

COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH  
OVERSIGHT DIVISION

**FISCAL NOTE**

L.R. No.: 0559-01  
Bill No.: HB 246  
Subject: Law Enforcement Officers and Agencies; Retirement - Local Government  
 Retirement Systems and Benefits - General  
Type: Original  
Date: January 29, 2003

**FISCAL SUMMARY**

<b>ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON GENERAL REVENUE FUND</b>			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2004	FY 2005	FY 2006
<b>Total Estimated Net Effect on General Revenue Fund</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>

<b>ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON OTHER STATE FUNDS</b>			
FUND AFFECTED	FY 2004	FY 2005	FY 2006
<b>Total Estimated Net Effect on Other State Funds</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>

Numbers within parentheses: ( ) indicate costs or losses.  
 This fiscal note contains 4 pages.

<b>ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON FEDERAL FUNDS</b>			
<b>FUND AFFECTED</b>	<b>FY 2004</b>	<b>FY 2005</b>	<b>FY 2006</b>
<b>Total Estimated Net Effect on <u>All</u> Federal Funds</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>

<b>ESTIMATED NET EFFECT ON LOCAL FUNDS</b>			
<b>FUND AFFECTED</b>	<b>FY 2004</b>	<b>FY 2005</b>	<b>FY 2006</b>
<b>Local Government</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>

**FISCAL ANALYSIS**

**ASSUMPTION**

Officials from the **Police Retirement System of Kansas City, City of Kansas City and Local Government Employees Retirement System** assume the proposed legislation will not fiscally impact their organization.

The **Joint Committee on Public Employee Retirement (JCPER)** has reviewed this proposal and has determined an actuarial study is not needed under the provisions of section 105.660, subdivision (5).

<b><u>FISCAL IMPACT - State Government</u></b>	<b>FY 2004 (10 Mo.)</b>	<b>FY 2005</b>	<b>FY 2006</b>
	<b><u>\$0</u></b>	<b><u>\$0</u></b>	<b><u>\$0</u></b>

FISCAL IMPACT - Local Government

FY 2004  
(10 Mo.)

FY 2005

FY 2006

\$0

\$0

\$0

FISCAL IMPACT - Small Business

No direct fiscal impact to small businesses would be expected as a result of this proposal.

DESCRIPTION

This bill revises provisions pertaining to the Kansas City Police Retirement System.

The Kansas City Police Department is required to grant authorized leave with pay to active police officers and civilian employees to attend educational seminars and similar functions for a period not to exceed 10 days in any calendar year. The bill requires that the educational seminars and similar functions be authorized by the Retirement Board.

If the city of Kansas City and the Kansas City Police Department adopt a program of incentives to encourage early retirement of members, the board is authorized to administer and pay the incentives established by the program. This provision is contingent upon the city requesting and agreeing to increase financial contributions to the police retirement system.

If the city of Kansas City and the Kansas City Police Department adopt a program of incentives to encourage early retirement of civilian employees, the Retirement Board for Civilian Employees is authorized to administer and pay the incentives established by the program. This provision is contingent upon the city requesting and agreeing to increase financial contributions to the civilian retirement system.

The bill also requires a funeral benefit of \$1,000 to be paid in addition to all other benefits for a civilian employee. Proper proof of death is required. If the funeral benefit for a civilian employee is less than the employee's accumulated contributions, an amount equal to the difference is required to be paid to the employee's designated beneficiary or the personal representative.

This legislation is not federally mandated, would not duplicate any other program and would not require additional capital improvements or rental space.

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SOURCES OF INFORMATION

Joint Committee on Public Employee Retirement  
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