

**House Bill 9**  
Senate Amendments  
Section-by-Section Analysis

HOUSE VERSION

SENATE VERSION (IE)

CONFERENCE

No equivalent provision.

SECTION \_\_. Section 812.003(a), (d), and (e), Government Code, are amended to read as follows:

(a) Except as provided by Subsection [~~Subsections~~] (b) [~~and (d)~~], membership in the employee class of the retirement system includes all employees and appointed officers of every department, commission, board, agency, or institution of the state except:

(1) independent contractors and their employees performing work for the state; and

(2) persons disqualified from membership under Section 812.201.

(d) Membership in the employee class begins on the [~~91st day after the~~] first day a person is employed or holds office.

(e) A person who is reemployed or who again holds office after withdrawing contributions under Subchapter B for previous service credited in the employee class begins membership in the employee class on the [~~91st day after the~~] first day the person is reemployed or again holds office. [FA1(1)]

No equivalent provision.

SECTION \_\_. Section 813.514, Government Code, is amended by amending Subsection (a) and adding Subsection (a-1) to read as follows:

(a) This section applies only to a member who became a member before September 1, 2015.

(a-1) A member may establish service credit under this section in the employee class only for service performed during a 90-day waiting period to become a member after beginning employment or holding office. [FA1(1)]

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SECTION 1. Section 815.402(a), Government Code, is amended to read as follows:

(a) Except as provided by Section 813.201, each payroll period, each department or agency of the state shall cause to be deducted from each member's compensation a contribution of:

(1) 9.5 [~~6.6~~ percent of the compensation if the member is not a member of the legislature, for service rendered after August 31, 2013, and before September 1, 2014;

~~[(2) 6.9 percent of the compensation if the member is not a member of the legislature, for service rendered after August 31, 2014, and before September 1, 2015;~~

~~[(3) 7.2] percent of the compensation if the member is not a member of the legislature, for service rendered after August 31, 2015, and before September 1, 2017 [2016];~~

(2) [~~(4) 7.5 percent of the compensation if the member is not a member of the legislature, for service rendered after August 31, 2016;~~

~~[(5)] for service by a member who is not a member of the legislature rendered on or after September 1, 2017, the lesser of:~~

(A) 9.5 [~~7.5] percent of the member's annual compensation;~~  
or

(B) a percentage of the member's annual compensation equal to 9.5 [~~7.5] percent reduced by one-tenth of one percent for each one-tenth of one percent that the state contribution rate for the fiscal year to which the service relates is less than the state contribution rate established for the 2017 [~~2015] fiscal year; or~~~~

(3) 9.5 [~~(6) eight] percent of the compensation if the member is a member of the legislature.~~

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SECTION 1. Same as House version.

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SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2015.

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SECTION \_\_. Section 812.003(f), Government Code, is repealed. [FA1(1)]

SECTION 2. Same as House version.

CONFERENCE