October first of the following year.
- 270 The board may extend the provisions of [subsections]
- 271 **subsection** 7 [and 8] of this section to allowances which
- became effective before September 28, 1975; provided such an
- 273 action by the board shall not increase an employer
- 274 contribution rate then in effect;
- 275 (2) After August 28, 1993, the annual increase rate
- 276 established by this subsection shall be a compound rate,
- 277 compounded annually, and the four percent annual maximum
- 278 rate shall also be a compound rate, compounded annually;
- 279 provided, the use of such compounding shall not begin until
- 280 October 1, 1993, and shall not affect redeterminations made
- 281 prior to that date.

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- [10.] 9. Should the board determine that the provisions of subsections 7[, 8] and [9] 8 of this section are jeopardizing the financial solvency of the system, the board shall suspend these provisions redetermining allowance amounts after retirement for such periods of time as the board deems appropriate.
- 70.680. 1. Any member in service with five or more 2 years of credited service who has not attained the age and 3 service requirements of section 70.645 and who becomes 4 totally and permanently physically or mentally incapacitated for his duty as an employee, as the result of a personal 5 injury or disease, may be retired by the board upon written 6 application filed with the board by or on behalf of the 7 member; provided, that after a medical examination of such 8 9 member made by or under the direction of a medical committee consisting of three physicians, one of whom shall be 10 11 selected by the board, one by or on behalf of such member, and the third by the first two physicians so named, the 12 medical committee reports to the board, by majority opinion 13 in writing, that such member is physically or mentally 14 totally incapacitated for the further performance of duty, 15 that such incapacity will probably be permanent and that 16 such member should be retired. 17
 - 2. Upon disability retirement, as provided in subsection 1 of this section, a member shall receive an allowance for life provided for in section 70.655 and shall have the right to elect an option provided for in section 70.660. His or her disability retirement and allowance shall be subject to the provisions of subsection 5 of this section [and to the provisions of section 70.685].
- 3. Any member in service who becomes totally andpermanently physically or mentally incapacitated for his

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- 27 duty as an employee, as the natural and proximate result of a personal injury or disease which the board finds to have 28 29 arisen out of and in the course of his actual performance of duty as an employee, may be retired by the board upon 30 written application filed with the board by or on behalf of 31 the member; provided, that after a medical examination of 32 such member made by or under the direction of a medical 33 34 committee consisting of three physicians, one of whom shall be selected by the board, one by or on behalf of such 35 36 member, and the third by the first two physicians so named, the medical committee reports to the board, by majority 37 opinion in writing, that such member is physically or 38 mentally totally incapacitated for the further performance 39 40 of duty, that such incapacity will probably be permanent, and that such member should be retired. 41
- 42 4. Upon disability retirement as provided in subsection 3 of this section, a member shall receive an 43 allowance for life provided for in section 70.655; provided, 44 that for the sole purpose of computing the amount of such 45 allowance, he or she shall be given credited service for the 46 period from the date of his or her disability retirement to 47 the date he or she would attain age sixty. He or she shall 48 have the right to elect an option provided for in section 49 50 70.660. His or her disability retirement and allowance shall be subject to the provisions of subsection 5 of this 51 section [and to the provisions of section 70.685]. 52
 - 5. At least once each year during the first five years following a member's retirement on account of disability, and at least once in each three-year period thereafter, the board shall require any disability retirant who has not attained his minimum service retirement age to undergo a medical examination to be made by a physician designated by

the board. If the retirant refuses to submit to medical 59 examination in any such period, his disability allowance 60 61 shall be suspended by the board until his withdrawal of such refusal. If such refusal continues for one year, all his 62 rights in and to a disability allowance shall be revoked by 63 the board. If, upon medical examination of the retirant, 64 the physician reports to the board that the retirant is 65 66 physically and mentally able and capable of resuming his duty as an employee in the position held by him at the time 67 68 of his disability retirement, then the board shall, if demanded by the retirant, arrange a further medical 69 examination of such member made by or under the direction of 70 a medical committee consisting of three physicians, one of 71 72 whom shall be selected by the board, one by or on behalf of 73 the member, and the third by the first two physicians 74 named. Should the medical committee concur, by majority 75 opinion in writing to the board, the disability retirant is capable of resumption of duty, his disability retirement 76 shall terminate and he shall be returned to duty and he 77 shall immediately again become a member of the system, his 78 79 credited service at the time of disability retirement shall be restored to his credit, and the amount of his accumulated 80 contributions at the time of his disability retirement shall 81 82 be restored to his credit in the members deposit fund. he was in receipt of a duty disability allowance provided 83 for in subsection 3 of this section, he shall also be given 84 service credit for the period he was in receipt of the duty 85 disability allowance. 86

70.690. 1. In the event a member ceases to be a

member other than by death before the date he becomes

entitled to retire with an allowance payable by the system,

he shall be paid, upon his written application filed with

- 5 the board, his accumulated contributions standing to his
- 6 credit in the members deposit fund.
- 7 2. In the event a member dies, and no allowance
- 8 becomes or will become payable by the system on account of
- 9 his death, his accumulated contributions standing to his
- 10 credit in the members deposit fund at the time of his death
- 11 shall be paid to such person or persons as he shall have
- 12 nominated by written designation duly executed and filed
- 13 with the board. If there be no such designated person or
- 14 persons surviving such member, such accumulated
- 15 contributions shall be paid to his surviving spouse, or to
- 16 his estate if there is no surviving spouse.
- 3. In the event a member's membership in the system
- 18 terminates, and no allowance becomes or will become payable
- 19 on his account, any accumulated contributions standing to
- 20 his credit in the members deposit fund unclaimed by such
- 21 member or his legal representative within [three] ten years
- 22 after the date his membership terminated, shall be
- 23 transferred to the income-expense fund. If thereafter
- 24 proper application is made for such accumulated
- 25 contributions, the board shall pay them from the income-
- 26 expense fund, but without interest after the date payment
- 27 was first due.
 - 70.745. 1. The board shall be the trustees of the
- 2 funds of the system. Subject to the provisions of any
- 3 applicable federal or state laws, the board shall have full
- 4 power to invest and reinvest the moneys of the system, and
- 5 to hold, purchase, sell, assign, transfer or dispose of any
- 6 of the securities and investments in which such moneys shall
- 7 have been invested, as well as the proceeds of such
- 8 investments and such moneys.

- 9 2. The board of trustees may deliberate about, or make tentative or final decisions on, investments or other 10 financial matters in a closed meeting under chapter 610 if 11 disclosure of the deliberations or decisions would 12 jeopardize the ability to implement a decision or to achieve 13 14 investment objectives. A record of the retirement system that discloses deliberations about, or a tentative decision 15 16 on, investments or other financial matters is not a public 17 record under chapter 610 to the extent and so long as its 18 disclosure would jeopardize the ability to implement a 19 decision or to achieve investment objectives.
- 70.746. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to 2 the contrary, the board of trustees may delegate to its duly 3 appointed investment counselor authority to act in place of the board in the investment and reinvestment of all or part 4 5 of the moneys of the system, and may also delegate to such 6 counselor the authority to act in place of the board in the holding, purchasing, selling, assigning, transferring, or 7 disposing of any or all of the securities and investments in 8 which such moneys shall have been invested, as well as the 9 10 proceeds of such investments and such moneys. [Such investment counselor shall be registered as an investment 11 advisor with the United States Securities and Exchange 12 13 Commission.] In exercising or delegating its investment powers and authority, members of the board shall exercise 14 15 ordinary business care and prudence under the facts and circumstances prevailing at the time of the action or 16 decision. In so doing, the board shall consider the long-17 and short-term needs of the system in carrying out its 18 19 purposes, the system's present and anticipated financial 20 requirements, the expected total return on the system's 21 investment, general economic conditions, income, growth,

- 22 long-term net appreciation, and probable safety of funds.
- No member of the board shall be liable for any action taken
- or omitted with respect to the exercise of or delegation of
- 25 these powers and authority if such member shall have
- 26 discharged the duties of his or her position in good faith
- 27 and with that degree of diligence, care, and skill which
- 28 prudent men and women would ordinarily exercise under
- 29 similar circumstances in a like position.
 - 70.747. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to
- 2 the contrary, the board shall have full power to invest and
- 3 reinvest the funds and moneys of the system in improved real
- 4 estate, including collective real estate funds and real
- 5 estate investment trusts, wherever situated[; provided,
- 6 however, that not more than one-tenth of the funds and
- 7 moneys of the system at the time of such investment shall be
- 8 so invested].
 - 70.748. 1. Notwithstanding the provisions of section
- 2 105.662 to the contrary, the board may set up and maintain a
- 3 local government employee retirement systems of Missouri
- 4 investment fund account in which investment and reinvestment
- 5 of all or part of the moneys of the retirement system may be
- 6 placed and be available for investment purposes.
- 7 2. For the purpose of investing the funds of the
- 8 retirement system, the funds may be combined with the funds
- 9 of any retirement plan that is administered by the
- 10 retirement system under section 70.621 and any retirement
- 11 plan established for the purpose of providing benefits for
- 12 employees of the system, but the funds of each plan shall be
- 13 accounted for separately and for all other reporting
- 14 purposes shall be separate.
- 3. The board of trustees may promulgate such rules and
- 16 regulations consistent with the provisions of this section

- 17 as deemed necessary for its proper administration, pursuant
- 18 to the provisions of this section and this chapter. Any
- 19 rule or portion of a rule, as that term is defined in
- section 536.010, that is created under the authority
- 21 delegated in this section shall become effective only if it
- 22 complies with and is subject to all of the provisions of
- 23 chapter 536 and, if applicable, section 536.028. This
- section and chapter 536 are nonseverable and if any of the
- 25 powers vested with the general assembly pursuant to chapter
- 26 536 to review, to delay the effective date, or to disapprove
- 27 and annul a rule are subsequently held unconstitutional,
- 28 then the grant of rulemaking authority and any rule proposed
- or adopted after August 28, 2025, shall be invalid and void.
 - 86.200. The following words and phrases as used in
- 2 sections 86.200 to 86.366, unless a different meaning is
- 3 plainly required by the context, shall have the following
- 4 meanings:
- 5 (1) "Accumulated contributions", the sum of all
- 6 mandatory contributions deducted from the compensation of a
- 7 member and credited to the member's individual account,
- 8 together with members' interest thereon;
- 9 (2) "Actuarial equivalent", a benefit of equal value
- 10 when computed upon the basis of mortality tables and
- 11 interest assumptions adopted by the board of trustees;
- 12 (3) "Average final compensation":
- (a) With respect to a member who earns no creditable
- 14 service on or after October 1, 2001, the average earnable
- 15 compensation of the member during the member's last three
- 16 years of creditable service as a police officer, or if the
- 17 member has had less than three years of creditable service,
- 18 the average earnable compensation of the member's entire
- 19 period of creditable service;

- With respect to a member who is not participating in the DROP pursuant to section 86.251 on October 1, 2001, who did not participate in the DROP at any time before such date, and who earns any creditable service on or after October 1, 2001, the average earnable compensation of the member during the member's last two years of creditable service as a policeman, or if the member has had less than two years of creditable service, then the average earnable compensation of the member's entire period of creditable service;
 - (c) With respect to a member who is participating in the DROP pursuant to section 86.251 on October 1, 2001, or whose participation in DROP ended before such date, who returns to active participation in the system pursuant to section 86.251, and who terminates employment as a police officer for reasons other than death or disability before earning at least two years of creditable service after such return, the portion of the member's benefit attributable to creditable service earned before DROP entry shall be determined using average final compensation as defined in paragraph (a) of this subdivision; and the portion of the member's benefit attributable to creditable service earned after return to active participation in the system shall be determined using average final compensation as defined in paragraph (b) of this subdivision;
 - (d) With respect to a member who is participating in the DROP pursuant to section 86.251 on October 1, 2001, or whose participation in the DROP ended before such date, who returns to active participation in the system pursuant to section 86.251, and who terminates employment as a police officer after earning at least two years of creditable service after such return, the member's benefit attributable

- 52 to all of such member's creditable service shall be
- 53 determined using the member's average final compensation as
- 54 defined in paragraph (b) of this subdivision;
- (e) With respect to a member who is participating in
- 56 the DROP pursuant to section 86.251 on October 1, 2001, or
- 57 whose participation in DROP ended before such date, who
- 58 returns to active participation in the system pursuant to
- 59 section 86.251, and whose employment as a police officer
- 60 terminates due to death or disability after such return, the
- 61 member's benefit attributable to all of such member's
- 62 creditable service shall be determined using the member's
- 63 average final compensation as defined in paragraph (b) of
- 64 this subdivision; and
- (f) With respect to the surviving spouse or surviving
- 66 dependent child of a member who earns any creditable service
- on or after October 1, 2001, the average earnable
- 68 compensation of the member during the member's last two
- 69 years of creditable service as a police officer or, if the
- 70 member has had less than two years of creditable service,
- 71 the average earnable compensation of the member's entire
- 72 period of creditable service;
- 73 (4) "Beneficiary", any person in receipt of a
- 74 retirement allowance or other benefit;
- 75 (5) "Board of trustees", the board provided in
- 76 sections 86.200 to 86.366 to administer the retirement
- 77 system;
- 78 (6) "Creditable service", prior service plus
- 79 membership service as provided in sections 86.200 to 86.366;
- **80** (7) "DROP", the deferred retirement option plan
- 81 provided for in section 86.251;
- 82 (8) "Earnable compensation", the annual salary
- 83 [established under section 84.160 which] a member would earn

84 during one year on the basis of the member's rank or 85 position, plus any additional compensation for academic work and shift differential, that [may be provided] is set by any 86 state or municipal body or official [or board] now or 87 hereafter authorized by law to employ and manage a permanent 88 89 police force in such cities. Such amount shall include the 90 member's deferrals to a deferred compensation plan pursuant 91 to Section 457 of the Internal Revenue Code or to a 92 cafeteria plan pursuant to Section 125 of the Internal 93 Revenue Code or, effective October 1, 2001, to a transportation fringe benefit program pursuant to Section 94 132(f)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code. The term "earnable 95 compensation" shall not include a member's additional 96 compensation for overtime, standby time, court time, 97 98 nonuniform time or unused vacation time. Further, the term 99 "earnable compensation" shall not include any funds received 100 by a member through a judgment or settlement of a legal 101 action or claim made or threatened by the member against any city not within a county if the funds are intended to 102 retroactively compensate the member for the salary 103 differential between the member's actual rank and the rank 104 105 the member claims he or she should have received. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the earnable compensation 106 107 taken into account under the plan established pursuant to sections 86.200 to 86.366 with respect to a member who is a 108 109 noneligible participant, as defined in this subdivision, for any plan year beginning on or after October 1, 1996, shall 110 not exceed the amount of compensation that may be taken into 111 account under Section 401(a)(17) of the Internal Revenue 112 113 Code, as adjusted for increases in the cost of living, for such plan year. For purposes of this subdivision, a 114 115 "noneligible participant" is an individual who first becomes

- a member on or after the first day of the first plan year
- 117 beginning after the earlier of:
- 118 (a) The last day of the plan year that includes August
- 119 28, 1995; or
- 120 (b) December 31, 1995;
- 121 (9) "Internal Revenue Code", the federal Internal
- 122 Revenue Code of 1986, as amended;
- 123 (10) "Mandatory contributions", the contributions
- 124 required to be deducted from the salary of each member who
- is not participating in DROP in accordance with section
- 126 86.320;
- 127 (11) "Medical board", the health care organization
- 128 appointed by the trustees of the police retirement board and
- responsible for arranging and passing upon all medical
- 130 examinations required under the provisions of sections
- 131 86.200 to 86.366, which shall investigate all essential
- 132 statements and certificates made by or on behalf of a member
- in connection with an application for disability retirement
- and shall report in writing to the board of trustees its
- 135 conclusions and recommendations;
- 136 (12) "Member", a member of the retirement system as
- defined by sections 86.200 to 86.366;
- 138 (13) "Members' interest", interest on accumulated
- 139 contributions at such rate as may be set from time to time
- 140 by the board of trustees;
- 141 (14) "Membership service", service as a policeman
- 142 rendered since last becoming a member, except in the case of
- 143 a member who has served in the Armed Forces of the United
- 144 States and has subsequently been reinstated as a policeman,
- in which case "membership service" means service as a
- 146 policeman rendered since last becoming a member prior to
- 147 entering such armed service;

- 148 (15) "Plan year" or "limitation year", the twelve 149 consecutive-month period beginning each October first and 150 ending each September thirtieth;
- 151 (16) "Policeman" or "police officer", any member of 152 the police force of such cities who holds a rank in such 153 police force;
- 154 (17) "Prior service", all service as a policeman 155 rendered prior to the date the system becomes operative or 156 prior to membership service which is creditable in 157 accordance with the provisions of sections 86.200 to 86.366;
- 158 (18) "Reserve officer", any member of the police
 159 reserve force of such cities, armed or unarmed, who works
 160 less than full time, without compensation, and who, by his
 161 or her assigned function or as implied by his or her
 162 uniform, performs duties associated with those of a police
 163 officer and who currently receives a service retirement as
 164 provided by sections 86.200 to 86.366;
- 165 (19) "Retirement allowance", annual payments for life 166 as provided by sections 86.200 to 86.366 which shall be 167 payable in equal monthly installments or any benefits in 168 lieu thereof granted to a member upon termination of 169 employment as a police officer and actual retirement;
- 170 (20) "Retirement system", the police retirement system
 171 of the cities as defined in sections 86.200 to 86.366;
- 172 (21) "Surviving spouse", the surviving spouse of a
 173 member who was the member's spouse at the time of the
 174 member's death.
 - 87.140. 1. The general administration and the responsibility for the proper operation of the retirement system shall be vested in a board of trustees of nine persons. The board shall be constituted as follows:

filed in his office.

- 5 (1) The chief of the fire department of the city, ex 6 officio;
- 7 (2) The comptroller or deputy comptroller of the city, 8 ex officio;
- 9 (3) Two members to be appointed by the mayor of the 10 city to serve for a term of two years;
- 11 (4) Three members to be elected by the members of the 12 retirement system for a term of three years who shall be 13 members of the system and hold office only while members of 14 the system;
- 15 (5) Two members who shall be retired firemen to be 16 elected by the retired firemen of the city and who shall 17 hold office for a term of three years.
- 18 2. If a vacancy occurs in the office of trustee, the 19 vacancy shall be filled for the unexpired term in the same 20 manner as the office was previously filled.
- 3. The trustees shall serve without compensation, but they shall be reimbursed from the expense fund for all necessary expenses which they may incur through service on the board.
- 4. Each trustee shall, within ten days after his 25 appointment or election, take an oath of office before the 26 27 clerk of circuit court of the city, that, so far as it 28 devolves upon him, he will diligently and honestly administer the affairs of the board and that he will not 29 knowingly violate or willingly permit to be violated any of 30 the provisions of the law applicable to the retirement 31 system. The oath shall be subscribed to by the member 32 making it and certified by the clerk of circuit court and 33

- 5. Each trustee shall be entitled to one vote on the board. Five votes shall be necessary for a decision by the trustees at any meeting of the board.
- Notwithstanding any provision of sections 87.120 to 38 87.371 to the contrary, the board of trustees of the 39 40 retirement system shall not be prevented from simultaneously acting as the trustees of any other pension plan that 41 42 provides retirement, disability, and death benefits for 43 firefighters employed by any city not within a county and 44 the firefighters' covered dependents. The administration of 45 the other pension plan shall be in accordance with the terms of such pension plan. Nothing in this subsection shall 46 prevent the board of aldermen of a city not within a county 47 from adopting ordinances to govern the pensioning of 48 49 firefighters and such firefighters' covered dependents in 50 any other pension plan simultaneously administered by the 51 board of trustees of the retirement system.
- The board of trustees shall have exclusive 2 original jurisdiction in all matters relating to or affecting the funds herein provided for, including, in 3 addition to all other matters, all claims for benefits and 4 5 refunds under this law, and its action, decision or 6 determination in any matter shall be reviewable under 7 chapter 536 only, and any party to the proceedings shall have a right of appeal from the decision of the reviewing 8 Subject to the limitations of sections 87.120 to 9 87.370, the board of trustees shall, from time to time, 10 establish rules and regulations for the administration of 11 funds created by this law, for the transaction of its 12 13 business, and for the limitation of the time within which 14 claims may be filed. The administration of any pension plan 15 other than the retirement system includes the ability of the

- board of trustees, from time to time, to establish rules and
- 17 regulations for the administration of funds of such other
- 18 pension plan and for the transaction of such other pension
- 19 plan's business. Nothing in this section shall prevent the
- 20 board of aldermen of a city not within a county from
- 21 adopting ordinances to govern the pensioning of firefighters
- 22 and such firefighters' covered dependents in any other
- 23 pension plan simultaneously administered by the board of
- 24 trustees of the retirement system.
 - 87.155. 1. The board of trustees shall keep in
- 2 convenient form such data as is necessary for actuarial
- 3 valuation of the funds of the retirement system and for
- 4 checking the experience of the system.
- 5 2. The board of trustees shall keep a record of all
- 6 its proceedings which shall be open to public inspection.
- 7 It shall publish annually a report showing the fiscal
- 8 transactions of the retirement system for the preceding
- 9 fiscal year, the amount of the accumulated cash and
- 10 securities of the system, and the last balance sheet showing
- 11 the financial condition of the system by means of an
- 12 actuarial valuation of the assets and liabilities of the
- 13 retirement system.
- 14 3. To the extent the board of trustees administers a
- 15 pension plan other than the retirement system, the board of
- 16 trustees shall maintain separate records of all proceedings
- of such other pension plan.
 - 87.260. The board of trustees of the firefighters'
- 2 retirement system shall have the exclusive authority and
- 3 discretion to invest and reinvest the funds in property of
- 4 any kind, real or personal. The board of trustees shall
- 5 invest and manage the fund as a prudent investor would, by
- 6 considering the purposes, terms, distribution requirements,

- 7 and other circumstances of the firefighters' retirement
- 8 system. In satisfying this standard, the board of trustees
- 9 shall exercise reasonable care, skill, and caution. No
- 10 trustee shall have any interest as a trustee in the gains or
- 11 profits made on any investment, except benefits from
- 12 interest in investments common to all members of the plan,
- 13 if entitled thereto. To the extent the board of trustees
- 14 administers a pension plan other than the retirement system,
- 15 the board of trustees shall also have the authority and
- 16 discretion to invest and reinvest the funds of such other
- 17 pension plan in property of any kind, real or personal. The
- 18 board of trustees may choose to invest the funds of the
- 19 retirement system and the funds of the other pension plan in
- 20 the same investments so long as the amounts invested and the
- 21 gains, profits, or losses on such investments are accounted
- 22 for separately. No benefits due to the firefighters or such
- 23 firefighters' covered dependents from the other pension plan
- 24 shall be paid from the funds of the retirement system.
- Nothing in this section shall prevent the board of aldermen
- of a city not within a county from adopting ordinances to
- 27 govern the pensioning of firefighters and such firefighters'
- 28 covered dependents in any other pension plan simultaneously
- 29 administered by the board of trustees of the retirement
- 30 system.
 - 87.350. The expense fund shall be the fund to which
- 2 shall be credited all money provided to pay the
- 3 administration expenses of the retirement system and from
- 4 which shall be paid all the expenses necessary in connection
- 5 with the administration and operation of the system.
- 6 Annually the board of trustees shall estimate the amount of
- 7 money necessary to be paid into the expense fund during the
- 8 ensuing year to provide for the expense of operation of the

- 9 retirement system. Such estimate shall be provided by the
- 10 board of trustees from interest and other earnings on assets
- 11 of the retirement system. In no event shall any expenses,
- 12 including administrative expenses, incurred by the board of
- 13 trustees in the administration of any pension plan other
- 14 than the retirement system or in the investment of any funds
- of any pension plan other than the retirement system be paid
- 16 from the funds of the retirement system. Such expenses
- 17 shall be paid entirely from the funds of the other pension
- 18 plan.
 - 105.688. The assets of a system may be invested,
- 2 reinvested and managed by an investment fiduciary subject to
- 3 the terms, conditions and limitations provided in sections
- 4 105.687 to 105.689. An investment fiduciary shall discharge
- 5 his or her duties in the interest of the participants in the
- 6 system and their beneficiaries and shall:
- 7 (1) Act with the same care, skill, prudence, and
- 8 diligence under the circumstances then prevailing that a
- 9 prudent person acting in a similar capacity and familiar
- 10 with those matters would use in the conduct of a similar
- 11 enterprise with similar aims;
- 12 (2) Act with due regard for the management,
- 13 reputation, and stability of the issuer and the character of
- 14 the particular investments being considered;
- 15 (3) Make investments for the purposes of providing
- 16 benefits to participants and participants' beneficiaries,
- 17 and of defraying reasonable expenses of investing the assets
- 18 of the system;
- 19 (4) Give appropriate consideration to those facts and
- 20 circumstances that the investment fiduciary knows or should
- 21 know are relevant to the particular investment or investment
- 22 course of action involved, including the role of the

- 23 investment or investment course of action plays in that
- 24 portion of the system's investments for which the investment
- 25 fiduciary has responsibility. For purposes of this
- 26 subdivision, "appropriate consideration" shall include, but
- 27 is not necessarily limited to a determination by the
- 28 investment fiduciary that a particular investment or
- 29 investment course of action is reasonably designed, as part
- of the investments of the system, to further the purposes of
- 31 the system, taking into consideration the risk of loss and
- 32 the opportunity for gain or other return associated with the
- investment or investment course of action; and consideration
- 34 of the following factors as they relate to the investment or
- 35 investment course of action:
- 36 (a) The diversification of the investments of the
- 37 system;
- 38 (b) The liquidity and current return of the
- 39 investments of the system relative to the anticipated cash
- 40 flow requirements of the system; and
- 41 (c) The projected return of the investments of the
- 42 system relative to the funding objectives of the system;
- 43 (5) Give appropriate consideration to investments
- 44 which would enhance the general welfare of this state and
- 45 its citizens if those investments offer the safety and rate
- 46 of return comparable to other investments available to the
- 47 investment fiduciary at the time the investment decision is
- 48 made;
- 49 (6) Not be prohibited from closing records to the
- 50 extent that such records relate to information submitted by
- 51 an individual, corporation, or other business entity in
- 52 connection with investments in or financial transactions
- 53 with business entities for investment purposes;

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- (7) Not consider environmental, social, or governance characteristics in a manner that would override his or her fiduciary duties as defined in this section;
- Not be subject to any legislative, regulatory, or 57 other mandates to invest with environmentally, socially, or 58 59 other noneconomically motivated influence unless they are consistent with the fiduciary's responsibility as provided 60 61 in this section or as provided in the system's governing 62 statutes with respect to the investment of system assets or 63 other duties imposed by law relating to the investment, 64 management, deposit, or custody of system assets; and
 - (9) Not be subject to any legislative, regulatory, or other mandates for divestment from any indirect holdings in actively or passively managed investment funds or in private assets.
- 105.692. 1. All shares of common stock held directly
 by a system, as defined under section 105.687, shall be
 voted solely in the economic interest of plan participants.

 Voting shares for the purposes of furthering noneconomic
 environmental, social, political, ideological, or other
 goals is prohibited.
- 2. A system shall vote all proxies associated with its directly held shares of common stock by one of the following methods:
 - (1) By internal system staff; or
 - (2) By an investment manager or proxy voting service provider who has committed in writing to vote the shares pursuant to proxy voting guidelines chosen by the system or has committed in writing to vote the shares in a manner consistent with the obligation to act solely in the economic interest of plan participants.

- 105.693. 1. As used in this section, the following terms mean:
- 3 (1) "Board", the governing board or decision-making
- 4 body of a system that is authorized by law to administer the
- 5 system;
- 6 (2) "Control":
- 7 (a) The same meaning as such term is defined in the
- 8 Investment Company Act of 1940, 15 U.S.C. Section 80a-2(a);
- 9 **or**
- 10 (b) Involvement in an entity's governance structure,
- 11 monitoring, or internal human resources decisions consistent
- 12 with the objectives set out in the Opinion on Strengthening
- 13 the United Front Work of the Private Economy in the New Era
- 14 issued by the General Office of the Central Committee of the
- 15 Chinese Communist Party (2020) or a successor or similar
- 16 document;
- 17 (3) "Divest", a sale, redemption, replacement, or any
- 18 other activity that terminates an investment;
- 19 (4) "Fund", the retirement benefit fund of a system;
- 20 (5) "Investment", any investment, as such term is
- 21 defined in section 105.687, that the board or system is
- 22 authorized to make;
- 23 (6) "Person", an individual or entity;
- 24 (7) "Restricted entity", the following, including
- 25 wholly-owned subsidiaries, majority-owned subsidiaries,
- 26 parent companies, and affiliates that exist for profit-
- 27 making purposes:
- (a) Any person, other than a U.S. person, as the term
- 29 "U.S. person" is defined in 15 CFR 772.1, that is identified
- 30 for the People's Republic of China on the Entity List,
- 31 Supplement No. 4 to 15 CFR Part 744, as a person reasonably
- 32 believed to be involved, or to pose a significant risk of

- 33 being or becoming involved, in activities contrary to the
- 34 national security or foreign policy interests of the United
- 35 States until the End-User Review Committee of the Bureau of
- 36 Industry and Security in the United States Department of
- 37 Commerce determines that the person no longer meets that
- 38 criteria and removes the person from the list;
- 39 (b) Any person that:
- 40 a. The United States Secretary of Defense has listed
- 41 as a Communist Chinese military company operating directly
- 42 or indirectly in the United States or in any of its
- 43 territories or possessions under Section 1237 of the Strom
- 44 Thurmond National Defense Authorization Act of Fiscal Year
- 45 1999, P.L. 105-261, as amended by Section 1233 of P.L. 106-
- 46 398 and Section 1222 of P.L. 108-375, 50 U.S.C. Section 1701
- 47 note, until such time as the United States Secretary of
- 48 Defense removes the person from such list;
- 49 b. The United States Secretary of Defense, in
- 50 consultation with the United States Secretary of the
- 51 Treasury, determines is a Communist Chinese military company
- 52 operating directly or indirectly in the United States or in
- 53 any of its territories or possessions and therefore lists as
- 54 such under Section 1237 of the Strom Thurmond National
- 55 Defense Authorization Act of Fiscal Year 1999, P.L. 105-261,
- as amended by Section 1233 of P.L. 106-398 and Section 1222
- 57 of P.L. 108-375, 50 U.S.C. Section 1701 note, until such
- 58 time as the United States Secretary of Defense removes the
- 59 person from such list; or
- 60 c. The United States Secretary of the Treasury
- 61 publicly lists as meeting the criteria in Section
- 62 1237 (b) (4) (B) of the Strom Thurmond National Defense
- 63 Authorization Act of Fiscal Year 1999, P.L. 105-261, as
- amended by Section 1222 of P.L. 108-375, 50 U.S.C. Section

- 65 1701 note, or publicly lists as a subsidiary of a person
- 66 already determined to be a Communist Chinese military
- 67 company, until the United States Secretary of the Treasury
- 68 determines that the person no longer meets that criteria and
- 69 removes the person from such list;
- 70 (c) Any organization or citizen that is identified by
- 71 the appropriate government agencies to be required by the
- 72 National Intelligence Law of the People's Republic of China
- 73 (2017), as amended in 2018, or any successor to support,
- 74 assist, and cooperate with the state intelligence work of
- 75 the People's Republic of China and keep the secrets of the
- 76 national intelligence work of the People's Republic of
- 77 China; or
- 78 (d) Any person that is listed on the Specially
- 79 Designated Nationals and Blocked Persons List published by
- 80 the Office of Foreign Assets Control of United States
- 81 Department of the Treasury;
- 82 (8) "Restricted investment product", an investment
- 83 product that:
- 84 (a) Is managed by one or more persons:
- 85 a. That are not employed by the system; and
- 86 b. In which the system on behalf of the fund owns
- 87 investments together with investors other than the system;
- 88 and
- 89 (b) Holds investments in a restricted entity;
- 90 (9) "System", any state or local public retirement
- 91 system or plan established by the state or any political
- 92 subdivision or instrumentality of the state for the purpose
- 93 of providing plan benefits for elected or appointed public
- 94 officials or employees of the state or any political
- 95 subdivision or instrumentality of the state.

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- 2. After August 28, 2025, a system shall not knowingly invest in a restricted entity or a restricted investment product and shall divest any investment that the system has on behalf of a fund in accordance with this section.
 - 3. Before December 1, 2025, and at least annually on or before December first of each subsequent year, the board shall make a good faith effort to identify all restricted entities and restricted investment products in which the system holds an investment. The board may use an independent research firm to assist the board.
- If the board determines after a review under 106 subsection 3 of this section that the system has investments 107 in a restricted entity or a restricted investment product, 108 109 the board shall establish a plan to divest the investment 110 and complete the divestment as soon as financially prudent. Except as provided in subdivision (2) of this subsection, 111 112 the investment shall be divested no later than August 28, 113 2026.
- 114 (2) The investment may be divested after August 28, 115 2026, but shall be divested no later than August 28, 2028, 116 if the board finds that the following conditions exist:
- (a) The divestment of the investment by August 28, 2026, would result in the system incurring aggregate transaction costs in excess of five hundred thousand dollars;
- 120 (b) The selling of global public equity interests 121 would result in a loss on secondary markets; or
- 122 (c) The divestment of the investment by August 28, 123 2026, would otherwise fail to comply with federal or state 124 law or other legal obligations.
- 5. Prior to divesting any commingled fund required by this section in which the divestment would result in a realized loss, the staff of the system shall notify the

- board and if, within two business days, a majority of the trustees of the board object, no further action shall be taken until a special or regular meeting of the board.
- divestment in the entity or product initiated under this
 section and resume investment in the entity or product
 during any period in which the entity or product has not
 returned to being a restricted entity or restricted
 investment product if any of the following conditions are
 met:
- 138 (1) The entity or product meets or exceeds the rules 139 and standards of the Public Company Accounting Oversight 140 Board and the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002, P.L. 107-204, 116 141 Stat. 745; or
- 142 (2) The board determines that a fund has holdings in a 143 passively managed commingled fund that includes a restricted 144 entity and the estimated cost of divestment of the 145 commingled fund is greater than ten percent of the total 146 value of the restricted entities held in the commingled fund.
- 7. (1) On or before December 31, 2025, and annually on or before December thirty-first of each subsequent year, the board shall submit a report to the general assembly.
- 150 (2) The report shall include at least the following 151 information, as of the date of the report:
 - (a) A copy of the restricted entity list;
- 153 (b) All publicly traded securities sold, redeemed, 154 divested, or withdrawn in compliance with this section;
- 155 (c) All commingled funds that are exempted from
 156 divestment under subsection 5 or 6 of this section; and
- 157 (d) Any progress made under subsection 6 of this section.

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- With respect to actions taken in compliance with 159 160 this section, including all good faith determinations 161 regarding restricted entities and restricted investment products, the board and the system are exempt from any 162 conflicting statutory or common law obligations, including 163 164 any obligations with respect to choice of asset managers, investment fiduciaries, investment funds, or investments for 165 166 fund investment portfolios.
 - 9. The state and any political subdivision of the state; its officers, agents, and employees; and the board and employees of a system shall be immune from civil liability for any act or omission related to the removal of an asset from a fund under this section and are entitled to indemnification from the system for all losses, costs, and expenses, including reasonable attorney's fees, associated with defending against any claim or suit relating to an act authorized under this section.
- 176 10. (1) Notwithstanding any provision of law to the 177 contrary, the provisions of this section do not apply to 178 investments in private market funds.
 - (2) Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary, the provisions of this section do not apply to indirect holdings in actively managed investment funds.
 - (3) If a manager or investment fiduciary creates a similar actively managed investment fund without the restricted entities, the board shall replace all applicable investments with the investments in the similar actively managed investment fund within a period consistent with prudent investing standards.
 - 143.124. 1. Other provisions of law to the contrary notwithstanding, for tax years ending on or before December 31, 2006, the total amount of all annuities, pensions, or

- 4 retirement allowances above the amount of six thousand
- 5 dollars annually provided by any law of this state, the
- 6 United States, or any other state to any person except as
- 7 provided in subsection 4 of this section, shall be subject
- 8 to tax pursuant to the provisions of this chapter, in the
- 9 same manner, to the same extent and under the same
- 10 conditions as any other taxable income received by the
- 11 person receiving it. For purposes of this section,
- 12 "annuity, pension, retirement benefit, or retirement
- 13 allowance" shall be defined as an annuity, pension or
- 14 retirement allowance provided by the United States, this
- 15 state, any other state or any political subdivision or
- 16 agency or institution of this or any other state. For all
- 17 tax years beginning on or after January 1, 1998, for
- 18 purposes of this section, annuity, pension or retirement
- 19 allowance shall be defined to include 401(k) plans, deferred
- 20 compensation plans, self-employed retirement plans, also
- 21 known as Keogh plans, annuities from a defined pension plan
- 22 and individual retirement arrangements, also known as IRAs,
- 23 as described in the Internal Revenue Code, but not including
- 24 Roth IRAs, as well as an annuity, pension or retirement
- 25 allowance provided by the United States, this state, any
- 26 other state or any political subdivision or agency or
- 27 institution of this or any other state. An individual
- 28 taxpayer shall only be allowed a maximum deduction equal to
- 29 the amounts provided under this section for each taxpayer on
- 30 the combined return.
- 31 2. For the period beginning July 1, 1989, and ending
- 32 December 31, 1989, there shall be subtracted from Missouri
- 33 adjusted gross income for that period, determined pursuant
- 34 to section 143.121, the first three thousand dollars of
- 35 retirement benefits received by each taxpayer:

five hundred dollars; or

- 36 (1) If the taxpayer's filing status is single, head of 37 household or qualifying widow(er) and the taxpayer's 38 Missouri adjusted gross income is less than twelve thousand
- 40 (2) If the taxpayer's filing status is married filing 41 combined and their combined Missouri adjusted gross income 42 is less than sixteen thousand dollars; or
- 43 (3) If the taxpayer's filing status is married filing 44 separately and the taxpayer's Missouri adjusted gross income 45 is less than eight thousand dollars.
- [For the tax years beginning on or after January 1, 46 1990, but ending on or before December 31, 2006,] There 47 shall be subtracted from Missouri adjusted gross income, 48 determined pursuant to section 143.121, [a maximum of the 49 first six thousand dollars of retirement benefits received 50 51 by each taxpayer from sources other than privately funded 52 sources, and for tax years beginning on or after January 1, 1998, there shall be subtracted from Missouri adjusted gross 53 income, determined pursuant to section 143.121, a maximum of 54 the first one thousand dollars of any retirement allowance 55 received from any privately funded source for tax years 56 57 beginning on or after January 1, 1998, but before January 1, 1999, and a maximum of the first three thousand dollars of 58 59 any retirement allowance received from any privately funded source for tax years beginning on or after January 1, 1999, 60 61 but before January 1, 2000, and a maximum of the first four thousand dollars of any retirement allowance received from 62 any privately funded source for tax years beginning on or 63 after January 1, 2000, but before January 1, 2001, and a 64 maximum of the first five thousand dollars of any retirement 65 allowance received from any privately funded source for tax 66 67 years beginning on or after January 1, 2001, but before

- January 1, 2002, and] a maximum of the first six thousand
- 69 dollars of any retirement allowance received by each
- 70 taxpayer from any privately funded sources for tax years
- 71 beginning on or after January 1, 2002, but before January 1,
- 72 2026, and a maximum of the first twelve thousand dollars of
- 73 any retirement allowance received from any privately funded
- 74 sources for tax years beginning on or after January 1,
- 75 2026. A taxpayer shall be entitled to the maximum exemption
- 76 provided by this subsection:
- 77 (1) If the taxpayer's filing status is single, head of
- 78 household or qualifying widow(er) and the taxpayer's
- 79 Missouri adjusted gross income is less than twenty-five
- 80 thousand dollars for all tax years ending on or before
- 81 December 31, 2025, and less than fifty thousand dollars for
- 82 all tax years beginning on or after January 1, 2026; or
- 83 (2) If the taxpayer's filing status is married filing
- 84 combined and their combined Missouri adjusted gross income
- 85 is less than thirty-two thousand dollars for all tax years
- 86 ending on or before December 31, 2025, and less than sixty-
- 87 four thousand dollars for all tax years beginning on or
- 88 after January 1, 2026; or
- 89 (3) If the taxpayer's filing status is married filing
- 90 separately and the taxpayer's Missouri adjusted gross income
- 91 is less than sixteen thousand dollars for all tax years
- 92 ending on or before December 31, 2025, and less than thirty-
- 93 two thousand six hundred dollars for all tax years beginning
- 94 on or after January 1, 2026.
- 95 4. If a taxpayer's adjusted gross income exceeds the
- 96 adjusted gross income ceiling for such taxpayer's filing
- 97 status, as provided in subdivisions (1), (2) and (3) of
- 98 subsection 3 of this section, such taxpayer shall be
- 99 entitled to an exemption equal to the greater of zero or the

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100 maximum exemption provided in subsection 3 of this section
101 reduced by one dollar for every dollar such taxpayer's
102 income exceeds the ceiling for his or her filing status.

5. For purposes of this subsection, the term "maximum Social Security benefit available" shall mean thirty-two thousand five hundred dollars for the tax year beginning on or after January 1, 2007, and for each subsequent tax year such amount shall be increased by the percentage increase in the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers, or its successor index, as such index is defined and officially reported by the United States Department of Labor, or its successor agency. For the tax year beginning on or after January 1, 2007, but ending on or before December 31, 2007, there shall be subtracted from Missouri adjusted gross income, determined pursuant to section 143.121, a maximum of an amount equal to the greater of: six thousand dollars in retirement benefits received from sources other than privately funded sources, to the extent such benefits are included in the taxpayer's federal adjusted gross income; or twenty percent of the retirement benefits received from sources other than privately funded sources in the tax year, but not to exceed the maximum Social Security benefit available for such tax year. For the tax year beginning on or after January 1, 2008, but ending on or before December 31, 2008, there shall be subtracted from Missouri adjusted gross income, determined pursuant to section 143.121, a maximum of an amount equal to the greater of: six thousand dollars in retirement benefits received from sources other than privately funded sources, to the extent such benefits are included in the taxpayer's federal adjusted gross income; or thirty-five percent of the retirement benefits received from sources other than privately funded sources in 132 the tax year, but not to exceed the maximum Social Security 133 benefit available for such tax year. For the tax year 134 beginning on or after January 1, 2009, but ending on or before December 31, 2009, there shall be subtracted from 135 Missouri adjusted gross income, determined pursuant to 136 section 143.121, a maximum of an amount equal to the greater 137 six thousand dollars in retirement benefits received 138 139 from sources other than privately funded sources, to the 140 extent such benefits are included in the taxpayer's federal 141 adjusted gross income; or fifty percent of the retirement benefits received from sources other than privately funded 142 sources in the tax year, but not to exceed the maximum 143 Social Security benefit available for such tax year. For 144 the tax year beginning on or after January 1, 2010, but 145 146 ending on or before December 31, 2010, there shall be 147 subtracted from Missouri adjusted gross income, determined 148 pursuant to section 143.121, a maximum of an amount equal to the greater of: six thousand dollars in retirement benefits 149 received from sources other than privately funded sources, 150 to the extent such benefits are included in the taxpayer's 151 federal adjusted gross income; or sixty-five percent of the 152 retirement benefits received from sources other than 153 privately funded sources in the tax year, but not to exceed 154 155 the maximum Social Security benefit available for such tax year. For the tax year beginning on or after January 1, 156 2011, but ending on or before December 31, 2011, there shall 157 be subtracted from Missouri adjusted gross income, 158 determined pursuant to section 143.121, a maximum of an 159 amount equal to the greater of: six thousand dollars in 160 161 retirement benefits received from sources other than privately funded sources, to the extent such benefits are 162 163 included in the taxpayer's federal adjusted gross income; or

- eighty percent of the retirement benefits received from 164 165 sources other than privately funded sources in the tax year, 166 but not to exceed the maximum Social Security benefit available for such tax year. For all tax years beginning on 167 or after January 1, 2012, there shall be subtracted from 168 169 Missouri adjusted gross income, determined pursuant to section 143.121, a maximum of an amount equal to one hundred 170 171 percent of the retirement benefits received from sources 172 other than privately funded sources in the tax year, but not 173 to exceed the maximum Social Security benefit available for 174 such tax year. For all tax years beginning on or before December 31, 2023, a taxpayer shall be entitled to the 175 maximum exemption provided by this subsection: 176 (1)177 If the taxpayer's filing status is married filing 178 combined, and their combined Missouri adjusted gross income is equal to or less than one hundred thousand dollars; or 179 180 If the taxpayer's filing status is single, head of (2) household, qualifying widow(er), or married filing 181 separately, and the taxpayer's Missouri adjusted gross 182 income is equal to or less than eighty-five thousand dollars. 183 184 For all tax years beginning on or after January 1, 2024, a 185 taxpayer shall be entitled to the maximum exemption provided by this subsection regardless of the taxpayer's filing 186 status or the amount of the taxpayer's Missouri adjusted 187 188 gross income. 189 6. For all tax years beginning on or before December 190 31, 2023, if a taxpayer's adjusted gross income exceeds the 191 adjusted gross income ceiling for such taxpayer's filing
- adjusted gross income ceiling for such taxpayer's filing status, as provided in subdivisions (1) and (2) of subsection 5 of this section, such taxpayer shall be entitled to an exemption, less any applicable reduction

- provided under subsection 7 of this section, equal to the greater of zero or the maximum exemption provided in subsection 5 of this section reduced by one dollar for every dollar such taxpayer's income exceeds the ceiling for his or her filing status.
- 7. For purposes of calculating the subtraction provided in subsection 5 of this section, such subtraction shall be decreased by an amount equal to any Social Security benefit exemption provided under section 143.125.
- 8. For purposes of this section, any Social Security benefits otherwise included in Missouri adjusted gross income shall be subtracted; but Social Security benefits shall not be subtracted for purposes of other computations pursuant to this chapter, and are not to be considered as retirement benefits for purposes of this section.
- 210 The provisions of subdivisions (1) and (2) of 211 subsection 3 of this section shall apply during all tax years in which the federal Internal Revenue Code provides 212 exemption levels for calculation of the taxability of Social 213 Security benefits that are the same as the levels in 214 subdivisions (1) and (2) of subsection 3 of this section. 215 If the exemption levels for the calculation of the 216 taxability of Social Security benefits are adjusted by 217 218 applicable federal law or regulation, the exemption levels in subdivisions (1) and (2) of subsection 3 of this section 219 shall be accordingly adjusted to the same exemption levels. 220
- 10. The portion of a taxpayer's lump sum distribution from an annuity or other retirement plan not otherwise included in Missouri adjusted gross income as calculated pursuant to this chapter but subject to taxation under Internal Revenue Code Section 402 shall be taxed in an

- 226 amount equal to ten percent of the taxpayer's federal
- 227 liability on such distribution for the same tax year.
- 228 11. For purposes of this section, retirement benefits
- 229 received shall not include any withdrawals from qualified
- 230 retirement plans which are subsequently rolled over into
- 231 another retirement plan.
- 12. The exemptions provided for in this section shall
- 233 not affect the calculation of the income to be used to
- 234 determine the property tax credit provided in sections
- 235 135.010 to 135.035.
- 236 13. The exemptions provided for in this section shall
- 237 apply to any annuity, pension, or retirement allowance as
- 238 defined in subsection 1 of this section to the extent that
- 239 such amounts are included in the taxpayer's federal adjusted
- 240 gross income and not otherwise deducted from the taxpayer's
- 241 federal adjusted gross income in the calculation of Missouri
- 242 taxable income. This subsection shall not apply to any
- 243 individual who qualifies under federal guidelines to be one
- 244 hundred percent disabled.
 - 221.105. 1. The governing body of any county and of
 - 2 any city not within a county shall fix the amount to be
 - 3 expended for the cost of incarceration of prisoners confined
 - 4 in jails or medium security institutions. The per diem cost
 - 5 of incarceration of these prisoners chargeable by the law to
 - 6 the state shall be determined, subject to the review and
 - 7 approval of the department of corrections.
 - 8 2. When the final determination of any criminal
 - 9 prosecution shall be such as to render the state liable for
- 10 costs under existing laws, it shall be the duty of the
- 11 sheriff to certify to the clerk of the circuit court or
- 12 court of common pleas in which the case was determined the
- 13 total number of days any prisoner who was a party in such

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14 case remained in the county jail. It shall be the duty of the county commission to supply the cost per diem for county 15 16 prisons to the clerk of the circuit court on the first day of each year, and thereafter whenever the amount may be 17 changed. It shall then be the duty of the clerk of the 18 court in which the case was determined to include in the 19 bill of cost against the state all fees which are properly 20 21 chargeable to the state. In any city not within a county it 22 shall be the duty of the superintendent of any facility 23 boarding prisoners to certify to the chief executive officer of such city not within a county the total number of days 24 any prisoner who was a party in such case remained in such 25 facility. It shall be the duty of the superintendents of 26 27 such facilities to supply the cost per diem to the chief executive officer on the first day of each year, and 28 29 thereafter whenever the amount may be changed. It shall be 30 the duty of the chief executive officer to bill the state all fees for boarding such prisoners which are properly 31 chargeable to the state. The chief executive may by 32 notification to the department of corrections delegate such 33 responsibility to another duly sworn official of such city 34 not within a county. The clerk of the court of any city not 35 within a county shall not include such fees in the bill of 36 37 costs chargeable to the state. The department of corrections shall revise its criminal cost manual in 38 39 accordance with this provision. 3. Except as provided under subsection 6 of section 40 217.718, the actual costs chargeable to the state, including 41 42 those incurred for a prisoner who is incarcerated in the

county jail because the prisoner's parole or probation has

been revoked or because the prisoner has, or allegedly has,

violated any condition of the prisoner's parole or

- 46 probation, and such parole or probation is a consequence of
- 47 a violation of a state statute, or the prisoner is a
- 48 fugitive from the Missouri department of corrections or
- 49 otherwise held at the request of the Missouri department of
- 50 corrections regardless of whether or not a warrant has been
- 51 issued shall be the actual cost of incarceration not to
- 52 exceed:
- 53 (1) Until July 1, 1996, seventeen dollars per day per
- 54 prisoner;
- 55 (2) On and after July 1, 1996, twenty dollars per day
- 56 per prisoner;
- 57 (3) On and after July 1, 1997, up to thirty-seven
- 58 dollars and fifty cents per day per prisoner, subject to
- 59 appropriations.
- 4. The presiding judge of a judicial circuit may
- 61 propose expenses to be reimbursable by the state on behalf
- of one or more of the counties in that circuit. Proposed
- 63 reimbursable expenses may include pretrial assessment and
- 64 supervision strategies for defendants who are ultimately
- 65 eligible for state incarceration. A county may not receive
- 66 more than its share of the amount appropriated in the
- 67 previous fiscal year, inclusive of expenses proposed by the
- 68 presiding judge. Any county shall convey such proposal to
- 69 the department, and any such proposal presented by a
- 70 presiding judge shall include the documented agreement with
- 71 the proposal by the county governing body, prosecuting
- 72 attorney, at least one associate circuit judge, and the
- 73 officer of the county responsible for custody or
- 74 incarceration of prisoners of the county represented in the
- 75 proposal. Any county that declines to convey a proposal to
- 76 the department, pursuant to the provisions of this
- 77 subsection, shall receive its per diem cost of incarceration

- for all prisoners chargeable to the state in accordance with the provisions of subsections 1, 2, and 3 of this section.
- Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, any county receiving reimbursement under this section shall make payable one dollar and seventy-five cents per day per prisoner of such reimbursement to the state treasurer, who shall deposit such funds in the sheriffs' retirement fund created under section 57.952. Each county shall make such payment to the state treasurer within fifteen days of receiving reimbursement from the department of corrections.
 - 6. Notwithstanding subsection 5 of this section to the contrary, if the sheriffs' retirement fund is funded to at least ninety percent of the actuarially sound level and is funded at a level above the actuarial need, the counties required to make payments pursuant to subsection 5 of this section shall only make payable one dollar per day per prisoner of such reimbursement to the state treasurer, who shall deposit such funds in the sheriffs' retirement fund created under section 57.592. The sheriffs' retirement system authorized by sections 57.949 to 57.997 shall annually provide a copy of its actuarial report to each county that has a sheriff who participates in the sheriffs' retirement system.
- 488.435. 1. Sheriffs shall receive a charge, as
 provided in section 57.280, for service of any summons, writ
 or other order of court, in connection with any civil case,
 and making on the same either a return indicating service, a
 non est return or a nulla bona return, the sum of twenty
 dollars for each item to be served, as provided in section
 57.280, except that a sheriff shall receive a charge for
 service of any subpoena, and making a return on the same,

the sum of ten dollars, as provided in section 57.280; 9 10 however, no such charge shall be collected in any proceeding 11 when court costs are to be paid by the state, county or municipality. In addition to such charge, the sheriff shall 12 be entitled, as provided in section 57.280, to receive for 13 each mile actually traveled in serving any summons, writ, 14 subpoena or other order of court, the rate prescribed by the 15 16 Internal Revenue Service for all allowable expenses for motor vehicle use expressed as an amount per mile, provided 17 18 that such mileage shall not be charged for more than one subpoena or summons or other writ served in the same cause 19 on the same trip. All of such charges shall be received by 20 21 the sheriff who is requested to perform the service. Except as otherwise provided by law, all charges made pursuant to 22 section 57.280 shall be collected by the court clerk as 23 24 court costs and are payable prior to the time the service is 25 rendered; provided that if the amount of such charge cannot be readily determined, then the sheriff shall receive a 26 deposit based upon the likely amount of such charge, and the 27 balance of such charge shall be payable immediately upon 28 29 ascertainment of the proper amount of such charge. A sheriff may refuse to perform any service in any action or 30 proceeding, other than when court costs are waived as 31 32 provided by law, until the charge provided by this section is paid. Failure to receive the charge shall not affect the 33 34 validity of the service. The sheriff shall, as provided in section 57.280, 35 receive for receiving and paying moneys on execution or 36 other process, where lands or goods have been levied and 37 38 advertised and sold, five percent on five hundred dollars and four percent on all sums above five hundred dollars, and 39 40 half of these sums, when the money is paid to the sheriff

- 41 without a levy, or where the lands or goods levied on shall 42 not be sold and the money is paid to the sheriff or person 43 entitled thereto, his or her agent or attorney. The party at whose application any writ, execution, subpoena or other 44 process has issued from the court shall pay the sheriff's 45 costs, as provided in section 57.280, for the removal, 46 transportation, storage, safekeeping and support of any 47 property to be seized pursuant to legal process before such 48 49 seizure. The sheriff shall be allowed for each mile, as 50 provided in section 57.280, going and returning from the courthouse of the county in which he or she resides to the 51 place where the court is held, the rate prescribed by the 52 Internal Revenue Service for all allowable expenses for 53 54 motor vehicle use expressed as an amount per mile. provisions of this subsection shall not apply to garnishment 55 56 proceeds.
- 57 3. As provided in subsection 4 of section 57.280, [the sheriff shall receive ten dollars] for service of any 58 summons, writ, subpoena, or other order of the court 59 included under subsection 1 of section 57.280, in addition 60 to the charge for such service that each sheriff receives 61 62 under subsection 1 of section 57.280, the sheriff of any county of the first, second, or fourth classification or 63 64 with a charter form of government shall receive twenty dollars and the sheriff of any county of the third 65 classification shall receive fifteen dollars. The money 66 received by the sheriff under subsection 4 of section 57.280 67 shall be paid into the county treasury and the county 68 treasurer shall make such money payable to the state 69 70 treasurer. As provided in subdivision (2) or (3) of 71 subsection 4 of section 57.280, the state treasurer shall 72 deposit such moneys in the deputy sheriff salary

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supplementation fund created under section 57.278 or the sheriffs' retirement fund created under section 57.952.

4. As provided in subsection 5 of section 57.280, the court clerk shall collect ten dollars as a court cost for service of any summons, writ, subpoena, or other order of the court included under subsection 1 of this section if any person other than a sheriff is specially appointed to serve in a county that receives funds under section 57.278. The moneys received by the clerk under this subsection shall be paid into the county treasury and the county treasurer shall make such moneys payable to the state treasurer. The state treasurer shall deposit such moneys in the deputy sheriff salary supplementation fund created under section 57.278.

r57.955. 1. There shall be assessed and collected a surcharge of three dollars in all civil actions filed in the courts of this state and in all criminal cases including violation of any county ordinance or any violation of criminal or traffic laws of this state, including infractions, but no such surcharge shall be assessed when the costs are waived or are to be paid by the state, county or municipality or when a criminal proceeding or the defendant has been dismissed by the court. For purposes of this section, the term "county ordinance" shall not include any ordinance of the city of St. Louis. The clerk responsible for collecting court costs in civil and criminal cases, shall collect and disburse such amounts as provided by sections 488.010 to 488.020. Such funds shall be payable to the sheriffs' retirement fund. Moneys credited to the sheriffs' retirement fund shall be used only for the purposes provided for in sections 57.949 to 57.997 and for no other purpose.

2. The board may accept gifts, donations, grants and bequests from public or private sources to the sheriffs' retirement fund.]

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18 19 [57.962. Other provisions of law to the contrary notwithstanding, any county or city not within a county who has elected or elects in the future to come under the provisions of sections 57.949 to 57.997 shall, after August 28, 2002, or on the date that such election is approved by the board of directors of the retirement system, whichever later occurs, be subject to the provisions of section 57.955.]

[483.088. Each circuit clerk shall prepare a summary of all amounts collected pursuant to section 57.955 during the preceding calendar year and shall annually, by July first of the succeeding year, send a copy of such summary to the state auditor.]

[488.024. As provided by section 57.955, there shall be assessed and collected a surcharge of three dollars in all civil actions filed in the courts of this state and in all criminal cases including violation of any county ordinance or any violation of criminal or traffic laws of this state, including infractions, but no such surcharge shall be assessed when the costs are waived or are to be paid by the state, county or municipality or when a criminal proceeding or the defendant has been dismissed by the court. For purposes of this section, the term "county ordinance" shall not include any ordinance of the City of St. Louis. The clerk responsible for collecting court costs in civil and criminal cases shall collect and disburse such amounts as provided by sections 488.010 to 488.020. Such funds shall be payable to the sheriffs' retirement fund.]