



General Assembly

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Raised Bill No. 334

LCO No. 1768



Referred to Committee on PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT

Introduced by:
(PD)

***AN ACT REQUIRING PENSIONS FOR POLICE OFFICERS AND
FIREFIGHTERS EMPLOYED BY MUNICIPALITIES.***

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. (NEW) (*Effective October 1, 2024*) Each municipality, as
2 defined in section 7-148 of the general statutes, shall provide each police
3 officer or firefighter employed by such municipality with pension
4 benefits, either through participation in (1) the municipal employees'
5 retirement system, pursuant to section 7-427 of the general statutes, or
6 (2) any other retirement system that provides such individuals with
7 benefits that are comparable or superior to those benefits offered by the
8 municipal employees' retirement system.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:

Section 1	<i>October 1, 2024</i>	New section
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Statement of Purpose:

To require that municipalities employing police officers and firefighters provide such officers and firefighters with pensions through the

municipal employees' retirement system or another system that offers comparable or superior benefits.

[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]