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COMMITTEE AMENDMENT “ ” to H.P. 1009, L.D. 1395, Bill, “An Act To Create Fairness for Dispatchers in the Maine Public Employees Retirement System”

Amend the bill in section 2 in subsection 2 in the first line (page 1, line 31 in L.D.) by striking out the following "A" and inserting the following: 'A Except as provided in this subsection, a'

Amend the bill in section 2 in subsection 2 in the 7th line (page 1, line 37 in L.D.) by inserting after the following: "district." the following: 'A participating local district may not elect to provide retirement benefits to its dispatchers in a plan that requires less than 25 years of creditable service.'

Amend the bill in section 5 in subsection 5 in the 2nd line (page 2, line 39 in L.D.) by striking out the following: "A" and inserting the following: 'A Except as provided in this subsection, a'

Amend the bill in section 5 in subsection 5 in the 7th line (page 3, line 3 in L.D.) by inserting after the following: "age." the following: 'A participating local district may not elect to provide retirement benefits to its dispatchers in a plan that requires less than 25 years of creditable service.'

Amend the bill by relettering or renumbering any nonconsecutive Part letter or section number to read consecutively.

**SUMMARY**

This amendment clarifies that a dispatcher may not be added to a special retirement plan by a participating local district that does not have a specific age requirement unless the dispatcher has completed at least 25 years of creditable service.