

used for timber development on tax forfeited land and dedicated memorial forests, to be expended under the supervision of the county board. It shall be expended only on projects approved by the commissioner of conservation.

(b) If the board does not avail itself of the authority under paragraph (a), any balance remaining shall be apportioned as follows: state, 10 percent; county, 30 percent; town, village or city, 20 percent; and school district, 40 percent, and if the board avails itself of the authority under paragraph (a) the balance remaining after such 10 percent has been deducted shall be apportioned among the state, county, town, village or city, in the proportions in this paragraph above stated, provided, however, that in unorganized territory that portion which should have accrued to the township shall be administered by the county board of commissioners. 50

Approved May 6, 1963.

CHAPTER 520—H. F. No. 883

[Coded]

An act relating to the public employees retirement association; amending Minnesota Statutes 1961, Chapter 353, by adding a section.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota:

Section 1. Minnesota Statutes 1961, Chapter 353, is amended by adding a new section to read:

[353.71] Public employees retirement association; certain survivor benefits. *The surviving spouse of a former member of the Public Employees Retirement Association for not less than 18 years who was separated from the association by becoming a member of the judicial branch of the state government shall receive the same benefits as if the former member was a member of the Public Employees Retirement Association on the date of his death. This section shall only apply when neither the former member nor his survivor have received any refundment of the accumulated salary deduction of the former member.*

Sec. 2. *Payments under this act shall begin July 1, 1963.*

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Changes or additions indicated by *italics*, deletions by ~~strikeout~~.