

# HOUSE BILL No. 4288

February 23, 1999, Introduced by Rep. Koetje and referred to the Committee on Senior Health, Security and Retirement.

A bill to amend 1967 PA 156, entitled  
"Optional retirement act of 1967,"  
by amending section 2 (MCL 38.382), as amended by 1994 PA 296.

## **THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:**

- 1       Sec. 2. As used in this act:
- 2       (a) "Optional retirement program" means a system of retire-
- 3 ment benefits established as a part of the plan of compensation
- 4 for eligible teaching and administrative personnel.
- 5       (b) "Retirement system" means the Michigan public school
- 6 employees' retirement system created by the public school employ-
- 7 ees retirement act of 1979, ~~Act No. 300 of the Public Acts of~~
- 8 ~~1980, being sections 38.1301 to 38.1408 of the Michigan Compiled~~
- 9 ~~Laws~~ 1980 PA 300, MCL 38.1301 TO 38.1408.
- 10       (c) "Eligible employees" means the members of the faculty
- 11 and administrative staff of state supported institutions of

1 higher education ~~on a full-time basis~~ whose positions require  
2 the performance of professional services in the discharge of the  
3 educational or administrative functions of the institution.

4 (d) "State supported institution of higher education" means  
5 any of the following:

6 (i) Western Michigan university.

7 (ii) Eastern Michigan university.

8 (iii) Northern Michigan university.

9 (iv) Central Michigan university.

10 (v) Michigan technological university.

11 (vi) Ferris state university.

12 (vii) Lake Superior state university.

13 (viii) A community or junior college established pursuant to  
14 section 7 of article VIII of the state constitution of 1963.

15 (ix) A community or junior college established pursuant to  
16 part 25 of the REVISED school code, ~~of 1976, Act No. 451 of the~~  
17 ~~Public Acts of 1976, being sections 380.1601 to 380.1607 of the~~  
18 ~~Michigan Compiled Laws~~ 1976 PA 451, MCL 380.1601 TO 380.1607.

19 (e) "Board of control" means the board charged with policy  
20 direction of a state supported institution of higher education.