

House _____ Amendment NO. _____

Offered By

1 AMEND House Substitute for House Committee Substitute for Senate Substitute for Senate Committee
2 Substitute for Senate Bill No. 289, Page 1, Section A, Line 3, by inserting after all of said line the following:
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4 "70.631. 1. Each political subdivision may, by majority vote of its governing body, elect to cover
5 emergency telecommunicators, jailors, and emergency medical service personnel as public safety personnel
6 members of the system. The clerk or secretary of the political subdivision shall certify an election concerning
7 the coverage of emergency telecommunicators, jailors, and emergency medical service personnel as public
8 safety personnel members of the system to the board within ten days after such vote. The date in which the
9 political subdivision's election becomes effective shall be the first day of the calendar month specified by
10 such governing body, the first day of the calendar month next following receipt by the board of the
11 certification of the election, or the effective date of the political subdivision's becoming an employer,
12 whichever is the latest date. Such election shall not be changed after the effective date. If the election is
13 made, the coverage provisions shall be applicable to all past and future employment with the employer by
14 present and future employees. If a political subdivision makes no election under this section, no emergency
15 telecommunicator, jailor, or emergency medical service personnel of the political subdivision shall be
16 considered public safety personnel for purposes determining a minimum service retirement age as defined in
17 section 70.600.

18 2. If an employer elects to cover emergency telecommunicators, jailors, and emergency medical
19 service personnel as public safety personnel members of the system, the employer's contributions shall be
20 correspondingly changed effective the same date as the effective date of the political subdivision's election.

21 3. The limitation on increases in an employer's contributions provided by subsection 6 of section
22 70.730 shall not apply to any contribution increase resulting from an employer making an election under the
23 provisions of this section.

24 4. The provisions of this section shall only apply to counties of the second or third classification, any
25 county of the first classification with more than sixty-five thousand but fewer than seventy-five thousand
26 inhabitants and with a county seat with more than fifteen thousand but fewer than seventeen thousand
27 inhabitants, and any county of the first classification with more than seventy thousand but fewer than eighty-
28 three thousand inhabitants and with a city of the fourth classification with more than thirteen thousand five
29 hundred but fewer than sixteen thousand inhabitants as the county seat, and any political subdivisions
30 located, in whole or in part, within such counties."; and
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32 Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references accordingly.

Action Taken _____ Date _____