

CHAPTER 191

GOVERNMENT - STATE

HOUSE BILL 98-1242

BY REPRESENTATIVES Anderson, Adkins, Agler, Allen, Arrington, Epps, Morrison, Musgrave, Owen, and Paschall;
also SENATORS Lamborn and Powers.

AN ACT

CONCERNING A ONE-TENTH OF ONE PERCENT REDUCTION IN THE CONTRIBUTION RATE FOR EMPLOYERS
IN THE STATE AND SCHOOL DIVISION OF THE PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT ASSOCIATION, AND
MAKING AN APPROPRIATION IN CONNECTION THEREWITH.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Colorado:

SECTION 1. 24-51-401 (1.7), Colorado Revised Statutes, is amended to read:

24-51-401. Employer and member contributions. (1.7) Employers designated as state employers by rule of the board shall forward to the association by the tenth calendar day of each month a monthly contribution report and the full amount of employer and member contributions. Employers designated as school employers by rule of the board and municipal division employers shall forward to the association, by the date established by rule of the board, a monthly contribution report and the full amount of employer and member contributions. Except as provided in subsection (7) of this section, such contributions shall be based upon the rates for the appropriate division as set forth in the following table multiplied by the total gross salary paid to members for the preceding month:

**TABLE A
CONTRIBUTION RATES**

Division	Membership	Employer Rate	Member Rate
State and School	All Members	11.5% 11.4%	8.0%
	Except State Troopers	13.1%	11.5%

Capital letters indicate new material added to existing statutes; dashes through words indicate deletions from existing statutes and such material not part of act.

Municipal	All Members	10.0%	8.0%
Judicial	All Members	15.0%	8.0%

SECTION 2. Appropriations in long bill to be adjusted. For the implementation of section 24-51-401 (1.7), Colorado Revised Statutes, appropriations made in the annual general appropriation act for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1998, shall be reduced by the sum of one million four hundred nineteen thousand one hundred ten dollars (\$1,419,110). Said reductions shall be derived from such sources as detailed in the table below:

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DEPARTMENT	General Fund	Cash Funds	Cash Funds Exempt	HUTF	Federal Funds	Total
Agriculture	(5,459)	(5,039)	(527)	0	(132)	(11,157)
Corrections	(171,666)	(839)	(6,477)	0	0	(178,982)
Education	(14,610)	(988)	(991)	0	0	(16,589)
Governor	(6,406)	0	0	0	(728)	(7,134)
Health Care Policy and Financing	(18,240)	0	0	0	(19,082)	(37,322)
Higher Education	(198,441)	(190,989)	(14,257)	0	(114)	(403,801)
Human Services	(99,651)	(2,132)	(53,338)	0	(29,590)	(184,711)
Judicial	(79,217)	(4,811)	0	0	0	(84,028)
Public Defender	(16,073)	0	0	0	0	(16,073)
Alternate Defense Counsel	(171)	0	0	0	0	(171)
Labor and Employment	0	(11,213)	(2,550)	0	(32,289)	(46,052)
Law	(4,918)	(822)	(9,183)	0	(455)	(15,378)
Legislature	(10,682)	0	0	0	0	(10,682)
Local Affairs	(5,904)	(260)	(636)	0	(2,025)	(8,825)
Military Affairs	(1,516)	0	0	0	(2,413)	(3,929)
Natural Resources	(16,191)	(34,649)	(6,047)	0	(5,412)	(62,299)

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DEPARTMENT	General Fund	Cash Funds	Cash Funds Exempt	HUTF	Federal Funds	Total	
Personnel	(11,612)	(118)	(13,323)	0	0	(25,053)	
Public Health and Environment	(7,541)	(10,578)	(9,598)	0	(21,951)	(49,668)	
Public Safety	(8,897)	(2,316)	(31,789)	(2,110)	(918)	(46,030)	
Regulatory Agencies	(1,241)	(20,178)	(3,301)	0	0	(24,720)	
Revenue	(41,946)	(1,868)	(9,211)	(5,144)	0	(58,169)	
State	0	(2,592)	0	0	0	(2,592)	
Transportation	(198)	(370)	(69,967)	0	(53,998)	(124,533)	
Treasury	(1,212)	0	0	0	0	(1,212)	
Total	(721,792)	(289,762)	(231,195)	(7,254)	(169,107)	(1,419,110)	

SECTION 3. Effective date. This act shall take effect July 1, 1998.

SECTION 4. Safety clause. The general assembly hereby finds, determines, and declares that this act is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, and safety.

Approved: May 18, 1998