

SB 768-2
(LC 3670)
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Requested by SENATE COMMITTEE ON WORKFORCE

**PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO
SENATE BILL 768**

1 On page 1 of the printed bill, line 2, after “System” insert a period and
2 delete the rest of the line and lines 3 and 4.

3 Delete lines 6 through 31 and delete page 2 and insert:

4 **“SECTION 1. Section 2 of this 2019 Act is added to and made a part**
5 **of ORS chapter 238.**

6 **“SECTION 2. (1) Notwithstanding ORS 238.082 (2) and subject to the**
7 **limitations in this section, during calendar year 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023**
8 **or 2024, a participating public employer may employ any retired**
9 **member without limitation on the hours worked by the retired mem-**
10 **ber if the administrative head of the public employer is satisfied that**
11 **the employment is in the public interest.**

12 **“(2) A public employer that employs a retired member during cal-**
13 **endar year 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023 or 2024 shall contribute to the Public**
14 **Employees Retirement Board the percentage of the member’s salary**
15 **that would have been contributed to the board under ORS 238.225 if the**
16 **member were an active member of the system. The board shall apply**
17 **contributions made by a public employer under this subsection against**
18 **the liabilities of the public employer.**

19 **“(3) A retired member who is receiving old-age, survivors or disa-**
20 **bility insurance benefits under the federal Social Security Act may be**
21 **employed during calendar year 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023 or 2024 for no more**

1 than the number of hours for which the salary equals the maximum
2 allowed for receipt of the full amount of those benefits to which the
3 person is entitled.

4 “(4) Employment under this section does not affect the status of a
5 person as a retired member of the system and a recipient of retirement
6 benefits under this chapter.

7 **“SECTION 3.** Section 4 of this 2019 Act is added to and made a part
8 of ORS chapter 238A.

9 **“SECTION 4. (1)** Notwithstanding ORS 238A.245 and subject to the
10 limitations in this section, during calendar year 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023
11 or 2024, a participating public employer may employ any retired
12 member without limitation on the hours worked by the retired mem-
13 ber if the administrative head of the public employer is satisfied that
14 the employment is in the public interest. The Public Employees Re-
15 tirement Board shall continue making pension payments to a retired
16 member of the pension program who is reemployed under this section.

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18 endar year 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023 or 2024 shall contribute to the Public
19 Employees Retirement Board the percentage of the member’s salary
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21 member were an active member of the system. The board shall apply
22 contributions made by a public employer under this subsection against
23 the liabilities of the public employer.

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26 employed during calendar year 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023 or 2024 for no more
27 than the number of hours for which the salary equals the maximum
28 allowed for receipt of the full amount of those benefits to which the
29 person is entitled.

30 “(4) Employment under this section does not affect the status of a

1 **person as a retired member of the pension program and a recipient of**
2 **retirement benefits under this chapter.**

3 **“SECTION 5. Sections 2 and 4 of this 2019 Act are repealed on Jan-**
4 **uary 2, 2025.”.**

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