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AN ACT to amend the retirement and social security law, in relation to the retirement rights of professional firefighters association members

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, REPRESENTED IN SENATE AND ASSEMBLY, DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The retirement and social security law is amended by adding a new section 419 to read as follows:

S 419. RIGHTS OF PROFESSIONAL FIREFIGHTERS ASSOCIATION MEMBERS. NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OTHER PROVISION OF LAW TO THE CONTRARY, ALL CURRENT AND FUTURE MEMBERS OF PROFESSIONAL FIREFIGHTERS ASSOCIATIONS IN THE STATE, INCLUDING THE NEW YORK STATE AUTHORITY FIREFIGHTERS, HIRED PRIOR TO THE EXPIRATION OF SUCCESSOR COLLECTIVE BARGAINING AGREEMENTS AND/OR INTEREST ARBITRATION AWARDS, SHALL BE ENROLLED IN TIER II PURSUANT TO ARTICLE ELEVEN OF THIS CHAPTER. ONLY THOSE EMPLOYEES HIRED AFTER A NEW COLLECTIVE BARGAINING AGREEMENT AND/OR INTEREST ARBITRATION AWARD SHALL BE ENROLLED IN A TIER OTHER THAN THE TIER II TWENTY YEAR PLAN ESTABLISHED IN SECTION THREE HUNDRED EIGHTY-FOUR-E OF THIS ARTICLE.

S 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

EXPLANATION--Matter in ITALICS (underscored) is new; matter in brackets [ ] is old law to be omitted.

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