State of South Dakota

EIGHTY-NINTH SESSION LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY, 2014

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SENATE BILL NO. 42

Introduced by: The Committee on Retirement Laws at the request of the South Dakota Retirement System

1	FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to authorize certain former state cement plant employees
2	and surviving spouses to elect a lump sum trustee-to-trustee payment in lieu of monthly
3	benefit payments.
4	BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:
5	Section 1. Any vested member of the state cement plant retirement plan may elect to receive
6	a lump sum trustee-to-trustee payment in lieu of monthly retirement benefit payments. The
7	amount of the lump sum trustee-to-trustee payment shall be determined by the system's actuary
8	based on the actuarial equivalent of the member's benefit as defined by the cement plant
9	retirement plan. However, no lump sum trustee-to-trustee payment may be made unless both of
10	the following requirements are satisfied:
11	(1) The member has not received any monthly benefits; and
12	(2) The member directs a trustee-to-trustee transfer of the lump sum payment to a
13	receiving retirement custodian, trustee, or other approved recipient.
14	Any eligible member who desires to make the election authorized by this section shall
15	submit an application to the system.

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1 Section 2. Upon the death of a vested member of the state cement plant retirement plan who 2 died prior to starting a monthly retirement benefit, the member's surviving spouse may elect a 3 lump sum trustee-to-trustee payment in lieu of monthly surviving spouse benefit payments. The 4 amount of the lump sum trustee-to-trustee payment shall be determined by the system's actuary 5 based on the actuarial equivalent, as defined by the cement plant retirement plan, of the spouse's 6 age sixty-five survivor benefit. However, no lump sum trustee-to-trustee payment may be made 7 unless the following requirements are satisfied: 8 (1) Neither the member nor the member's family nor the member's spouse received any 9 monthly benefits from the plan; and 10 (2) The surviving spouse directs a trustee-to-trustee transfer of the lump sum payment 11 to a receiving retirement custodian, trustee, or other approved recipient. 12 Any eligible surviving spouse who desires to make the election authorized by this section

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shall submit an application to the system.