

Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to present law.

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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1346

By: Representative Warren

For An Act To Be Entitled

*AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE PURCHASE OF
MILITARY SERVICE CREDIT UNDER THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC
EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM BY A MEMBER OF THE
GENERAL ASSEMBLY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

Subtitle

*TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE PURCHASE
OF MILITARY SERVICE CREDIT UNDER THE
ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT
SYSTEM BY A MEMBER OF THE GENERAL
ASSEMBLY.*

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 24-4-521(b)(4), concerning credited service generally, is amended to read as follows:

(4)(A)(i) Noncontributory or contributory employment as a member of the General Assembly shall be credited at the regular rate for crediting service.

(ii) A person receiving credit for service under subdivision (4)(A)(i) of this section shall be required to have:

(a) Ten (10) years of ~~actual~~ credited service to meet the retirement eligibility requirements of §§ 24-4-510, 24-4-511, and 24-4-609; ~~and~~

(b) Five (5) years of actual service to meet the eligibility requirements for the payment upon death benefits under § 24-4-608; and



(c) Five (5) years of actual service to be eligible to purchase military service credit under § 24-2-502.

(B) A member of the General Assembly who at any time has served at least six (6) months in the General Assembly shall be credited with no more than one (1) year's actual service.

/s/Warren