CERTIFICATION OF ENROLLMENT

SENATE BILL 5676

Chapter 52, Laws of 2022

67th Legislature 2022 Regular Session

PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM PLAN 1 AND TEACHERS' RETIREMENT SYSTEM PLAN 1—BENEFIT INCREASE

EFFECTIVE DATE: July 1, 2022

Passed by the Senate February 2, 2022 CERTIFICATE Yeas 47 Nays 0 I, Sarah Bannister, Secretary of the Senate of the State of DENNY HECK Washington, do hereby certify that the attached is **SENATE BILL 5676** as President of the Senate passed by the Senate and the House of Representatives on the dates hereon set forth. Passed by the House March 2, 2022 Yeas 95 Nays 0 SARAH BANNISTER Secretary LAURIE JINKINS Speaker of the House of Representatives Approved March 11, 2022 10:48 AM FILED

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By Senators Conway, Billig, Gildon, Holy, Hunt, Keiser, Kuderer, Lovelett, Lovick, Mullet, Muzzall, Pedersen, Randall, Rivers, Robinson, Saldaña, Stanford, Van De Wege, Wagoner, Warnick, Wellman, C. Wilson, and L. Wilson; by request of Select Committee on Pension Policy

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- 1 AN ACT Relating to providing a benefit increase to certain
- 2 retirees of the public employees' retirement system plan 1 and the
- 3 teachers' retirement system plan 1; amending RCW 41.32.4992 and
- 4 41.40.1987; and providing an effective date.
- 5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:
- 6 **Sec. 1.** RCW 41.32.4992 and 2020 c 329 s 2 are each amended to read as follows:
 - (1) Beneficiaries who are receiving a monthly benefit from the teachers' retirement system plan 1 on July 1, 2017, shall receive, effective July 1, 2018, an increase to their monthly benefit of one and one-half percent multiplied by the beneficiaries' monthly benefit, not to exceed sixty-two dollars and fifty cents.
 - (2) Beneficiaries who are receiving a monthly benefit from the teachers' retirement system plan 1 on July 1, 2019, shall receive, effective July 1, 2020, an increase to their monthly benefit of three percent multiplied by the beneficiaries' monthly benefit, not to exceed sixty-two dollars and fifty cents.
- 18 (3) <u>Beneficiaries who are receiving a monthly benefit from the</u>
 19 <u>teachers' retirement system plan 1 on July 1, 2021, shall receive,</u>
 20 <u>effective July 1, 2022, an increase to their monthly benefit of three</u>

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- percent multiplied by the beneficiaries' monthly benefit, not to
 exceed one hundred ten dollars and zero cents.
- 3 <u>(4)</u> This section does not apply to those receiving benefits 4 pursuant to RCW 41.32.489 or 41.32.540.
- 5 **Sec. 2.** RCW 41.40.1987 and 2020 c 329 s 1 are each amended to 6 read as follows:

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- (1) Beneficiaries who are receiving a monthly benefit from the public employees' retirement system plan 1 on July 1, 2017, shall receive, effective July 1, 2018, an increase to their monthly benefit of one and one-half percent multiplied by the beneficiaries' monthly benefit, not to exceed sixty-two dollars and fifty cents.
- (2) Beneficiaries who are receiving a monthly benefit from the public employees' retirement system plan 1 on July 1, 2019, shall receive, effective July 1, 2020, an increase to their monthly benefit of three percent multiplied by the beneficiaries' monthly benefit, not to exceed sixty-two dollars and fifty cents.
- 17 (3) Beneficiaries who are receiving a monthly benefit from the
 18 public employees' retirement system plan 1 on July 1, 2021, shall
 19 receive, effective July 1, 2022, an increase to their monthly benefit
 20 of three percent multiplied by the beneficiaries' monthly benefit,
 21 not to exceed one hundred ten dollars and zero cents.
- 22 <u>(4)</u> This section does not apply to those receiving benefits 23 pursuant to RCW 41.40.1984.
- NEW SECTION. Sec. 3. This act takes effect July 1, 2022.

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