SENATE BILL 5495

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By Senator Hunt

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- AN ACT Relating to membership in state retirement plans prior to
- 2 attaining the normal retirement age in another plan; and amending RCW
- 3 41.04.270.
- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:
- 5 **Sec. 1.** RCW 41.04.270 and 2006 c 309 s 3 are each amended to 6 read as follows:
- 7 (1) Except as provided in chapter 2.10, 2.12, 41.26, 41.28,
- 8 41.32, 41.35, 41.37, 41.40, or 43.43 RCW, on and after March 19,
- 9 1976, any member or former member who (a) receives a retirement
- 10 allowance earned by the former member as deferred compensation from
- 11 any public retirement system authorized by the general laws of this
- 12 state, or (b) is eligible to receive a <u>normal</u> retirement allowance
- 13 from any public retirement system listed in RCW 41.50.030, but
- 14 chooses not to apply, or (c) is the beneficiary of a disability
- 15 allowance from any public retirement system listed in RCW 41.50.030
- 16 shall be estopped from becoming a member of or accruing any
- 17 contractual rights whatsoever in any other public retirement system
- 18 listed in RCW 41.50.030: PROVIDED, That (a) and (b) of this
- 19 subsection shall not apply to persons who have accumulated less than
- 20 fifteen years service credit in any such system.

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(2) Nothing in this section is intended to apply to any retirement system except those listed in RCW 41.50.030 and the city employee retirement systems for Seattle, Tacoma, and Spokane. Subsection (1)(b) of this section does not apply to a dual member as defined in RCW 41.54.010.

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