

1 AN ACT concerning public employee benefits.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 Section 5. The Illinois Pension Code is amended by changing
5 Section 15-169 as follows:

6 (40 ILCS 5/15-169) (from Ch. 108 1/2, par. 15-169)

7 Sec. 15-169. To elect officers and appoint employees.

8 (a) To elect officers; to appoint a secretary and
9 treasurer; to have a seal; to employ and fix the rate of pay of
10 such actuarial, legal, clerical, audit, medical, or other
11 services, or corporate trustee organized under the laws of this
12 State with a capital of not less than \$1,000,000, or investment
13 counsel and other persons as shall be required for the
14 efficient administration of the system. All actions brought by
15 or against the board shall be prosecuted or defended by the
16 Attorney General. If the board pursues a mandamus action under
17 Section 15-156 of this Code as amended by Senate Bill No. 1 of
18 the 98th General Assembly in the form passed by the General
19 Assembly, then the board may select the counsel of their
20 choice.

21 (b) The Board shall make its best efforts to ensure that
22 the racial and ethnic makeup of the System's senior
23 administrative staff represents the racial and ethnic makeup of

1 the System's membership.

2 As used in this subsection, "senior administrative staff"
3 includes, but is not limited to, the Executive Director, the
4 Chief Investment Officer, the General Counsel and Freedom of
5 Information Officer, the Chief Financial Officer, the Director
6 of Member Services, the Director of Outreach, the Director of
7 Human Resources, the Director of Internal Audit, the Director
8 of Operations, and the Director of Application Development and
9 Research.

10 (Source: P.A. 98-92, eff. 7-16-13; 98-598, eff. 12-5-13.)

11 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon
12 becoming law.