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**Introduced by Reps. Fitzgerald, Alley, Dalman, Green, Horton, McBryde, Goschka, Voorhees, Bush, Anthony, McManus, Pitoniak, DeHart, Cropsey, Freeman and Jellema**

# **ENROLLED HOUSE BILL No. 4368**

AN ACT to amend section 20d of Act No. 240 of the Public Acts of 1943, entitled as amended "An act to provide for a state employees' retirement system; to create a state employees' retirement board and prescribe its powers and duties; to establish certain funds in connection with the retirement system; to require contributions to the retirement system by and on behalf of members of the retirement system; to create certain accounts and provide for expenditures from those accounts; to prescribe the powers and duties of certain state and local officers and agencies; and to prescribe penalties and provide remedies," as amended by Act No. 176 of the Public Acts of 1995, being section 38.20d of the Michigan Compiled Laws.

*The People of the State of Michigan enact:*

Section 1. Section 20d of Act No. 240 of the Public Acts of 1943, as amended by Act No. 176 of the Public Acts of 1995, being section 38.20d of the Michigan Compiled Laws, is amended to read as follows:

Sec. 20d. (1) On and after July 1, 1974, hospitalization and medical coverage insurance premium payable by any retirant or his or her beneficiary and his or her dependents under any group health plan authorized by the Michigan civil service commission and the department of management and budget shall be paid by the retirement board from the health insurance reserve fund created in section 11. The amount payable shall be in the same proportion of premium payable by the state of Michigan for the classified employees occupying positions in the state civil service. The hospitalization and medical insurance premium payable shall be paid from appropriations made for this purpose to the health insurance reserve fund sufficient to cover the premium payment needed to be made.

(2) Effective January 1, 1988, 90% of the premium payable by a retirant or the retirant's beneficiary and his or her dependents for dental coverage or vision coverage, or both, under any group plan authorized by the Michigan civil service commission and the department of management and budget shall be paid by the retirement board from the health insurance reserve fund created in section 11.

(3) On and after March 31, 1997, the retirement system shall also pay health insurance premiums described in this section in the manner prescribed in section 68.

(4) For purposes of this section, "retirant" includes a person who retires under section 306 or 410 of the Michigan military act, Act No. 150 of the Public Acts of 1967, being sections 32.706 and 32.810 of the Michigan Compiled Laws.

This act is ordered to take immediate effect.

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Clerk of the House of Representatives.

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Secretary of the Senate.

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Governor.