

Chairperson:	Dave Pankonin
Committee:	Nebraska Retirement Systems
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The following constitutes the reasons for this bill and the purposes which are sought to be accomplished thereby:

This legislation increases the Nebraska State Employee contribution to the State Employee Retirement Program from 4.8% of their gross wages to 5.0%. The intent is to provide an adequate pension plan for Nebraska State Employees. With the employer match at 156% the total percentage of salary set aside for retirement would be 12.8% of salary.

Principal Introducer:

Senator Dave Pankonin