Chapter 59

(Senate Bill 356)

AN ACT concerning

State Retirement and Pension System - Military Service Credit - Eligibility

FOR the purpose of altering the criteria used to determine the eligibility of certain members of the State Retirement and Pension System to receive service credit for military service so as to require a certain amount of service credit in the State Retirement and Pension System in a certain manner; and generally relating to eligibility criteria for certain members of the State Retirement and Pension System to receive service credit for military service.

BY repealing and reenacting, with amendments,

Article – State Personnel and Pensions Section 38–104(b) Annotated Code of Maryland (2009 Replacement Volume and 2010 Supplement)

SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

Article - State Personnel and Pensions

38-104.

(b) Except as provided in subsection (c) of this section, an individual described in subsection (a) of this section, who has not met the conditions set forth in § 38–103(a)(2) through (4) of this subtitle, is entitled to receive service credit for military service only on the attainment of 10 years of [creditable] service CREDIT EARNED THROUGH EMPLOYMENT AS A MEMBER OF A STATE SYSTEM.

SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect July 1, 2011.

Approved by the Governor, April 12, 2011.