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Friday, February 3, 2017 Legislative Committee Meeting

2211 York Road, Suite 400, Oak Brook, IL 60523 Beginning at 10:30 a.m.** Via Teleconference 877-802-4003; Passcode: 520447

1. Roll Call

A. Roll Call @ 10:30 a.m. Call-in number for this meeting is 877-802-4003; passcode is 520447

2. Approval of Minutes - Action Required

A. Approval of Minutes from November 17, 2016 Legislative Committee Meeting

3. Public Comments

4. Newly Introduced Legislation Affecting the Illinois Pension Code

A. HB 350 (McSweeney) – This bill would extend the felony forfeiture provisions to the member's spouse if the spouse is convicted of a felony related to the service of the member. In these cases, the spouse would lose eligibility for a surviving spouse annuity. The bill applies only to spouses of members who first participate on or after the effective date of the bill and applies to all of the Illinois public pension systems.

B. HB 362 (Skillicorn) - This bill would exclude elected officials working for any employer that is not a home rule unit of government. Elected officials currently participating with affected employers would be grandfathered.

5. Previously Introduced Legislation Affecting the Illinois Pension Code

A. HB 291 (Olsen) - Excludes elected officials working on a part-time basis as eligible employees. Officials elected prior to the effective date would not be affected. Employers would be required to certify if the office is a full-time position and they must re-certify eligibility at least every four years.

B. HB 436 (Ives) - Excludes from pensionable wages payments received for unused sick and vacation time and terminates a provision allowing members to convert unused, unpaid sick time to service credit. Only applicable to new members.

C. HB 441 (Ives) - In the provisions applicable to IMRF, excludes elected officials working on a part-time basis as eligible employees. Officials elected prior to the effective date would not be affected. Employers would be required to certify if the office is a full-time position and they must re-certify eligibility at least every four years.

6. New Business

7. Trustee Comments

8. Adjournment