

Rules and Regulations Adopted by Public Employes Retirement Board

In accordance with Section 6, Chapter
401, Oregon Laws, as amended
June 25, 1951

Rule No. 1

In computing continuous service, a year shall mean 12 consecutive months as registered on the calendar and, except as otherwise provided, such consecutive months shall be those between the first day of July and the thirtieth day of June next following.

During each year for which a year of prior service credit was allowed, an employe must have been employed in a position normally requiring not less than 600 hours of service per year and during the year computed on a monthly, weekly or daily basis. A major fraction of the year shall be more than one-half of the fiscal year regardless of the position held.

Rule No. 2

"Continuous service" as defined in section 2, subsection 7, shall be considered as interrupted for one year if during a major fraction of such year the member is not or has not been employed by a public employer participating in the system, except as provided by section 17.

Rule No. 3

Credit for prior service to a political subdivision other than a school district shall be given only to members who are employes of that political subdivision at the time they become members of the system.

Credit for prior service to the state shall be given only to members who are employes of the state at the time they become members of the system.

Adjustment of prior service credit by formula permitted to political subdivisions other than school districts shall be achieved only by adjustment of the number of years of prior service credit granted and may not be by adjustment of the amount of benefits allowed per year of prior service credit except as provided by statute (section 15, subsection 2).

Rule No. 4

An employe absent on the date that his employer begins to participate in the system on leave officially granted by his em-

ployer and so certified by his employer shall be deemed to have become a member of the system on such date.

An official leave of absence for any purpose must have duration specifically stated at the time of granting, must be in writing and in accordance with the law, rules and regulations thereto applicable, and must be officially certified to the retirement board by the employer granting such leave, in order to be considered bona fide.

Rule No. 5

To qualify for credit for service in the armed forces, an employe shall actively re-enter the employ of the former employer within one year from the date of his honorable discharge, except that certificated teachers who within one year from date of honorable discharge sign a contract to teach in the State of Oregon and who fulfill the terms of the contract so signed shall be deemed to have returned to the service of the employer within one year from the date of honorable discharge; provided, further, that an employe who reports for work to the former employer within one year from the date of his honorable discharge and who at that time is given an official leave of absence by the employer, so certified to the retirement board by the employer, shall be

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