

By Senator Lawson

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1 A bill to be entitled
2 An act relating to the Florida Retirement System;
3 amending s. 121.021, F.S.; redefining the terms
4 "normal retirement date" and "normal retirement age"
5 to allow normal retirement of Regular Class members
6 after 25 years of creditable service and attainment of
7 age 50; providing an effective date.

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9 Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Florida:

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11 Section 1. Paragraph (a) of subsection (29) of section
12 121.021, Florida Statutes, is amended to read:

13 121.021 Definitions.—The following words and phrases as
14 used in this chapter have the respective meanings set forth
15 unless a different meaning is plainly required by the context:

16 (29) "Normal retirement date" means the first day of any
17 month following the date a member attains one of the following
18 statuses:

19 (a) If a Regular Class member, the member:

20 1. Completes 6 or more years of creditable service and
21 attains age 62; or

22 2. Completes 25 ~~30~~ years of creditable service, ~~regardless~~
23 ~~of age,~~ which may include a maximum of 4 years of military
24 service credit as long as such credit is not claimed under any
25 other system, and attains age 50.

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27 "Normal retirement age" is attained on the "normal retirement
28 date."

29 Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2009.