Tuesday, February 17, 2015
Legislative Committee Meeting ** Via Teleconference - Dial 877-802-4003;
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2211 York Road, Suite 400, Oak Brook, IL 60523 Beginning at 10:30 a.m.

1. Roll Call
A. Roll Call @ 10:30 a.m.

2. Approval of Minutes - Action Required
A. Approval of Minutes from February 2, 2015 Legislative Committee Meeting

3. Public Comments

4. Consent Agenda (Previously Introduced Legislation)
A. Senate Bill 104 (Murphy) For new members only, excludes from pensionable wages payments received for unused sick and vacation time. It would also terminate a provision allowing members to convert unused, unpaid sick time to service credit.

A. House Bill 239 (Yingling) - If there is a hearing regarding eligibility for a pension due to felony forfeiture, requires the fund to notify the Attorney General and the state's attorney of the county in which the felony occurred. Also grants those individuals that authority to contest the eligibility and seek judicial review.

B. House Bill 1334 (Franks) - If an annuitant returns to the same employer in a similar position, requires that the annuity about $2,000 be offset by the amount of salary received in that position.

C. House Bill XXX (Harris) - Temporarily allows annuitants who retired prior to the passage of civil unions and/or marriage equality but then got married under those laws to repay their surviving spouse refund and regain eligibility for the benefit. For IMRF only, also allows surviving spouse benefits to be paid for the second spouse of annuitants who retired before March 26, 2992 and did not receive a refund of their surviving spouse contributions.

D. Senate Bill 763 (Sandoval) - Allows employers to allow their firefighters who are not eligible for participation in an Article 4 (downstate fire) pension plan to participate in IMRF SLEP.

6. New Business

7. Trustee Comments

8. Adjournment