

No. 1986-126

AN ACT

HB 1621

Amending the act of August 31, 1971 (P.L.398, No.96), entitled "An act providing for the creation, maintenance and operation of a county employes' retirement system, and imposing certain charges on counties and providing penalties," further providing for supplemental benefits.

The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania hereby enacts as follows:

Section 1. Section 30 of the act of August 31, 1971 (P.L.398, No.96), known as the County Pension Law, is amended to read:

Section 30. Supplemental Benefits.—(a) Every member who is in receipt of a [member's] county annuity shall receive annually a cost-of-living increase which shall be the product of the retirement allowance determined at the time of retirement *less any withdrawal of a member's annuity under section 15.1 of this act* and prior to optional modification or minimum allowance and the following percentages as determined by the calendar year in which retirement became effective:

Year of Retirement	Percentage Factor	Year of Retirement	Percentage Factor
1938	136%	1953	23%
1939	135%	1954	23%
1940	134%	1955	22%
1941	122%	1956	20%
1942	100%	1957	16%
1943	89%	1958	14%
1944	86%	1959	12%
1945	82%	1960	10%
1946	68%	1961	9%
1947	47%	1962	8%
1948	37%	1963	7%
1949	37%	1964	6%
1950	36%	1965	4%
1951	26%	1966	1%
1952	24%		

(b) The cost-of-living increase shall be reviewed at least once in every three years by the board which may adjust the percentages in accordance with cost-of-living index at the time of review.

Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

APPROVED—The 18th day of July, A. D. 1986.

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