



General Assembly

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Committee Bill No. 5737

LCO No. 5866



Referred to Committee on HIGHER EDUCATION AND
EMPLOYMENT ADVANCEMENT

Introduced by:
(HED)

AN ACT CONCERNING HEALTH INSURANCE FOR RETIRED PART-TIME FACULTY OF THE STATE SYSTEM OF PUBLIC HIGHER EDUCATION.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. Section 5-259c of the general statutes is repealed and the
2 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July 1, 2023*):

3 (a) Any part-time professional employee of the state system of
4 public higher education may elect to participate in the group
5 hospitalization and medical and surgical insurance plan established
6 pursuant to subsection (a) of section 5-259. Each employee who elects
7 such coverage shall pay the premium for the form of coverage elected
8 under such plan.

9 (b) The Comptroller shall include in the group hospitalization and
10 medical and surgical insurance plan established pursuant to
11 subsection (a) of section 5-259 any retired part-time professional
12 employee of the state system of public higher education, who (1)
13 becomes eligible for benefits under a state-sponsored retirement

14 system, (2) agrees to pay the amount of retirement health contributions
15 required of retired state employees pursuant to a formula adopted by
16 the Comptroller, and (3) has taught not less than two hundred twenty
17 credit hours in aggregate at any public institution of higher education
18 within the state system of public higher education. The Comptroller, in
19 consultation with the Board of Regents for Higher Education, shall
20 establish a formula for the payment of retirement health contributions
21 by such retired part-time professional employees.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	July 1, 2023	5-259c

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Joint Favorable C/R

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