

Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to the law as it existed prior to this session of the General Assembly.

1 State of Arkansas  
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As Engrossed: H3/31/05

# A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1152

5 By: Representative Sullivan  
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## For An Act To Be Entitled

9 AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT THE JOINT INTERIM  
10 COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL  
11 SECURITY PROGRAMS PERFORM AN INTERIM STUDY ON  
12 CERTAIN ISSUES CONCERNING THE ARKANSAS FIRE AND  
13 POLICE PENSION REVIEW BOARD AND ARKANSAS LOCAL  
14 POLICE AND FIRE RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER  
15 PURPOSES.  
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## Subtitle

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18 ON CERTAIN ISSUES CONCERNING THE  
19 ARKANSAS FIRE AND POLICE PENSION REVIEW  
20 BOARD AND ARKANSAS LOCAL POLICE AND FIRE  
21 RETIREMENT SYSTEM.  
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26 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:  
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28 SECTION 1. (a) The Joint Interim Committee on Public Retirement and  
29 Social Security Programs shall study and review the following matters  
30 pertaining to the funds assigned to the Arkansas Fire and Police Pension  
31 Review Board and the Arkansas Local Police and Fire Retirement System:

32 (1) The feasibility and effect of a uniform contribution rate on  
33 the part of employers;

34 (2) The feasibility and effect of early retirement options; and

35 (3) Widow's benefits.

36 (b) As part of the study described in subsection (a) of this act, the



1 committee may study and review the feasibility and effect of health insurance  
2 stipends for members of the Local Police and Fire Pension and Relief Funds  
3 and Arkansas Local Police and Fire Retirement System, including, but not  
4 limited to, the tax treatment of health insurance stipends.

5 (c) The committee shall complete the study and make their findings and  
6 recommendations by October 31, 2006.

7 /s/ Sullivan

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