

COUNTY COUNCIL OF BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND
Legislative Session 2014, Legislative Day No. 8

Bill No. 25-14

Mrs. Cathy Bevins, Chair
By Request of County Executive

By the County Council, April 21, 2014

A BILL
ENTITLED

AN ACT concerning

Employees Retirement System – Contributions – Pay Schedule IV

FOR the purpose of providing that Pay Schedule IV members hired after July 1, 2014 shall contribute 10% of earnable compensation to the Retirement System; making certain stylistic changes; and generally relating to the contributions of certain members of the Retirement System.

By repealing and reenacting, with amendments

Section 5-1-203(9)(ii)

Article 5. Pensions and Retirement

Baltimore County Code, 2003

EXPLANATION: CAPITALS INDICATE MATTER ADDED TO EXISTING LAW.
[Brackets] indicate matter stricken from existing law.
~~Strike out~~ indicates matter stricken from bill.
Underlining indicates amendments to bill.

1 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF
2 BALTIMORE COUNTY, MARYLAND, that the Laws of Baltimore County shall read
3 as follows:

4 Article 5. Pensions and Retirement

5 § 5-1-203.

6 (9) (ii) Notwithstanding any other provision of this subtitle, the rate of
7 regular contributions shall be:

8 1. Except as otherwise provided in this subparagraph:

9 A. Beginning July 1, 2010, six and one-half (6.5) percent
10 of earnable compensation for all members; and

11 B. Beginning July 1, 2011, seven (7) percent of earnable
12 compensation for all members;

13 2. For Group 4 members:

14 A. Beginning July 1, 2010, eight (8) percent of earnable
15 compensation; and

16 B. Except as provided in [subitem (5)] SUBITEMS 5
17 AND 6 of this item, beginning July 1, 2011, eight and one-half (8.5) percent of earnable
18 compensation;

19 3. For Deputy Sheriffs and Correctional Officers:

20 A. Beginning July 1, 2010, seven and one-half (7.5)
21 percent of earnable compensation; and

1 B. Except as provided in subitem [(5)] 5 of this item,
2 beginning July 1, 2011, eight (8) percent of earnable compensation; and

3 4. For an appointed department head:

4 A. Beginning July 1, 2010, ten (10) percent of earnable
5 compensation; and

6 B. Beginning July 1, 2011, ten and one-half (10.5)
7 percent of earnable compensation; [and]

8 5. For Deputy Sheriffs, Correctional Officers, and sworn
9 members of the Fire Department, hired ON OR after July 1, [2011] 2011, ten (10) percent
10 of earnable [compensation] COMPENSATION; AND

11 6. FOR SWORN MEMBERS OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT
12 ON PAY SCHEDULE IV HIRED ON OR AFTER JULY 1, 2014, TEN (10) PERCENT
13 OF EARNABLE COMPENSATION.

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15 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, that this Act having passed by
16 the affirmative vote of five members of the County Council shall take effect July 1, 2014.