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COMMITTEE/SUBCOMMITTEE ACTION

ADOPTED	<u> </u>	(Y/N)
ADOPTED AS AMENDED	<u> </u>	(Y/N)
ADOPTED W/O OBJECTION	<u> </u>	(Y/N)
FAILED TO ADOPT	<u> </u>	(Y/N)
WITHDRAWN	<u> </u>	(Y/N)
OTHER	<u> </u>	

1 Committee/Subcommittee hearing bill: Appropriations Committee
2 Representative Fine offered the following:

Amendment (with title amendment)

Between lines 153 and 154, insert:

Section 3. Effective upon becoming a law, paragraph (d) of subsection (1) of section 121.051, Florida Statutes, is amended, and paragraph (e) is added to that subsection, to read:

121.051 Participation in the system.—

(1) COMPULSORY PARTICIPATION.—

(d) Beginning March 31, 2018, an employee of a dependent special district or a not-for-profit corporation or association created by the Board of County Commissioners of Escambia County for the purpose of owning, operating, or managing a public bus transit system, may elect to participate in the Florida Retirement System by notifying his or her employer in writing on

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17 or before August 31, 2018. Employees electing to participate
18 within the election period shall become members of the Florida
19 Retirement System, and the election is irrevocable. Such
20 employees who are hired on or after March 31, 2018, shall be
21 required to participate in the Florida Retirement System.

22 (e) The following persons are not eligible to participate
23 in the Florida Retirement System:

24 1. Employees of a not-for-profit corporation or
25 association created by the Board of County Commissioners of Palm
26 Beach County for the purpose of owning, operating, or managing a
27 public bus transit system formerly operated or managed by a
28 private corporation subject to 49 U.S.C. s. 5333(b).

29 2. Persons who perform services as a consultant or an
30 independent contractor, as defined by the division.

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34 Remove lines 2-12 and insert:

35 An act relating to retirement; amending s. 121.091, F.S.;
36 revising limitations on the maximum length of participation in
37 the Deferred Retirement Option Program for certain instructional
38 personnel and administrative personnel; requiring an employer to
39 notify the Division of Retirement of the Department of
40 Management Services regarding any change in termination date and
41 program participation for each affected member; providing a

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42 | statement of important state interest; amending s. 121.051,
43 | F.S.; authorizing certain employees to elect to participate in
44 | the Florida Retirement System during a specified period;
45 | requiring membership in the system under certain circumstances;
46 | providing effective dates.