CHAPTER 309-H.F.No.890

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An act relating to the police department, the policemen's relief association, and policemen's pension fund in the city of Minneapolis.

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

Section 1. MINNEAPOLIS, CITY OF; POLICEMEN; LEAVE OF ABSENCE; PENSION RIGHTS. Subdivision 1. Any member of the police department and the policemen's relief association of the city of Minneapolis who after January 1, 1969, has been or is elected to any public office of said city may apply and shall be granted a leave of absence from the police department during the time he is an incumbent of any elective public office of the city.

Subd. 2. Upon obtaining a leave of absence provided in subdivision 1, a member with 10 or more years of service in the police department and the policemen's relief association has the option to continue his membership in the policemen's relief association of the city of Minneapolis as created and organized by Laws 1949, Chapter 406, as amended. This option applies to future service as well as past service. The member desiring to exercise this option shall make application to the governing body of the association, shall designate the period of service for which he desires coverage, and shall pay the employee contribution to the policemen's pension fund in accordance with said Laws 1949, Chapter 406, as amended, to the same extent that the member would have paid had he been on active duty with the police department during such time.

Subd. 3. No payment into the pension fund as provided in subdivision 2 shall be made or accepted and no pension credit allowed for any period of time the member pays into or earns pension credit from any other pension fund for public employees.

Subd. 4. A qualified member who exercises the option provided in subdivision 2 and is a contributing member of another retirement fund or relief association by whatever name known, organized under any other law and supported in whole or in part by the taxes on the same city, shall waive all benefits from such other retirement fund or relief association, for concurrent time, and receive a refund of the net accumulated contributions made by such member to another retirement fund or relief association, with interest, regardless of the provision of any law, rule, bylaw or other action permitting or requiring membership in such other retirement fund or relief association however organized.

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