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IN THE SENATE

SENATE BILL NO. 1202

BY COMMERCE AND HUMAN RESOURCES COMMITTEE

AN ACT RELATING TO THE PUBLIC EMPLOYEE RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AMENDING SECTION 2 59-1306, IDAHO CODE, TO INCLUDE ADDITIONAL REFERENCES TO THE INTER-3 NAL REVENUE CODE, TO REMOVE ARCHAIC REFERENCE TO AN EFFECTIVE DATE, TO 4 5 MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS AND TO CLARIFY THAT A MARRIAGE MUST BE VALID OR MUST BE RECOGNIZED UNDER THE LAWS AND CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF 6 IDAHO; AND PROVIDING SEVERABILITY. 7

Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Idaho:

SECTION 1. That Section 59-1306, Idaho Code, be, and the same is hereby amended to read as follows: 10

59-1306. CONFORMITY WITH FEDERAL TAX CODE TO MAINTAIN QUALIFIED PLAN TAX STATUS. (1) Chapter 13, title 59, and chapter 14, title 72, Idaho Code, shall be administered in a manner so as to comply with the requirements of 26 U.S.C. section 401(a)(8), (9), (16), (25), and (31), (36) and (37) and with the vesting requirements described in 26 U.S.C. section 411(e)(2). The public employees retirement system board shall promulgate rules and amend or repeal conflicting rules in order to assure compliance with the requirements of this these sections. This chapter shall be in full force and effect on and after January 1, 1989, and thereafter only so long as conformity to section 401(a) of the internal revenue code, 26 U.S.C., compliance with paragraphs (8), (9), (16), (25), (31), (36) and (37) of subsection 401(a) and paragraph (2) of subsection 411(e) of the Internal Revenue Code is required for public retirement systems. If compliance with any such paragraph is, at any point not longer required, this provision or the applicable portion thereof, will cease to have any force or effect.

(2) For all purposes of the Idaho income tax act, a marriage must be one that is considered valid or recognized under section 28, article III, of the constitution of the state of Idaho and defined in section 32-201, Idaho Code, or as recognized under section 32-209, Idaho Code.

SECTION 2. SEVERABILITY. The provisions of this act are hereby declared to be severable and if any provision of this act or the application of such provision to any person or circumstance is declared invalid for any reason, such declaration shall not affect the validity of the remaining portions of this act.