## ASSEMBLY BILL NO. 431-ASSEMBLYMAN OCEGUERA

## MARCH 19, 2001

## Referred to Committee on Government Affairs

SUMMARY-Requires public employees' retirement board to establish deferred retirement option plan. (BDR 23-985)

FISCAL NOTE: Effect on Local Government: No.

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Effect on the State: No.

EXPLANATION – Matter in bolded italics is new; matter between brackets [omitted material] is material to be omitted.

AN ACT relating to the public employees' retirement system; requiring the public employees' retirement board to establish a deferred retirement option plan; and providing other matters properly relating thereto.

## THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, REPRESENTED IN SENATE AND ASSEMBLY, DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

**Section 1.** Chapter 286 of NRS is hereby amended by adding thereto a new section to read as follows:

- 1. The board shall establish and administer a deferred retirement option plan pursuant to which a member who participates in the plan may receive a partial lump-sum payment and a reduced retirement benefit.
- 2. The deferred retirement option plan established pursuant to this section must:
- (a) To the extent possible, be developed to be cost-neutral to the
- (b) Limit the participation of a member in the plan to a fixed period of not more than 5 years;
  - (c) Establish a separate account for each participating member;
- 14 (d) Allow any cost of living increase that a member receives during his 15 period of participation in the deferred retirement option plan to be credited to his account; and 16 17
  - (e) Credit interest earned on a member's account to that account.
- 18 The board shall adopt regulations necessary to carry out the 19 provisions of this section.



Sec. 2. The public employees' retirement system shall report to the interim finance committee on or before August 1, 2002, its progress on establishing a deferred retirement option plan pursuant to section 1 of this act and any recommendations for legislation necessary to carry out the plan. 1 2 3 4 5 6

**Sec. 3.** This act becomes effective on July 1, 2001.



