THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL No. 1201 Session of 1977

INTRODUCED BY LETTERMAN, A. K. HUTCHINSON AND PETRARCA, JUNE 6, 1977

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON STATE GOVERNMENT, JUNE 6, 1977

AN ACT

- 1 Amending Title 71 (State Government) of the Pennsylvania
- 2 Consolidated Statutes, adding a provision relating to the
- 3 right to elect membership.
- 4 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
- 5 hereby enacts as follows:
- 6 Section 1. Subsection (b) of section 5301 of Title 71, act
- 7 of November 25, 1970 (P.L.707, No.230), known as the
- 8 Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, is amended to read:
- 9 § 5301. Mandatory and optional membership.
- 10 * * *
- 11 (b) Optional membership. -- The State employees listed in
- 12 subsection (a)(1) through (11) shall have the right to elect
- 13 membership in the system; once such election is exercised,
- 14 membership shall continue until the termination of State
- 15 service. If an employee initially elects not to become a member
- 16 of the system and subsequently elects to become a member, he
- 17 shall not be eligible for membership in the system until after
- 18 one calendar year following his election to become a member.

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- 2 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.