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BRIEF SUMMARY OF PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO TITLE 162, SERIES 6

The West Virginia Consolidated Public Retirement Board ("Board"), as administrator of the State's several pension plans, proposes an amendatory addition to Title 162, Series 6 rules to reflect that a retired member of the six defined benefit plans administered by the Board can apply and serve as a representative to the West Virginia Investment Management Board. The proposed amendatory addition is set forth in WVCSR §162-6-2.

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STATEMENT OF CIRCUMSTANCES REQUIRING
PROPOSAL AND PROMULGATION OF PROPOSED RULE CHANGES TO SERIES 6
OF TITLE 162 OF THE WV CODE OF STATE REGULATIONS

As statutory administrator of the State's several pension plans, the West Virginia Consolidated Public Retirement Board proposes an amendatory addition to Title 162, Series 6 of the West Virginia Code of State Regulations. Specifically, the Board proposes amendatory language to reflect that a retired member of the six defined benefit plans administered by the Board can apply and serve as a representative to the West Virginia Investment Management Board. This rule change has been determined to be necessary and appropriate because of the difficulty in which the Board has encountered securing qualified members to serve as representatives to the West Virginia Investment Management Board.

APPENDIX B

FISCAL NOTE FOR PROPOSED RULES

Rule Title: Title 162 (Series 6) Procedural Rules of the West Virginia Consolidated Public Retirement Board for the Appointment of Representatives to the West Virginia Investment Management Board.

Type of Rule: X Legislative Interpretive Procedural

Agency: The State of West Virginia Consolidated Public Retirement Board

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 Charleston, West Virginia 25305

1. Effect of Proposed rule:

	ANNUAL		FISCAL YEAR		
	INCREASE	DECREASE	CURRENT	NEXT	THEREAFTER
ESTIMATED TOTAL COST	None				
PERSONAL SERVICES					
CURRENT EXPENSE					
REPAIRS & ALTERATIONS					
EQUIPMENT					
OTHER					

2. Explanation of Above Estimates:

Rule change does not impact administrative nor benefit related cost of any plans administered by the WV CPRB.

3. Objectives of These Rules:

To allow for a retiree from any of the retirement plans administered by the WV CPRB to be eligible for appointment to the West Virginia Investment Management Board.

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4. Explanation of Overall Economic Impact of Proposed Rule:

A. Economic Impact on State Government:

None.

B. Economic Impact on Political Subdivisions; Specific Industries; Specific Groups of Citizens:

None.

C. Economic Impact on Citizens/Public at Large:

None.

Date: May 29, 2003

Signature of Agency Head and/or Authorized Representative:

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TITLE 162
PROCEDURAL RULE
WEST VIRGINIA CONSOLIDATED PUBLIC RETIREMENT BOARD

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SERIES 6
PROCEDURAL RULES OF THE WEST VIRGINIA CONSOLIDATED
PUBLIC RETIREMENT BOARD FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF
REPRESENTATIVES TO THE WEST VIRGINIA
INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT BOARD

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§162-6-1. General.

1.1. Scope. -- This series of rules sets forth the procedure to be followed by the West Virginia Consolidated Public Retirement Board for the appointment of representatives from each of the six (6) defined benefit plans administered by the Consolidated Public Retirement Board to the West Virginia Investment Management Board as required by W. Va. Code § 12-6-3.

1.2. Authority. -- W. Va. Code § 5-10D-1.

1.3. Filing Date. --

1.4. Effective Date. --

§162-6-2. Appointment Process.

2.1. Pursuant to W. Va. Code §12-6-3, the West Virginia Consolidated Public Retirement Board shall annually appoint, on or before the first day of June of each year, a representative to the West Virginia Investment Management Board from each of the six (6) defined benefit plans administered by the Consolidated Public Retirement Board.

2.2. The West Virginia Consolidated Public Retirement Board shall make available to any interested member, or retiree, of the six (6) defined benefit plans administered by the Consolidated Public Retirement Board an "Application for Appointment by the Consolidated Public Retirement Board to be a Representative to the West Virginia Investment Management Board," a copy of which is attached hereto and incorporated by reference as Appendix A.

2.3. Any individual wishing to submit an Application for Appointment by the Consolidated Public Retirement Board to be a Representative to the West Virginia Investment Management Board shall do so on or before the first day of April of the year in which he or she wishes to be considered for appointment.

2.4. The chairperson of the West Virginia Consolidated Public Retirement Board shall, on or before the first day of April of each year, designate a standing committee from its members whose responsibility it shall be to evaluate the applications submitted for consideration in accordance with these rules and to make recommendations to the Board in conjunction therewith.

2.5. The standing committee charged with evaluating the applications for appointment of representatives to the West Virginia Investment Management Board shall, on or before the first day of May of each year, report to the West Virginia Consolidated Public Retirement Board its findings and recommendations with respect to the applicants, and the Board shall, with input from the standing committee, appoint one representative from each of the six (6) defined benefit retirement plans on or before the first day of June of each year.

2.6. On or before the first day of June of each year, the West Virginia Consolidated Public Retirement Board shall submit in writing to the Investment Management Board the names of each of the representatives appointed pursuant to these rules.

§162-6-3. Appointment of Representative from Public Safety "A."

3.1. The West Virginia Consolidated Public Retirement Board shall appoint a representative from the Public Safety "A" retirement system from those members of that system who shall have completed the Consolidated Public Retirement Board's application form as set forth in section §162-6-2 of these rules, which form must be signed by at least five (5) other members of that retirement system.

§162-6-4. Appointment of Representative from Public Safety "B."

4.1. The West Virginia Consolidated Public Retirement Board shall appoint a representative from the Public Safety "B" retirement system from those members of that system who shall have completed the Consolidated Public Retirement Board's application form as set forth in subsection §162-6-2 of these rules, which form must be signed by at least five (5) other members of that retirement system.

§162-6-5. Appointment of Representative from the Judges Retirement System.

5.1. The West Virginia Consolidated Public Retirement Board shall appoint a representative from the Judges Retirement System from those members of that system who shall have completed the Consolidated Public Retirement Board's application form as set forth in subsection §162-6-2 of these rules, which form must be signed by at least five (5) other members of that retirement system.

§162-6-6. Appointment of Representatives from the Teachers Defined Benefit Plan.

6.1. The West Virginia Consolidated Public Retirement Board shall appoint a representative from the Teachers Defined Benefit Plan from those members of that plan who shall have completed the Consolidated Public Retirement Board's application form as set forth in subsection §162-6-2 of these rules, which form must be signed by at least five (5) other members of that retirement system.

§162-6-7. Appointment of Representative from

the Public Employees Retirement System.

7.1. The West Virginia Consolidated Public Retirement Board shall appoint a representative from the Public Employees Retirement System from those members of that plan who shall have completed the Consolidated Public Retirement Board's application form as set forth in subsection §162-6-2 of these rules, which form must be signed by at least five (5) other members of that retirement system.

§162-6-8. Appointment of Representative from the Deputy Sheriffs Retirement System.

8.1. The West Virginia Consolidated Public Retirement Board shall appoint a representative from the Deputy Sheriffs Retirement System from those members of that plan who shall have completed the Consolidated Public Retirement Board's application form as set forth in subsection §162-6-2 of these rules, which form must be signed by at least five (5) other members of that retirement system.

§162-6-9. Committee Selection by Appointed Representatives.

9.1. Each of the representatives appointed in accordance with these procedural rules shall, in turn and on or before July 1 of each year, appoint no more than three people to comprise a committee to represent the respective retirement funds in meetings before the Investment Management Board.

9.2. The representative appointed by the West Virginia Consolidated Public Retirement Board pursuant to these rules may serve as one of the three committee members referenced in 9.1 of these rules.

9.3. Each of the representatives appointed in accordance with these procedural rules shall submit in writing to the West Virginia Investment Management Board, on or before the first day of July of each year, the names of the three people comprising the committee appointed pursuant to §162-6-9.1 of these rules who will represent the beneficiaries of that representative's participant plan in meetings before the West Virginia

Investment Management Board.

9.4. The committee members selected by the representative appointed in accordance with these procedural rules should come from diverse backgrounds as well as diverse geographical regions of the state, and should, whenever possible, not represent the same type of employees or the same work organization as the representative or the other committee members, and should have some experience with retirement plans and/or the investment of pension assets.

§162-6-10. Same Procedure to be Followed for Additional Defined Benefit Plans Created by Act of Legislature.

10.1. To the extent that additional defined benefit plans are created by Act of the Legislature subsequent to the effective date of these rules, for which representative appointments to the Investment Management Board must be made, the same procedure as set forth herein for representative appointments for the existing defined benefit plans administered by the West Virginia Consolidated Public Retirement Board shall be followed for the appointment of representatives from such additional defined benefit plans to the Investment Management Board.

§162-6-11. Procedure to be Followed in the Event of Resignation of Appointed Representatives.

11.1. In the event that a representative appointed pursuant to these rules tenders his resignation to the Consolidated Public Retirement Board during the term of his appointment, the Board's designated standing committee shall review and consider the remaining applications which were tendered for consideration for the term of appointment in question, and shall make a recommendation to the Consolidated Public Retirement Board regarding the appointment of a substitute representative at the Board's next regularly scheduled meeting.

11.2. The Consolidated Public Retirement Board shall consider the recommendation of the standing committee regarding the appointment of

a substitute representative, and shall, with input from the standing committee, appoint a substitute representative to fill the position vacated by the resigning representative for the balance of that term of appointment.

§162-6-12. Procedure to be Followed in the Event No Application is Received.

12.1 If there are no applications received by the Consolidated Public Retirement Board within the time period contemplated by §162-6-2.3 for any of the plans covered by this rule, the Board shall, with input from the Standing Committee, appoint a representative from such plan who is willing to serve and who, in the determination of the Board, would be capable of properly fulfilling the obligation of such an appointment.

**APPLICATION FOR APPOINTMENT
BY THE CONSOLIDATED PUBLIC RETIREMENT BOARD TO BE A
REPRESENTATIVE TO THE
WEST VIRGINIA INVESTMENT MANAGEMENT BOARD**

Name		Social Security Number	
Address	City	State	Zip Code
Home Telephone ()		Work Telephone ()	
Home FAX ()		Work FAX ()	
Home Email ()		Work Email ()	

REPRESENTATIVE TO WHAT SYSTEM (Please circle one)

PERS TRS JRS PS "A" PS "B" DSRS

Experience for Appointment:

Applicants Signature _____ Date _____

I hereby recommend the above named individual for this appointment, and I verify that I am a participating member of the same retirement system.:

Please Print Your Name	Your Signature	Your Social Security No.
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