SENATE BILL 3391

By Marrero B

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 8, Chapter 34, Part 6, relative to creditable service.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 8, Chapter 34, Part 6, is amended by adding the following language as a new section:

Section 8-34-628. Upon election by the member, a member subject to the employment restriction provided in §3-6-304(I) who has been in such position for one (1) or more years shall be entitled to one (1) additional year of creditable service upon leaving such employment restricted position on or after December 31, 2010, but prior to July 1, 2011. Service elected pursuant to this section shall be treated in the same manner as other creditable service in the system; provided, that such service shall not be used in calculating the member's average final compensation or years of service for insurance eligibility or support. Any election pursuant to this section shall be made in writing prior to July 1, 2011, by the member at the time of separation from the employment restricted position in accordance with the provisions of this section.

SECTION 2. This act is subject to the funding being provided in the general appropriations act.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect November 2, 2010, the public welfare requiring it.