

353G.13 LUMP-SUM RETIREMENT DIVISION; PORTABILITY.

Subdivision 1. **Eligibility.** An active firefighter who is a member of the lump-sum retirement division of the retirement plan who also renders firefighting service and has service credit in the lump-sum retirement division of the retirement plan from another fire department, if the number of years of service credit in the plan from a combination of nonconcurrent periods totals at least five years, is eligible, upon complying with the other requirements of section 353G.09, to receive a lump-sum service pension upon filing an application in the manner prescribed by the executive director, computed as provided in subdivision 2.

Subd. 2. **Combined service pension computation.** The lump-sum service pension payable to a firefighter who qualifies under subdivision 1 is the per year of good time lump-sum service credit service pension amount in effect for each lump-sum retirement account in which the firefighter has one or more years of service credit as of the date on which the firefighter terminated active service with the fire department associated with the applicable account, multiplied by the number of years of service credit that the firefighter has in the applicable account and adjusted for the vesting percentage based on the total number of years of service covered in the applicable accounts.

Subd. 3. **Payment.** A lump-sum service pension under this section must be paid in a single payment, with the applicable portion of the total lump-sum service pension payment amount deducted from each lump-sum retirement account.

History: 2009 c 169 art 9 s 22; 2015 c 68 art 7 s 6,7; art 8 s 26; 2022 c 65 art 4 s 25