Amendment: 7

Representative HAYES proposes the following amendment:

PUBLIC EMPLOYEE BENEFIT AUTHORITY

New

108.rce (PEBA:Return to Covered Employment) In the current fiscal year, a retired member of the South Carolina Retirement System or the Police Officers Retirement System may be hired and return to employment covered by any system provided for in law, without regard to earnings, without affecting the monthly retirement allowance the member is receiving from the system if the member has not been engaged to perform services for a participating employer in any system provided for in law for compensation in any capacity, whether as an employee, independent contractor, leased employee, joint employee, or other classification of worker, for a period of at least twelve consecutive months subsequent to retirement. Before utilizing this proviso, a member must certify to the system that he satisfies the requirements of this proviso. If a member inaccurately certifies that he satisfies the requirements, the member is responsible for reimbursing the system for any benefits wrongly paid to the member.