

R.I. Gen. Laws § 36-8-2

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Chapter 8 Retirement System — Administration (§§ 36-8-1 — 36-8-21)***

36-8-2. Establishment of system.

A retirement system is hereby established and placed under the management of the retirement board for the purpose of providing retirement allowances for employees of the state of Rhode Island under the provisions of chapters 8 — 10 of this title. The retirement system so created shall begin operation as of July 1, 1936. It shall have the power and privileges of a corporation and shall be known as the “employees’ retirement system of the state of Rhode Island”, and by that name all of its business shall be transacted, all of its funds invested, and all of its cash, securities, and other property held.

History

P.L. 1936, ch. 2334, § 2; G.L. 1938, ch. 18, § 2; G.L. 1956, § 36-8-2.

Annotations

NOTES TO DECISIONS

Authority of Retirement Board.

Superior court properly granted a union’s motion to compel arbitration and denied a city’s motion to reopen the record because the municipal police officer, who had been denied accidental disability retirement, had not retired and therefore the union had standing to pursue a grievance on his behalf and the dispute was arbitrable. The retirement board lacked authority to unilaterally retire the officer, and a letter from the officer to the city did not effectuate his retirement where his offer of retirement was conditional and the city rejected the condition. [*City of Cranston v. Int’l Bhd., Local 301*, 230 A.3d 564, 2020 R.I. LEXIS 50 \(R.I. 2020\)](#).

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