



Police and Firemen's Retirement System of New Jersey

Actuarial Valuation Report as of July 1, 2018

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LETTER OF TRANSMITTAL

April 25, 2019

Board of Trustees Police and Firemen's Retirement System of New Jersey State of New Jersey Department of the Treasury Division of Pension and Benefits, CN 295 Trenton, NJ 08625-0295

Dear Board Members:

At your request, we have performed the July 1, 2018 Actuarial Valuation of the Police and Firemen's Retirement System of New Jersey (PFRS or System).

In preparing our report, we relied on information (some oral and some written) supplied by the Division of Pensions and Benefits. This information includes, but is not limited to, plan provisions, employee data, and financial information. We performed an informal examination of the obvious characteristics of the data for reasonableness and consistency in accordance with Actuarial Standard of Practice No. 23.

The results of this report are only applicable to the System's contribution for Fiscal Year Ending 2020. Future results may differ significantly from the current results presented in this report due to such factors as the following: plan experience differing from that anticipated by the assumptions; changes in assumptions; and changes in plan provisions or applicable law.

The actuarial assumptions are the same as those used by the prior actuary. Cheiron has reviewed the assumptions. While we consider these assumptions to be generally reasonable, we have not yet performed our own actuarial experience study.

This report and its contents have been prepared in accordance with generally recognized and accepted actuarial principles and practices and our understanding of the Code of Professional Conduct and applicable Actuarial Standards of Practice set out by the Actuarial Standards Board as well as applicable laws and regulations. Furthermore, as credentialed actuaries we meet the Qualification Standards of the American Academy of Actuaries to render the opinion contained in this report. This report does not address any contractual or legal issues. We are not attorneys and our firm does not provide any legal services or advice.

This actuarial valuation report was prepared exclusively for the Police and Firemen's Retirement System of New Jersey for the purposes described herein and for the plan auditor in completing an audit related to the matters herein. Other users of this report are not intended users as defined in the Actuarial Standards of Practice, and Cheiron assumes no duty or liability to such other users.

Sincerely, Cheiron

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The primary purpose of the actuarial valuation and this report is to disclose the following as of the valuation date:

- The financial condition of the Police and Firemen's Retirement System of New Jersey,
- Past and expected future trends and risks to the System's financial condition, and
- The State's and Local employers' contributions for the Fiscal Year Ending (FYE) 2020.

In this section we present a summary of the principal valuation results. This includes the basis upon which the July 1, 2018 valuation was completed and an examination of the current financial condition of the System. In addition, we present a review of the key historical trends followed by the System's projected financial outlook.

This report does not include calculations under GASB Statements Nos. 67 and 68 which were provided in separate reports.

Results shown in this report for years prior to July 1, 2018 were provided by the prior actuary.



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Valuation Basis

The July 1, 2018 valuation results are based on the same actuarial methods and assumptions as used in the July 1, 2017 valuation produced by the prior actuary. The demographic assumptions were based on the July 1, 2010 – June 30, 2013 Experience Study prepared by the prior actuary, which was approved by the Board of Trustees on February 9, 2015. The valuation is based on a 7.50% interest rate, annual salary increases that are 0.5% lower than the rates shown in the experience study and a select period for annual salary increases through fiscal year ending 2026, which were recommended by the State Treasurer. Cheiron has reviewed the demographic and economic assumptions. While we consider these assumptions to be generally reasonable, we have not performed our own actuarial experience study.

This report was prepared using census data and financial information as of July 1, 2018 provided by the Division of Pensions and Benefits and does not reflect any subsequent changes in the membership or the assets.

The Appropriations Act of Fiscal Year 2018 reduced the State pension contribution of \$502,917,964 to \$251,158,026. This amount includes revenue of \$11,712,026 from the Lottery Enterprise Contribution Act.

The potential impact of the Appropriations Act of 2019 reduces the State pension contribution for Fiscal Year 2019 from \$529,722,755 to \$317,839,127 (60% of the State Statutory contribution less the Lottery Enterprise Contribution Offset plus expected revenue from the Lottery Enterprise Contribution Act {60% x \$529,722,755 - \$12,445,783 + \$12,451,257}). The \$317,839,127 includes expected State-paid Local contributions of \$134,715,683. This valuation reflects the potential impact of the Appropriations Act of 2019.

Chapter 83, P.L. 2016 requires the State to make the required pension contributions on a quarterly basis: at least 25% by September 30, at least 50% by December 31, at least 75% by March 31, and at least 100% by June 30. As such, State contributions are assumed to be made on a quarterly basis.

Under Chapter 98, P.L. 2017, the Lottery Enterprise Contribution Act, the Police and Firemen's Retirement System receives 1.20% of the proceeds of the Lottery Enterprise, based on their members' past or present employment in schools and institutions in the State, for a term of 30 years. As of the July 1, 2018 valuation, 28 years remain. Revenues from Chapter 98, P.L. 2017, the Lottery Enterprise Contribution Act, are assumed to be contributed to the trust on a monthly basis. The special asset value is the present value of remaining lottery contributions to the retirement systems. Effective with Fiscal Year 2018, the State's pension contribution shall be reduced by the product of the allocable percentage for such retirement system, the adjustment percentage for such retirement system and the special asset adjustment.



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The valuation excludes assets and liabilities under the Non-Contributory Group Insurance Premium Fund for the State. The Non-Contributory Group Insurance premiums are separately funded on a pay-as-you-go basis. For Local employers, the Non-Contributory Group Insurance Contribution is calculated as the present value of expected benefit payments for the upcoming year based on valuation assumptions.

Key Results

Following are Table I-1 and Table I-2 which summarize the key results of the valuation with respect to the System's membership, assets and liabilities, and contributions for State and Local employers. The results are presented and compared for both the current and prior year.



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Table I-1 Summary of Key Valuation Results State							
Valuation Date		July 1, 2018		July 1, 2017	%		
Fiscal Year Ending (FYE)		2020		2019	Change		
Member Data							
Contributing Actives		6,807		6,730	1.1%		
Non-Contributing Actives		362		342	5.8%		
Deferred Vesteds		6		7	-14.3%		
Retirees and Beneficiaries ¹		6,673		6,548	1.9%		
Total Members		13,848		13,627	1.6%		
Appropriation Payroll ²	\$	479,941,514	\$	481,691,601	-0.4%		
Annual Retirement Allowances in Pay	\$	313,277,156	\$	305,608,112	2.5%		
Assets and Liabilities							
Actuarial Liability	\$	4,983,733,970	\$	4,873,081,731	2.3%		
Actuarial Value of Assets (AVA) ³		1,872,048,766		1,887,486,318	-0.8%		
Unfunded Actuarial Liability/(Surplus)	\$	3,111,685,204	\$	2,985,595,413	4.2%		
Funded Ratio (AVA)		37.6%		38.7%	-1.1%		
Actuarial Value of Assets ³ including							
Special Asset Value (SAV)	\$	2,023,529,750	\$	2,038,961,264	-0.8%		
Unfunded Actuarial Liability/(Surplus)	\$	2,960,204,220	\$	2,834,120,467	4.4%		
Funded Ratio (AVA + SAV)		40.6%		41.8%	-1.2%		
Market Value of Assets (MVA) ³	\$	1,683,271,926	\$	1,680,114,357	0.2%		
Unfunded Actuarial Liability/(Surplus)	\$	3,300,462,044	\$	3,192,967,374	3.4%		
Funded Ratio (MVA)		33.8%		34.5%	-0.7%		
Contribution Amounts							
State Normal Cost at End of Year ⁴	\$	122,009,526	\$	123,604,394	-1.3%		
Amortization Payment of UAL ⁴		422,569,740		406,118,361	4.1%		
Total Statutory Contribution for FYE	\$	544,579,266	\$	529,722,755	2.8%		
Percent Appropriated		70.0%		60.0%	10.0%		
State Appropriation for Pension	\$	381,205,486	\$	317,833,653	19.9%		
Lottery Enterprise Contribution Offset		(12,845,413)	_	(12,445,783)	3.2%		
Net State Contribution	\$	368,360,073	\$	305,387,870	20.6%		

¹ QDRO recipients are excluded from member counts



² Limited annual compensation for contributing actives

³ Includes discounted State receivable contributions and Lottery proceeds as shown in Table II-2

⁴ Includes \$227,263,995 for FYE 2020 and \$224,526,138 for FYE 2019 for Local obligations payable by the State in accordance with Chapter 109, P.L 1979, Chapter 511, P.L. 1991, Chapter 247, P.L. 1993, Chapter 428, P.L. 1999,

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Table I-2 Summary of Key Valuation Results Local Employers							
Valuation Date	July 1, 2018			July 1, 2017	%		
Fiscal Year Ending (FYE)		2020		2019	Change		
Member Data		24.012		22 410	1.00/		
Contributing Actives		34,013		33,410	1.8%		
Non-Contributing Actives Deferred Vesteds		1,113		1,037	7.3%		
Retirees and Beneficiaries ¹		36 27 804		34	5.9%		
Total Members		37,894		37,323	1.5%		
Total Members		73,056		71,804	1.7%		
Appropriation Payroll ²	\$	3,390,777,193	\$	3,321,656,728	2.1%		
Annual Retirement Allowances in Pay	\$	2,177,011,512	\$	2,100,385,456	3.6%		
Assets and Liabilities							
Actuarial Liability	\$	35,523,376,524	\$	34,474,127,537	3.0%		
Actuarial Value of Assets (AVA) ³		26,109,128,660		25,183,776,588	3.7%		
Unfunded Actuarial Liability/(Surplus)	\$	9,414,247,864	\$	9,290,350,949	1.3%		
Funding Ratio (AVA)		73.5%		73.1%	0.4%		
Market Value of Assets (MVA) ³	\$	25,680,517,916	\$	24,351,431,023	5.5%		
Unfunded Actuarial Liability/(Surplus)	\$	9,842,858,608	\$	10,122,696,514	-2.8%		
Funding Ratio (MVA)		72.3%		70.6%	1.7%		
Contribution Amounts							
Employer Normal Cost at End of Year ⁴	\$	325,433,661	\$	307,441,204	5.9%		
Amortization Payment of UAL ⁴		638,214,381		633,478,119	0.7%		
ERI Payments		2,670,679		2,608,104	2.4%		
Chapter 19, P.L. 2009 Payments		25,467,677		25,339,869	0.5%		
Total Statutory Contribution for FYE	\$	991,786,398	\$	968,867,296	2.4%		
Non-Contributory Group Insurance Contribution	\$	46,564,731	\$	37,183,000	25.2%		

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The key results of the July 1, 2018 actuarial valuation for the State are as follows:

- The total Statutory contribution, including Local obligations payable by the State, increased from \$529.7 million for fiscal year ending 2019 to \$544.6 million for fiscal year ending 2020 prior to any adjustments for the State phase-in of contributions or the Lottery Enterprise offset.
- The unfunded actuarial liability based on the actuarial asset value plus special asset value increased from \$2.8 billion as of July 1, 2017 to \$3.0 billion as of July 1, 2018. The unfunded actuarial liability used in determining the Statutory contributions (excess of actuarial liability over the actuarial value of assets) increased from \$3.0 billion to \$3.1 billion.
- The funded ratio based on actuarial asset value plus special asset value decreased from 41.8% as of July 1, 2017 to 40.6% as of July 1, 2018. The funded ratio on the actuarial value of assets basis decreased from 38.7% to 37.6%. Based on the market value of assets, the funded ratio also decreased from 34.5% to 33.8%.
- During the year there was a total actuarial experience loss of \$27 million, consisting of an asset loss of \$48 million and a liability gain of \$21 million.

The key results of the July 1, 2018 actuarial valuation for Local employers are as follows:

- The total Statutory contribution, excluding Local obligations payable by the State and including Early Retirement Incentive (ERI) and Chapter 19, P.L. 2009 payments, increased from \$968.9 million for fiscal year ending 2019 to \$991.8 million for fiscal year ending 2020.
- The unfunded actuarial liability increased from \$9.3 billion as of July 1, 2017 to \$9.4 billion as of July 1, 2018 on an actuarial asset value basis.
- The funded ratio, the ratio of actuarial asset value over liabilities, increased from 73.1% as of July 1, 2017 to 73.5% as of July 1, 2018. Based on the market value of assets, the funded ratio also increased from 70.6% to 72.3%.
- During the year there was a total actuarial experience loss of \$139 million, consisting of an asset loss of \$111 million and a liability loss of \$28 million.



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Recent Trends

Although most of the attention given to the valuation reflects the most recently computed unfunded actuarial liability, funded ratio, and contribution amounts, each valuation is merely a snapshot of the long-term progress of a pension fund. It is important to take a step back from these latest results and view them in the context of the System's recent history. Below, we present a series of graphs which display key factors in the valuations of the last 10 years. Additionally, in Appendix D we provide the numerical values of the historical unfunded actuarial liability, funded ratio, and contribution amounts. Note that the contribution amounts in this section include State-paid Local obligations with Local employers' contribution amounts to illustrate their impact on the Local employers' portion of the unfunded liability. The historical amounts in Appendix D show the State-paid Local obligations with State contributions.

In reviewing the historic trends over the 10 year period, the State's declining funded status coupled with significant negative net cash flow highlights the potential risk of running out of assets to pay benefits unless the State consistently contributes the full amount of the Statutory required contributions.

Assets and Liabilities

The grey bars represent the Actuarial Liability (AL). The green line is the Market Value of Assets (MVA), the gold line is the Actuarial Value of Assets (AVA) and the blue line (which starts in 2016) is the AVA plus the Special Asset Value (SAV). The System's funded ratio (ratio of assets to actuarial liability), on a MVA basis and an AVA or AVA+SAV basis, is shown next to the respective assets lines.

There was a decrease in the liability as of July 1, 2010 due to the benefit reforms of Chapter 1, P.L. 2010 and Chapter 78, P.L. 2011. Since July 1, 2010, the liability has been increasing over time in part due to additional benefit accruals, but also due to decreases in the discount rate.

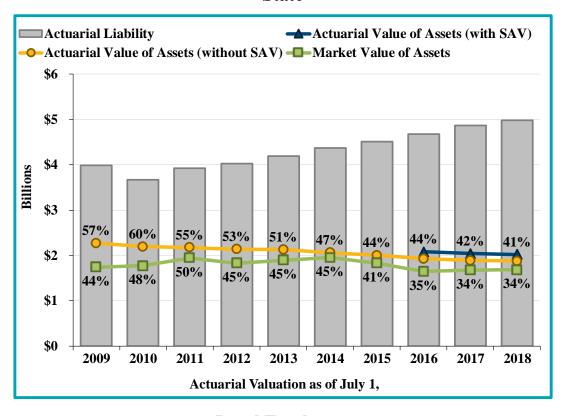
For the State, the funded ratio has been decreasing over time in part due to decreases in the discount rate, recognition of the 2008/2009 market losses reflected in the large gap between the MVA and AVA in 2009 and because the State has not been making the full Statutory contribution for the entire period shown.

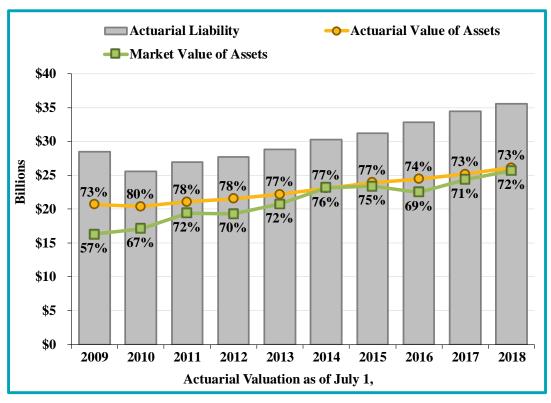
For Local employers, the funded ratio has remained relatively level over the period due to decreases in the discount rate and recognition of the 2008/2009 market losses reflected in the large gap between the MVA and AVA in 2009. In addition, while Local employers have been making the full Statutory contribution, the State has not been making the full State-paid Local Statutory contribution for the entire period shown.



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Membership Trends

The following graphs show the membership counts of the System for the last ten valuations. The numbers that appear above each bar represent the ratio of the number of inactive and non-contributing active members to contributing active members at each valuation date, and provide a measure of the maturity of the System. The inactive-to-active ratios for both State and Local employers have increased over the period shown. As more of the liability moves from actives to inactives, the System will experience more volatility in contribution rates when actuarial gains and losses are recognized.

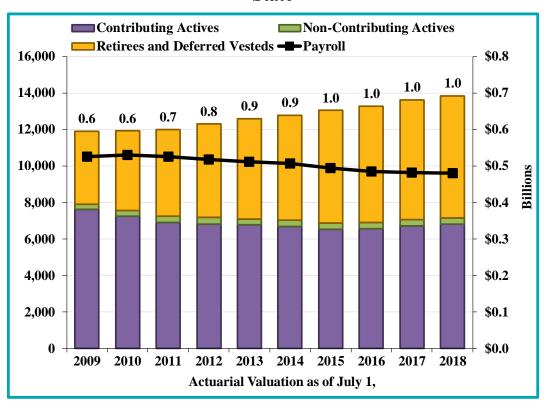
With the current inactive-to-active ratio of around 1.0 to 1.1, there are almost as many active members as inactive members implying that the risk factors for both the State and Local employers are not at a high level relative to other mature pension systems.

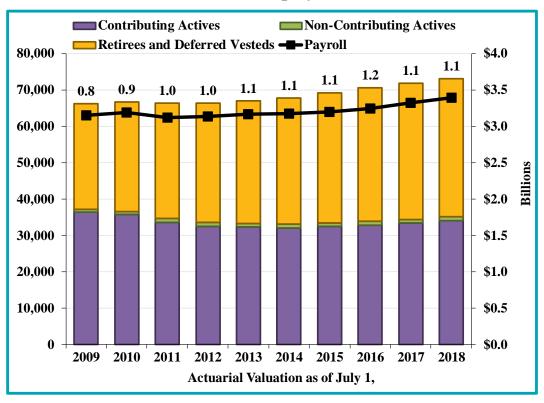
The black line represents the appropriation payroll for contributing actives over the period and corresponds with the right-hand scale.



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Cash Flows

The following graphs show the System net cash flow (contributions less benefit payments and expenses) at the end of each fiscal year. For the entire period shown, the net cash flow excluding investments has been negative. This illustrates that contributions have not been sufficient to cover benefits and expenses in any years over the past decade. A major implication of a negative cash flow is that the difference each year must be met first from cash generated by investments and then be paid out of the principal assets, representing additional risk for the System if investments need to be sold in a down market to cover benefit payments.

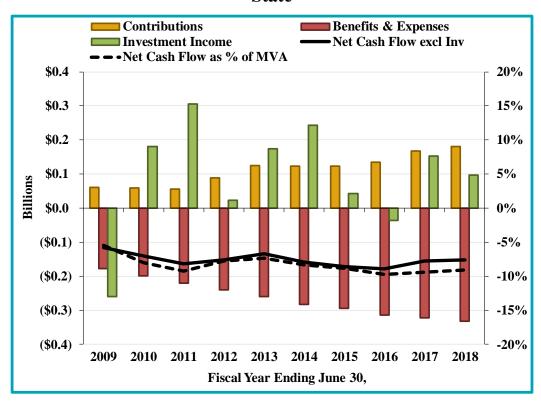
The black dotted line shows the net cash flow as a percent of the market assets and goes with the axis on the right.

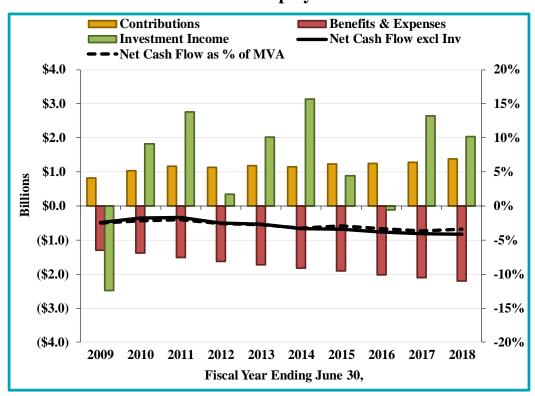
The net cash flow for the State has been significantly more negative than the net cash flow for Local employers, and even more disconcerting is that the negative cash flow for the State is greater than the long term investment assumption. By itself this represents a plan that is expected to defund with the risk of insolvency if the contributions do not catch up to cover a higher portion of the benefit payments and expenses.



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Contributions

The following graphs show the historical trends for the State and Local employer contributions. The Local employer contributions include the State-paid Local obligations but not Early Retirement Incentive (ERI) or Chapter 19, P.L. 2009 payments. The Statutory contributions are comprised of the normal cost (blue bars) and the amortization of the UAL (gold bars). The green line shows the actual contributions over the period. For FYE 2019 and 2020, the green line has a lighter shade to indicate that these are expected, rather than actual, contributions. The expected contributions are based on the anticipated appropriations shown in Table I-1 and Table 1-2.

The red line is the **tread water line**, which is the normal cost plus the interest on the UAL. The tread water line shows the minimum contributions needed to avoid an increase in the UAL from increasing.

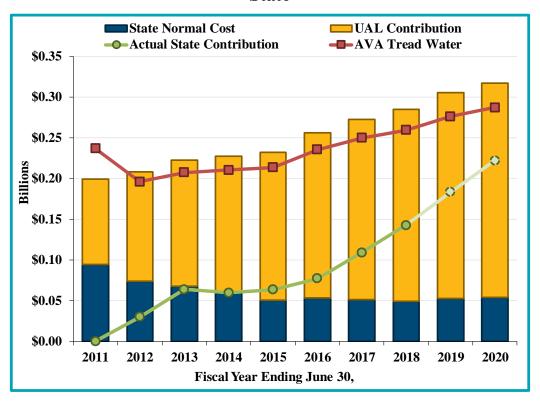
The graph for State shows that not only has the State been making contributions less than required by Statute, but that the State contributions are significantly below the tread water line. When contributions are lower than the normal cost plus interest on the UAL, the unfunded actuarial liability is expected to grow from one year to the next.

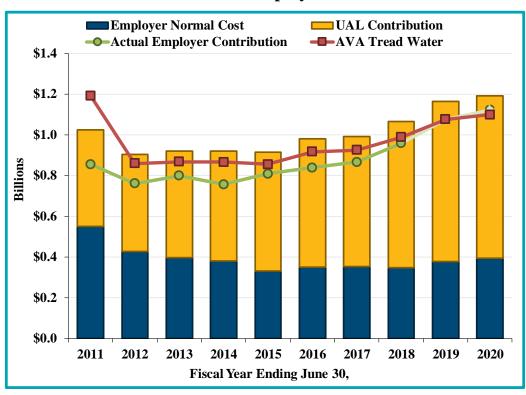
The graph for Local employers shows that contributions have been lower than the tread water line for most of the period even though the Local employers have consistently made the Local portion of the Statutory contributions. This was caused by the State contributing less than the full State-paid Local obligations.



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Projected Future Outlook

The analysis of projected financial trends is perhaps the most important component of the valuation. This has been recognized by the State Legislature in their adoption of Chapter 277, P. L. 2017 requiring the System to have stress testing performed annually. The charts presented in this section show the expected progress of the System's funded status over the next 30 years, measured in terms of the expected funded ratios and State and Local employer contributions assuming that the System is ongoing.

While experience will not conform exactly to the assumptions every year, the trends reflect reasonable expectations. As a result, in addition to the baseline projection, we provided additional **stress testing** based on varying investment returns in the future. It is our opinion that the stress testing analyses shown in this section meet the requirements of Chapter 277, P. L. 2017.

The projections assume a constant active population. As members retire, terminate and die based on the current valuation assumptions, it is assumed that new members will replace them based on characteristics (age/gender/salary) similar to recent new members.

Additional assumptions used for these projections, including the investment rate of return for each subsequent valuation as recommended by the State Treasurer, as well as the anticipated appropriation percentages, are shown in Appendix B.

Baseline Scenario

The baseline projection shows the outcome if all actuarial assumptions, including the ultimate long-term rate of return assumption of 7.00%, as recommended by the State Treasurer, are exactly met. For each scenario we show two graphs.

The top graph compares the Market Value of Assets (green line) and the Actuarial or smoothed Value of Assets (gold line) to the System's Actuarial Liabilities (gray bars). For the State, the graph also shows the Actuarial Value of Assets plus the Special Asset Value (blue line). In addition, at the top of the graph, we show the System's funded ratio on an Actuarial Value of Assets basis (ratio of Actuarial Value of Assets to Actuarial Liabilities). The years shown in the graph signify the valuation date as of July 1 of the labeled year.

The State's funded ratio on an Actuarial Value of Assets basis is projected to drop slightly over the next few years, as the State appropriates less than the Statutory amount and the valuation investment rate of return assumption gradually decreases from 7.50% to 7.00%, before beginning a slow but steady increase to 97% by 2048.

The Local employers' funded ratio on an Actuarial Value of Assets basis is also projected to drop slightly over the next few years, as the State appropriates less than the Statutory State-paid Local obligation and the valuation investment rate of return assumption gradually decreases from 7.50% to 7.00%, before beginning a slow but steady increase to 93% by 2048.



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The funded ratio for State increases faster than the Local employers' portion and reaches 97% compared to 93% for Local employers by the end of the projection period because of the expected lottery revenue that is contributed each year in excess of the Statutory contributions. This additional revenue helps pays down the UAL sooner for the State portion.

The bottom graph shows the contributions by fiscal year. The member contributions are in purple, the State contributions are in gold, the State-paid Local contributions are in light blue and Local employers' contributions are in green. We also show the contributions in dollar amounts.

The gold and green outlines show the full Statutory contributions for the State and Local employers, respectively, with the shaded portion showing the anticipated appropriated amount.

Lottery revenue is outlined in blue. Lottery revenue amounts shaded gold are offsets to Statutory contributions. Lottery revenue amounts shaded white are additional contributions in excess of the Statutory contributions that pay down the UAL. The lottery revenue through FYE 2022 largely offsets the Statutory contribution while lottery amounts after that are additional payments toward the UAL.

The projection assumes the State appropriates 70% of the Statutory contribution in FYE 2020, and increases the percent by 10% a year, until reaching 100% of the Statutory contribution beginning with FYE 2023. The appropriated State and Local employer contributions and the member contributions are shown in dollar amounts.

The dashed black line in the bottom chart shows the gross normal cost. The difference between the dashed black line and the purple bar is the State and Local employers' portion of the normal cost.

The solid black line is the tread water line based on the Actuarial Value of Assets. Because the tread water metric equals the normal cost plus interest on the UAL, the difference between the solid black line and the dashed black line is the interest on the UAL. When contributions fall below the solid black line, as is the case through FYE 2021 for State, the UAL grows and the funded ratio falls. When the contributions exceed the solid line, as is the case beginning in FYE 2022 for State and in all years for Local employers, the UAL decreases and the funded ratio increases.

The Statutory State contributions increase steadily through FYE 2023 as the State appropriates less than the Statutory amount and the valuation investment rate of return assumption gradually decreases from 7.50% to 7.00%. Thereafter, the Statutory contributions gradually increase. Once the appropriated amount equals the Statutory contribution, beginning in FYE 2023, the contributions reach the level necessary to pay down the UAL and the tread water line begins to decrease relative to the Statutory contribution.

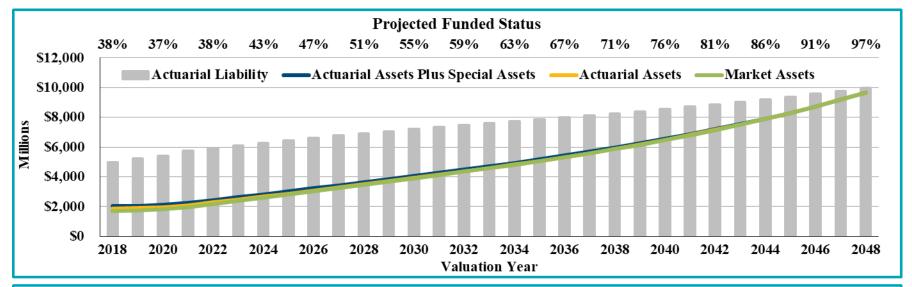
The Local employers' contributions increase steadily through FYE 2023 as the State appropriates less than the Statutory State-paid Local obligation and the valuation investment rate of return assumption gradually decreases from 7.50% to 7.00%. Thereafter, the Local employers' and the State-paid Local contributions gradually increase.

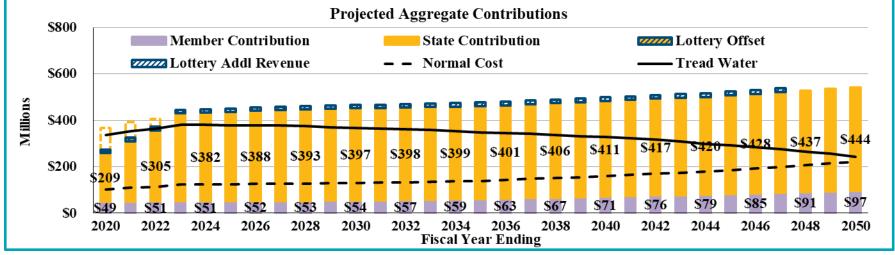


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Baseline: 7.0% return for all years

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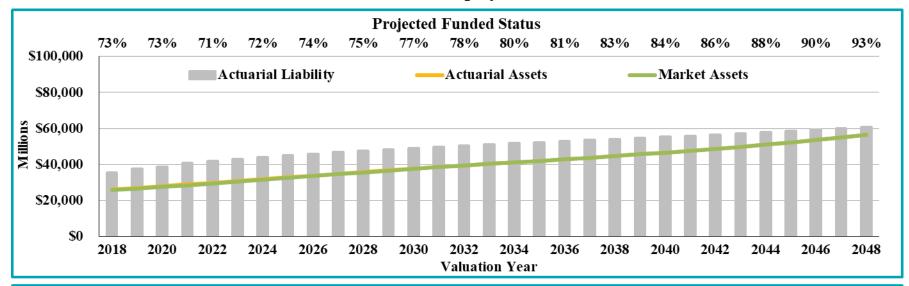


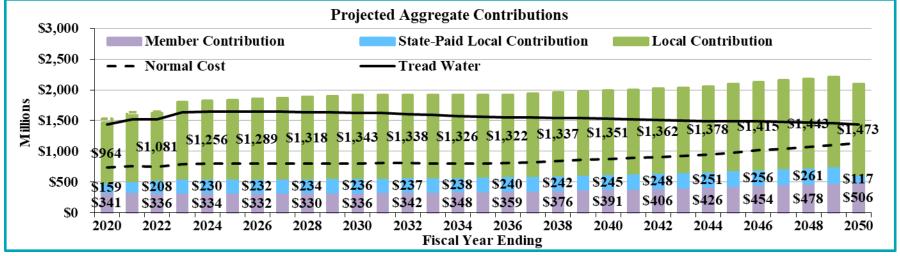




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Baseline: 7.0% return for all years







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Stress Testing

The Baseline projections shown on the previous pages assume all assumptions are met each and every year in the future. We know that will not be the case. We developed six hypothetical scenarios to illustrate the impact actual investment returns may have on future funded status and contribution amounts. The scenarios are balanced between positive and negative scenarios and are based on a lognormal distribution of one and five year expected returns as shown in the table below using the capital market assumptions from the New Jersey Division of Investments (Geometric return of 7.14%, standard deviation of 12.27%).

Distribution of Expected Average Annual Returns						
Percentile	1 Year	5 Year				
5%	-11.1%	-1.4%				
25%	-0.8%	3.5%				
50%	7.1%	7.1%				
75%	15.7%	10.9%				
95%	29.1%	16.5%				

The scenarios include: a one-year shock using the 5th and 95th percentile returns for one year; a 5-year moderate scenario using the 25th and 75th percentile returns for five years; and a 5-year significant scenario using the 5th and 95th percentile returns for five years. The table below summarizes the theoretical scenarios.

Theoretical Scenarios 1-Yr Shock 5-Yr Moderate 5-Yr Significant								
FYE	Neg	Pos	Neg	Pos	Neg	Pos		
2019	-11.1%	29.1%	3.5%	10.9%	-1.4%	16.5%		
2020	7.0%	7.0%	3.5%	10.9%	-1.4%	16.5%		
2021	7.0%	7.0%	3.5%	10.9%	-1.4%	16.5%		
2022	7.0%	7.0%	3.5%	10.9%	-1.4%	16.5%		
2023	7.0%	7.0%	3.5%	10.9%	-1.4%	16.5%		
2024+	7.0%	7.0%	7.0%	7.0%	7.0%	7.0%		

In reviewing each of these projections, it is the future trends, not necessarily the actual values that are important to observe in consideration of the risks of the System and the potential volatility of future funded ratios and Statutory contribution levels.

We note that when asset returns are really high, excess assets may be used to offset employer costs. We have not shown the implications of a surplus and assume that the State and Local employers will always contribute the normal cost.



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The graphs on the following pages show the projections under each of these theoretical scenarios. Instead of the tread water line shown for the baseline projection, the contribution graphs include a dashed red line representing the expected contributions under the baseline projections to facilitate the comparison between the particular scenario and the baseline projections assuming all assumptions are met.

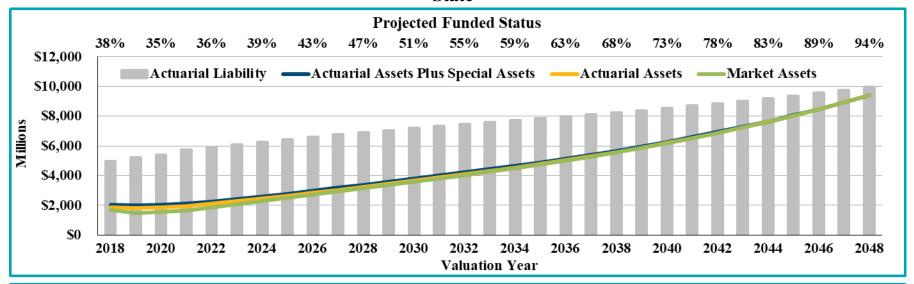
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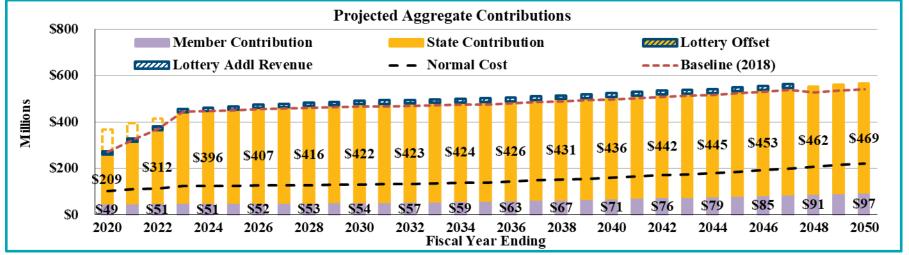


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One-Year Negative Shock Scenario: -11.1% return FYE 2019, 7.0% after

State

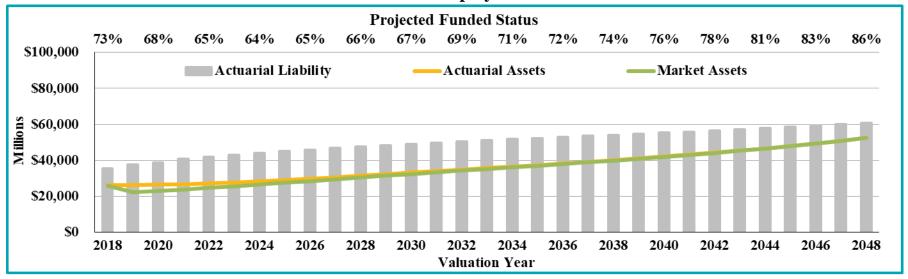


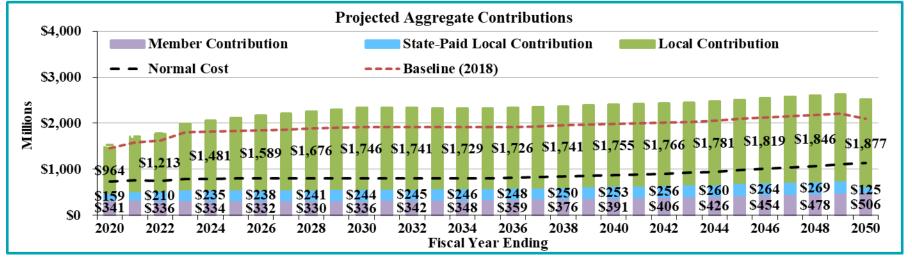




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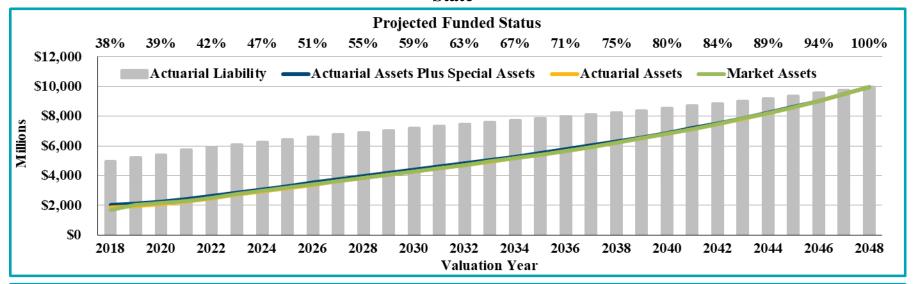


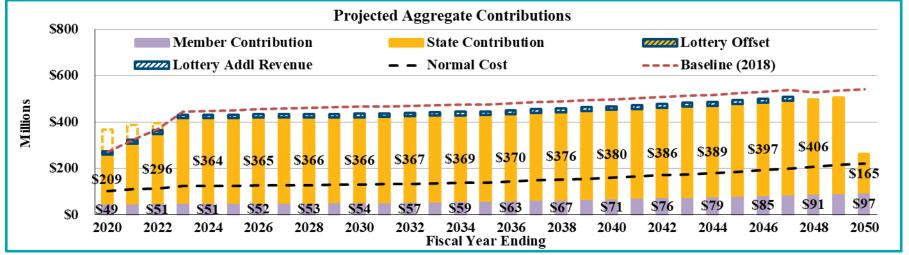


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One-Year Positive Shock Scenario: 29.1% return FYE 2019, 7.0% after

State

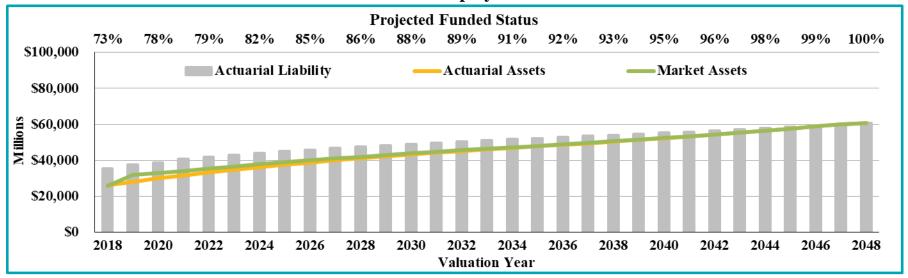


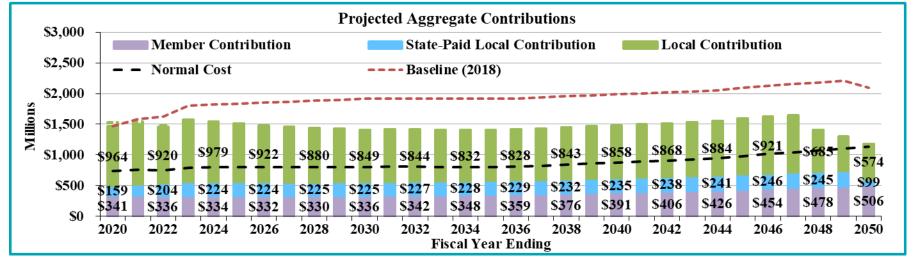




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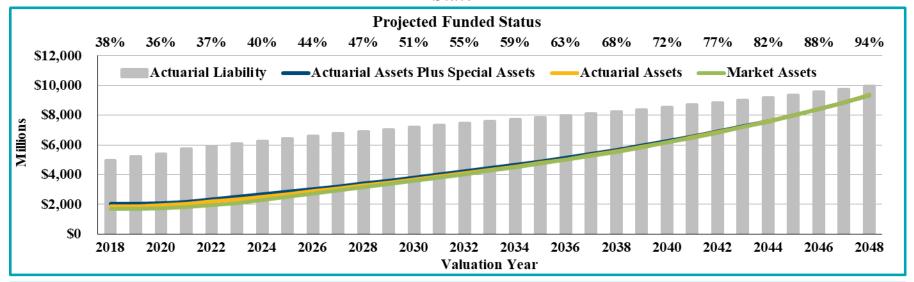


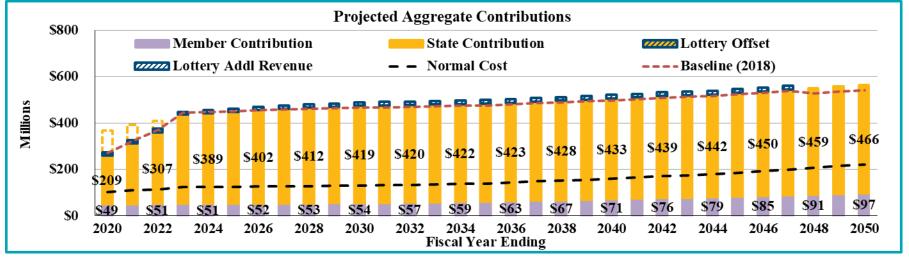


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Five-Year Moderate Negative Scenario: 3.5% return FYE 2019-2023, 7.0% after

State

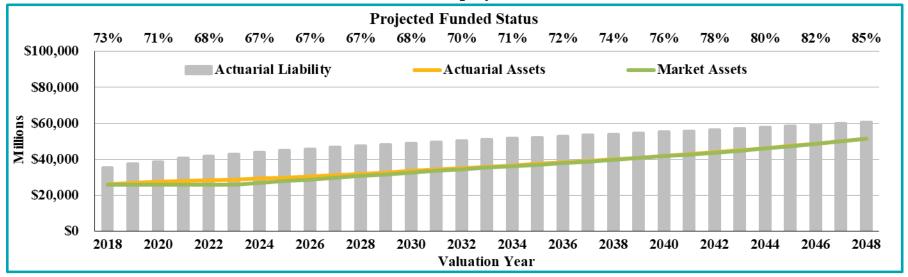


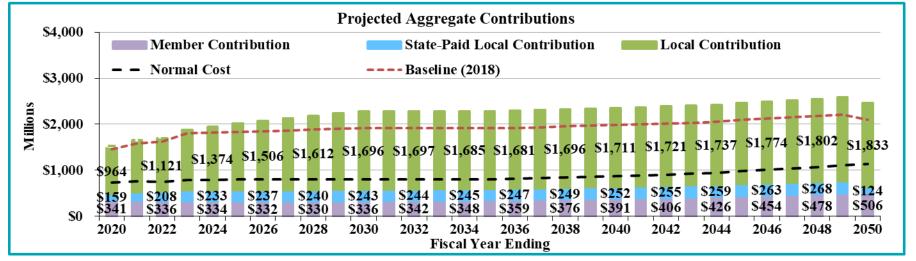




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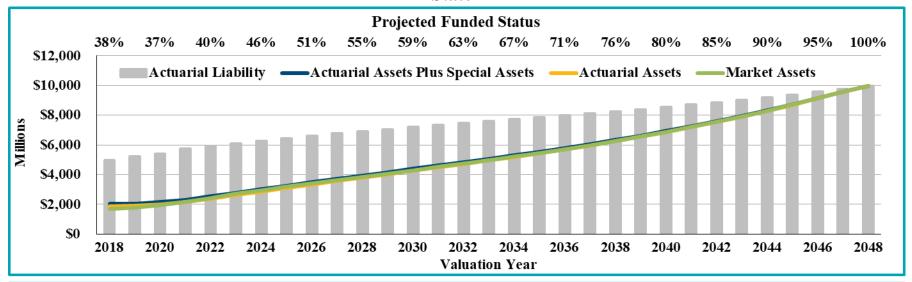


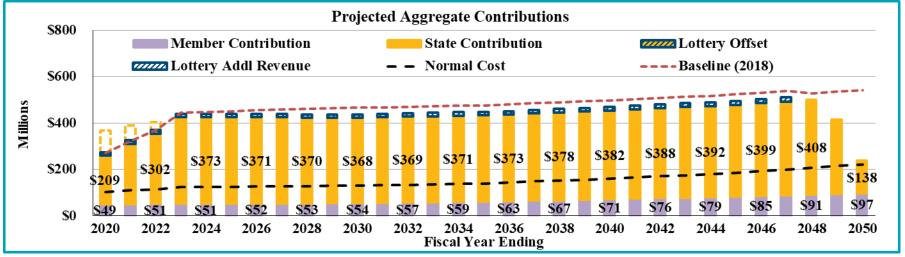


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Five-Year Moderate Positive Scenario: 10.9% return FYE 2019-2023, 7.0% after

State

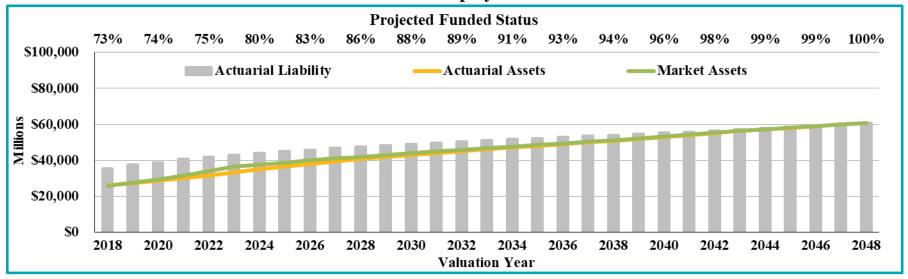


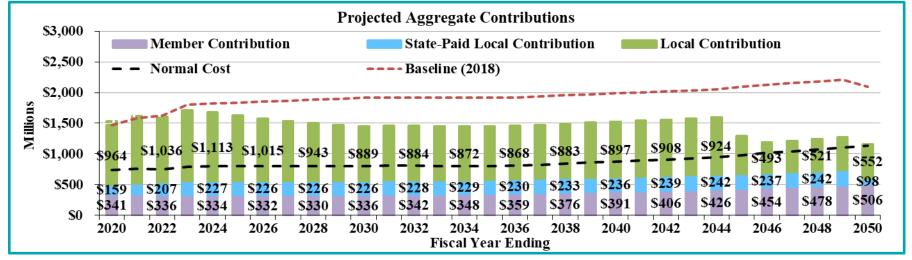




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Five-Year Moderate Positive Scenario: 10.9% return FYE 2019-2023, 7.0% after



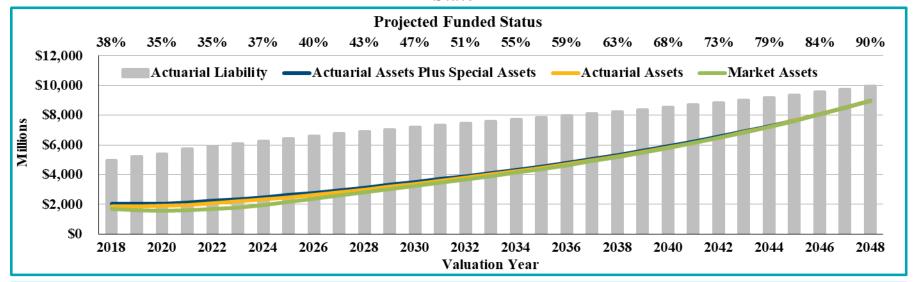


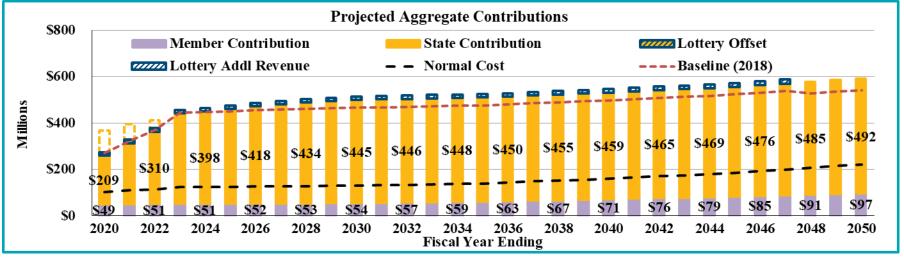


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Five-Year Significant Negative Scenario: -1.4% return FYE 2019-2023, 7.0% after

State

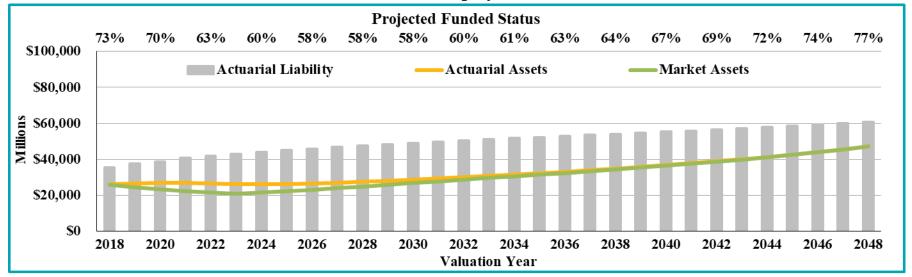


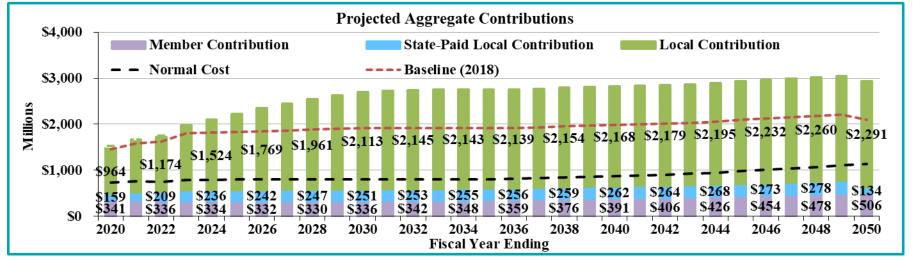




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Five-Year Significant Negative Scenario: -1.4% return FYE 2019-2023, 7.0% after



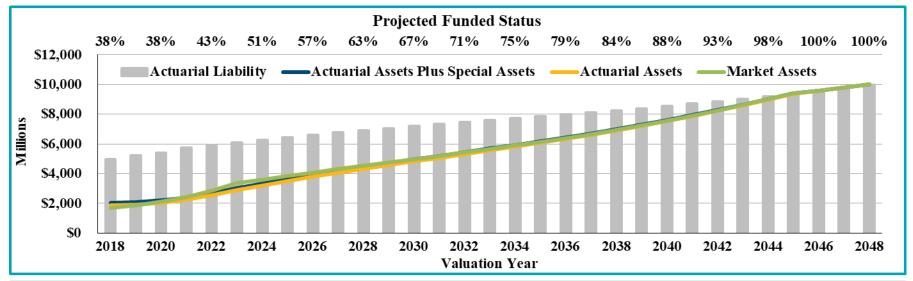


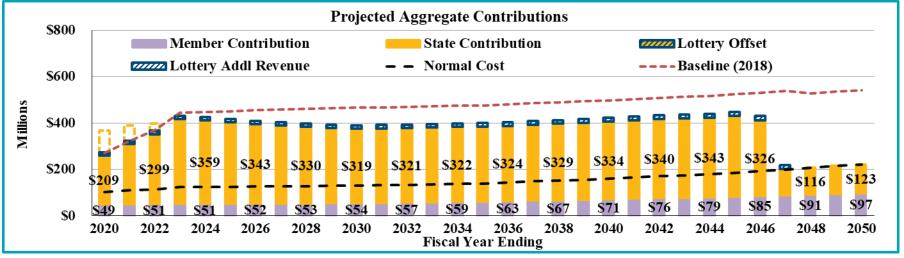


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Five-Year Significant Positive Scenario: 16.5% return FYE 2019-2023, 7.0% after

State

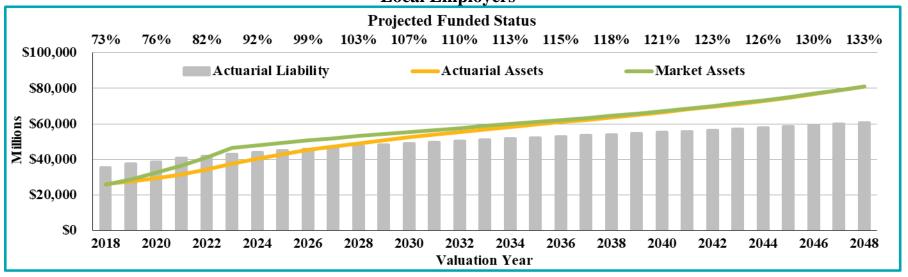


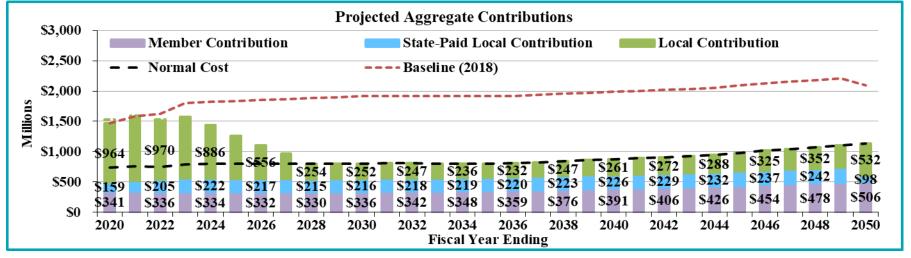




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Five-Year Significant Positive Scenario: 16.5% return FYE 2019-2023, 7.0% after







SECTION II – ASSETS

The System uses and discloses two different asset measurements for funding, both of which are presented in this section of the report: market value and actuarial value of assets. The market value represents the value of the assets if they were liquidated on the valuation date. The actuarial value of assets is a value that smooths annual investment returns to reduce investment volatility and is used in determining contribution levels. In compliance with New Jersey Statute, the method used to calculate the actuarial value of assets recognizes 20% of the difference between the market value of assets and the expected actuarial value of assets each year.

Actuarial Standards of Practice (ASOP) No. 44 states that the asset valuation method should produce an actuarial value of assets that falls within a reasonable range of market value, recognizes the difference between the market value and actuarial value of assets within a reasonably short period of time, and is likely to produce actuarial value of assets that are sometimes greater than and sometimes less than the corresponding market values. The asset method required under N. J. Statute does not meet the requirements of ASOP No. 44 because this method has produced actuarial value of assets which have consistently been greater than the market value of assets and recognizes investment losses slowly over time. Additionally, the method may produce an actuarial value of assets that falls outside of a reasonable range of the market value.

On the following pages, we present detailed information on the System's assets:

- Disclosure of assets at July 1, 2017 and July 1, 2018,
- Statement of cash flows during the year,
- Development of the actuarial value of assets,
- Disclosure of investment performance for the year,
- Development of the Special Asset Value (SAV), and
- Development of the Actuarial Balance Sheet.

Disclosure

The market value of assets represents a "snap-shot" value as of the last day of the fiscal year that provides the principal basis for measuring financial performance from one year to the next. Market values, however, can fluctuate widely with corresponding swings in the value of the investments. Because these fluctuations would cause volatility in employer contributions, an actuarial value of assets is developed. Table II-1 on the following page presents the market value as of June 30, 2017 and June 30, 2018. Table II-2 presents the System's net cash flows from June 30, 2017 to June 30, 2018. Table II-3 presents the development of the Actuarial Value of Assets as of July 1, 2018.



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Table II-1				
Statement of Assets at Market Va	lue			
Statement of Assets at Market Va	luc			
		June 30, 2018		June 30, 2017
Assets				
Cash	\$	205,366,800	\$	196,682,671
Investment Holdings		24,504,008,331		23,300,044,539
Employers' Contributions Receivable - Chapter 19		102,125,815		116,220,660
Employers' Contributions Receivable - NCGI State		402,917		175,516
Employers' Contributions Receivable - NCGI Local Employers		37,169,598		35,809,000
Employers' Contributions Receivable - Common L		996,000		0
Employers' Contributions Receivable - Local Employers		941,418,361		866,023,765
Employers' Contributions Receivable - Local Employers ERI		9,867,107		11,404,276
Employers' Contributions Receivable - Retroactive Contributions		2,931,470		2,416,025
Employers' Contributions Receivable - Delayed Enrollments		81,498		138,968
Employers' Contributions Receivable - Delayed Appropriations		451,667		685,273
Members' Contributions Receivable		51,866,967		51,842,902
Accrued Interest on Investments		3,874,133		4,201,001
Accounts Receivable - Other		9,387,201		7,178,418
New Jersey Mortgage Receivable		1,180,450,049		1,158,968,103
Loans Receivable		264,425,125		299,529,474
Interest Receivable on Loans		3,765,857		3,788,168
Securities Lending Collateral	_	267,551,678		295,395,064
Total Assets	\$	27,586,140,574	\$	26,350,503,823
Liabilities				
Pension Payroll Payable	\$	(165 002 969)	¢	(152 070 101)
Pension Adjustment Payroll Payable	Ф	(165,093,868) (16,359,011)	\$	(153,979,191) (16,875,609)
Withholdings Payable		(26,951,157)		(25,884,831)
Death Benefits Payable		(4,499,140)		(3,288,170)
Securities Lending Collateral & Rebates Payable		(267,544,086)		(295,307,869)
Administrative Expenses Payable		(437,834)		(1,460,768)
Accounts Payable - Other		(6,699,378)		(5,988,986)
Total Liabilities	\$	(487,584,474)	\$	(502,785,424)
Total Datomites	Ψ	(407,504,474)	Ψ	(302,703,424)
Preliminary Market Value of Assets	\$	27,098,556,100	\$	25,847,718,399
Discounted Receivables				
Expected Lottery Revenue	\$	12,009,059	\$	11,585,133
State Appropriations		291,951,169		228,911,867
Adjustments to June 30, 2018 Financial Report				
Discounting of Local Employers Appropriations Receivable		(49,659,239)		(44,840,077)
Discounting of Local Employers ERI Contributions Receivable		(41,249)		(1,537,169)
True-up of Present Value of Chapter 19, P.L. 2009				
Contributions Receivable		49,646,687		24,366,507
Exclusion of Reserve for Non-Contributory Group Insurance	_	(38,672,685)		(34,659,280)
Market Value of Assets	\$	27,363,789,842	\$	26,031,545,380



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System Cash Flows as of June 30, 2018

Ta Changes in Market Va	able II		2018		
Changes in Market V	aiues i	State		ocal Employers	Total
Additions		State	L	ocai Employers	Total
Contributions					
Member Contributions	\$	49,052,970	\$	346,551,913	\$ 395,604,883
Member Transfer Contributions		1,040,386		2,196,724	3,237,110
State and Local Appropriations		130,589,000		940,592,142	1,071,181,142
State Contributions on Behalf of Locals		0		108,857,000	108,857,000
State Lottery		11,712,026		0	11,712,026
NCGI Contributions		7,566,578		37,157,368	44,723,946
Transfers from Other Systems		78,557		289,805	368,362
Other Contributions - Delayed Enrollments		7,921		83,012	90,933
Other Contributions - Delayed Appropriations		2,902		447,342	450,244
Other Contributions - Retroactive		292,238		2,828,002	3,120,240
Other Contributions - Additional		0		173,554	173,554
Other - NCGI Adjustment		0		(12,230)	(12,230)
Total Contributions	\$	200,342,578	\$	1,439,164,632	\$ 1,639,507,210
Net Investment Income		96,669,231		2,042,811,995	 2,139,481,226
Total Additions	\$	297,011,809	\$	3,481,976,627	\$ 3,778,988,436
Deductions					
Withdrawal of Member Contributions	\$	1,962,850	\$	7,048,164	\$ 9,011,014
Withdrawal of Member Transfer Contributions		98,090		67,155	165,245
Adjustment for Member Loans		1,044,918		0	1,044,918
Withdrawal of Transfer Contributions		17,339		0	17,339
Retirement Allowances		297,025,786		1,976,221,481	2,273,247,267
Pension Adjustment Benefits		24,207,508		172,641,772	196,849,280
Death Benefit Claims		7,566,578		35,743,409	43,309,987
Administrative Expenses		673,553		3,832,132	4,505,685
Total Deductions	\$	332,596,622	\$	2,195,554,113	\$ 2,528,150,735
Net Increase/(Decrease)	\$	(35,584,813)	\$	1,286,422,514	\$ 1,250,837,701
Preliminary Market Value of Assets Beginning of Year	\$	1,543,684,865	\$	24,304,033,534	\$ 25,847,718,399
Preliminary Market Value of Assets End of Year	\$	1,508,100,052	\$	25,590,456,048	\$ 27,098,556,100
Discounted Receivables					
Expected Lottery Revenue	\$	12,009,059	\$	0	\$ 12,009,059
State Appropriations		163,162,815		128,788,354	291,951,169
Adjustments to June 30, 2018 Financial Report					
Discounting of Local Employers Appropriations Receivable		0		(49,659,239)	(49,659,239)
Discounting of Local Employers ERI Contributions Receivable		0		(41,249)	(41,249)
True-up of Present Value of Chapter 19, P.L. 2009					
Contributions Receivable		0		49,646,687	49,646,687
Exclusion of Reserve for Non-Contributory Group Insurance		0	_	(38,672,685)	 (38,672,685)
Market Value of Assets End of Year	\$	1,683,271,926	\$	25,680,517,916	\$ 27,363,789,842
Approximate Return		6.61%		8.97%	8.83%



SECTION II – ASSETS

Actuarial Value of Assets (AVA)

To determine on-going funding requirements, most pension systems utilize an actuarial value of assets that differs from the market value of assets. The actuarial value of assets represents an asset value based on averaging or smoothing year-to-year market value returns for purposes of reducing contribution volatility. Each year, 20% of the difference between the market value of assets and the expected actuarial value of assets is added to the expected actuarial value of assets.

	Tab Development of Actuarial V	le II-3 alue o		2018	3		
			State	L	ocal Employers		Total
	Preliminary Actuarial Value of Assets as of July 1, 2017 ¹	\$	1,751,056,826	\$	25,008,754,163	\$	26,759,810,989
	Net Cash Flow excluding Investment Income ²		(132,254,044)		(720,442,470)		(852,696,514)
	Expected Investment Income ³		125,268,320		1,761,080,590	_	1,886,348,910
	Expected Actuarial Value of Assets as of July 1, 2018: $[1+2+3]$	\$	1,744,071,102	\$	26,049,392,283	\$	27,793,463,385
	Preliminary Market Value of Assets as of June 30, 2018 ⁴	\$	1,508,100,052	\$	25,513,628,853	\$	27,021,728,905
	20% of Difference from MVA [20% * (5 - 4)]	\$	(47,194,210)	\$	(107,152,686)	\$	(154,346,896)
	Preliminary Actuarial Value of Assets as of July 1, 2018: [4 + 6]	\$	1,696,876,892	\$	25,942,239,597	\$	27,639,116,489
	Discounted Receivables						
	State Appropriations	\$	163,162,815	\$	128,788,354	\$	291,951,169
	Expected Lottery Revenue		12,009,059		0		12,009,059
	Chapter 19, P.L. 2009 Contributions for FYE 2020 and Later		0		127,770,470	_	127,770,470
	Total		175,171,874	\$	256,558,824	\$	431,730,698
	Adjustments						
	Discounting of Local Employers Appropriations Receivable	\$	0	\$	(49,659,239)	\$	(49,659,239)
	Discounting of Chapter 19, P.L. 2009 Contributions for FYE 2019		0		(1,337,837)		(1,337,837)
	Exclusion of Reserve for Non-Contributory Group Insurance		0		(38,672,685)	_	(38,672,685)
	Total	\$	0	\$	(89,669,761)	\$	(89,669,761)
0.	Actuarial Value of Assets as of July 1, 2018: $[7 + 8 + 9]$	\$	1,872,048,766	\$	26,109,128,660	\$	27,981,177,426
1.	Rate of Return on Actuarial Value of Assets		4.68%		7.04%		6.89%

Excludes discounted State appropriations receivable, present value of Chapter 19, P.L. 2009 and ERI contributions and other adjustments



²Amount for Local employers includes Chapter 19, P.L. 2009 contribution receivable for FYE 2019 of 25,339,869 and one-time increase for present value contributions receivable of \$10,607,142.

³ Refer to Appendix B, Actuarial Methods, for details on the assumed timing of contributions

⁴Amount for Local employers includes adjustments to June 30, 2018 Financial Report for discounting of Local employers ERI contributions receivable of true-up of Chapter 19, P.L. 2009 contributions for FYE 2019 of \$(76,785,946).

SECTION II – ASSETS

Investment Performance

In reviewing the investment performance for the System's assets in aggregate, the market value of assets rate of return was 8.83% for the year ending June 30, 2018. This is compared to an assumed return of 7.50% for the same period. On an actuarial value of assets basis, the return for FYE 2018 was 6.89%.

The calculated returns for State and Local employers' portions separately differ due to the size of cash flows relative to the beginning of year asset value and the timing of contributions. For the year ending June 30, 2018 the market value of assets rate of return was 6.61% and 8.97% for the State and Local employers' portions, respectively. On an actuarial value of assets basis, the return for FYE 2018 was 4.68% and 7.04% for the State and Local employers' portions, respectively.

In Table II-4 below we show the historical returns on the actuarial value of asset basis for the last ten years for the System in aggregate.

H	Table II-4 istorical Rates of Retur Total System	'n
Year Ended June 30	Investment Return Assumption	Actuarial Asset Value
2009	8.25%	2.11%
2010	8.25%	3.44%
2011	8.25%	5.55%
2012	7.95%	4.71%
2013	7.90%	5.67%
2014	7.90%	7.48%
2015	7.90%	6.74%
2016	7.90%	5.35%
2017	7.65%	6.30%
2018	7.50%	6.89%



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Development of Special Asset Value (SAV)

Under Chapter 98, P.L. 2017, the Lottery Enterprise Contribution Act, PFRS receives 1.20% of the proceeds of the Lottery Enterprise for a term of 30 years. The value of the Lottery Enterprise is classified as a special asset. The special asset value is the present value of remaining lottery contributions to the retirement systems.

Table II-5 shows the development of the special asset value as of July 1, 2018.

	Table II-5 Development of Special Asset Value as of July 1,	2018	
1.	Lottery Enterprise Value as of Appraisal Date of June 30, 2017 ¹	\$	13,535,103,380
2.	Depreciated Value as of end of Valuation Year at June 30, 2019 ¹	\$	13,570,171,451
3.	Discounted Value as of July 1, 2018 at 7.50%	\$	12,623,415,303
4.	Allocation to PFRS		1.20%
5.	Special Asset Value as of July 1, 2018	\$	151,480,984

¹ Provided by the Division of Pensions and Benefits



SECTION II – ASSETS

Actuarial Balance Sheet

Table II-6 Actuarial Balance Sheet as of July 1, 2018										
		State	L	ocal Employers		Total				
Assets										
Retirement Fund Reserve (RFR)										
Credited to Fund with Distribution of Income	\$	3,290,723,616	\$	23,180,245,951	\$	26,470,969,567				
Add/(Deduct) reserve transferable from/(to) ECR ¹		191,681,410		105,197,854		296,879,264				
Adjusted RFR ²	\$	3,482,405,026	\$	23,285,443,805 ³	\$	26,767,848,831				
Members' Contributions Reserve (MCR) ²	\$	446,091,351	\$	3,441,270,256	\$	3,887,361,607				
Employers' Contributions Reserve (ECR)										
Credited to Fund with Distribution of Income	\$	(1,864,766,201)	\$	(512,387,547)	\$	(2,377,153,748)				
Add/(Deduct) reserve transferable from/(to) RFR		(191,681,410)	_	(105,197,854)		(296,879,264)				
Adjusted ECR ²	\$	(2,056,447,611)	\$	(617,585,401)	\$	(2,674,033,012)				
Special Asset Value as of July 1, 2018	\$	151,480,984	\$	0	\$	151,480,984				
Present Value of Prospective Contributions by State and Local Employers to ECR		2,960,204,220	_	9,414,247,864		12,374,452,084				
Total Assets	\$	4,983,733,970	\$	35,523,376,524	\$	40,507,110,494				
Liabilities										
Payable from RFR										
Retirees, Disableds, and Beneficiaries currently receiving benefits	\$	3,482,405,026	\$	23,285,443,805 ³	\$	26,767,848,831				
Payable from MCR and ECR										
Active and Terminated Vested Members due a future benefit	\$	1,501,328,944	\$	12,237,932,719	\$	13,739,261,663				
Total Liabilities	\$	4,983,733,970	\$	35,523,376,524	\$	40,507,110,494				

¹ It is recommended that the RFR be put into balance each year by transferring assets from the ECR to the RFR so that the RFR will contain sufficient assets to cover the retiree and beneficiary liability



² Actuarial Value of Assets equals RFR + MCR + ECR.

³ Includes the present value of ERI payments of \$8,136,735

SECTION III – LIABILITIES

In this section, we present detailed information on the liabilities of the System, including:

- Disclosure of liabilities at July 1, 2017 and July 1, 2018,
- Active liabilities broken down by Tier, and
- The development of the actuarial gain and loss.

Disclosure

The Actuarial Liability is used for determining employer contributions. For PFRS, the funding method employed is the Projected Unit Credit (PUC) Actuarial Cost Method. Under this funding method, the actuarial liability is calculated as the actuarial present value of the projected benefits allocated to periods prior to the valuation year.

This liability is determined for funding purposes and is not appropriate for measuring the cost of settling plan liabilities by purchasing annuities or paying lump sums.



SECTION III – LIABILITIES

Table III-1 shows the actuarial liability as of July 1, 2018 for the System. The unfunded actuarial liability (UAL) shown in the table is based on the actuarial value of assets plus the special asset value and is different from the UAL used in determining Statutory contributions.

	able III-1 are of Liabilities				
	State	L	ocal Employers		Total
Actuarial Liability					
Contributing Actives	\$ 1,449,604,704	\$	12,017,008,280	\$	13,466,612,984
Non-Contributing Actives	50,842,836		214,127,421		264,970,257
Deferred Vested	881,404		6,797,018		7,678,422
Retirees	2,805,703,534		19,061,217,792		21,866,921,326
Disabled	422,778,513		2,378,424,303		2,801,202,816
Beneficiaries	253,922,979		1,845,801,710		2,099,724,689
Total	\$ 4,983,733,970	\$	35,523,376,524	¹ \$	40,507,110,494
Actuarial Value of Assets + Special Asset Value	\$ 2,023,529,750	\$	26,109,128,660	\$	28,132,658,410
Unfunded Actuarial Liability/(Surplus)	\$ 2,960,204,220	\$	9,414,247,864	\$	12,374,452,084
Funded Ratio	40.60%		73.50%		69.45%

¹ Includes the present value of ERI payments of \$8,136,735



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Table III-2 and Table III-3 show the Actuarial Liability by Tier of contributing and non-contributing active members, respectively, for State and Local employers as of July 1, 2018.

	Table III-2 Contributing Active Liabilities by Tier												
	Number of Members	A	Appropriation Payroll ¹		Actuarial Liability	ı	Gross Normal Cost						
State													
Tier 1	4,327	\$	356,943,257	\$	1,364,472,157	\$	73,569,942						
Tier 2	232		14,911,997		19,798,105		2,563,347						
Tier 3	2,248		108,086,260		65,334,442		19,355,625						
Total	6,807	\$	479,941,514	\$	1,449,604,704	\$	95,488,914						
Local E	mployers												
Tier 1	23,484	\$	2,722,102,422	\$	11,513,261,851	\$	565,376,220						
Tier 2	504		44,376,652		62,134,393		7,744,571						
Tier 3	10,025		624,298,119		441,612,036		110,590,472						
Total	34,013	\$	3,390,777,193	\$	12,017,008,280	\$	683,711,263						

¹ Excludes pay for members who attain the mandatory retirement age of 65 prior to midyear. Tier 1 members limited to the 401(a)(17) pay limit. Tier 2 and 3 members limited to the Social Security Wage Base.

	Table III-3 Non-Contributing Active Liabilities by Tier													
	Number of Members	L	ast Reported Payroll		Actuarial Liability		ross nal Cost							
State														
Tier 1	234	\$	16,692,846	\$	47,649,143	\$	0							
Tier 2	7		452,669		562,629		0							
Tier 3	121		5,463,160		2,631,064	0								
Total	362	\$	22,608,675	\$	50,842,836	\$	0							
Local E	mployers													
Tier 1	770	\$	66,403,425	\$	205,158,692	\$	0							
Tier 2	15		1,128,035		1,293,258		0							
Tier 3	328		16,301,994		7,675,471		0_							
Total	1,113	\$	83,833,454	\$	214,127,421	\$	0							



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Tables III-4 and III-5 present the change in the actuarial liabilities, actuarial assets, and unfunded actuarial liability during the plan year for State and Local employers. In general, the unfunded actuarial liability (UAL) of any retirement system is expected to change at each subsequent valuation for a variety of reasons. In each valuation, we report on those elements of change in the UAL which are of particular significance, potentially affecting the long-term financial outlook of the System.

For this purpose, we focus on the UAL without considering the SAV because this UAL is used to determine the Statutory contribution. The UAL is also prior to any adjustments for State-paid Local obligations.



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			Table III-4						
	Develo	pmen	t of 2018 Experience	ce (Ga	ain)/Loss				
State									
			Actuarial	Δ	ctuarial Value	Unf	unded Actuarial		
			Liability		of Assets		ability/(Surplus)		
1.	Value as of July 1, 2017	\$	4,873,081,731	\$	(1,887,486,318)	\$	2,985,595,413		
2.	Additions								
	Normal Cost	\$	95,392,324	\$	0	\$	95,392,324		
	Statutory State Contributions		0		(305,196,617)		(305,196,617)		
	Expected Member Contributions		0		(48,380,164)		(48,380,164)		
	Total Additions	\$	95,392,324	\$	(353,576,781)	\$	(258,184,457)		
	Deductions								
	Benefit Payments	\$	(324,241,062)	\$	324,241,062	\$	0		
	Expected Administrative Expenses		0		0		0		
	Total Deductions	\$	(324,241,062)	\$	324,241,062	\$	0		
	Net Transfers from Other Systems								
	State Contributions	\$	61,218	\$	(61,218)	\$	0		
	Member Contributions		942,296		(942,296)		0		
	Total Net Transfers	\$	1,003,514	\$	(1,003,514)	\$	0		
	Expected Interest	\$	360,733,279	\$	(131,440,657)	\$	229,292,622		
· ·	Expected Value as of July 1, 2018:								
	[1+2+3+4+5]	\$	5,005,969,786	\$	(2,049,266,208)	\$	2,956,703,578		
	Other Changes								
	Appropriation Adjustment	\$	0	\$	122,079,849	\$	122,079,849		
	Contribution Timing		0		7,951,570		7,951,570		
	Actual Lottery Revenue		0		305,257		305,257		
	Other Employer Contributions		0		(314,220)		(314,220)		
	Actual Member Contributions		0		(697,580)		(697,580)		
	Conversion from Prior Actuary		(918,724)		0		(918,724)		
	Change in Methods/Assumptions		0		0		0		
	Change in Benefits		0		0		0		
	Total Other Changes	\$	(918,724)	\$	129,324,876	\$	128,406,152		
	Expected value after changes: [6 + 7]	\$	5,005,051,062	\$	(1,919,941,332)	\$	3,085,109,730		
١.	Actual Value as of July 1, 2018	\$	4,983,733,970	\$	(1,872,048,766)	\$	3,111,685,204		
0	Actuarial (Gain)/Loss: [9 - 8]	\$	(21,317,092)	\$	47,892,566	\$	26,575,474		



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Dovol	onmor	Table III-5	oo Ce	sin/(Locs)					
Development of 2018 Experience Gain/(Loss) Local Employers									
	Unfunded Actuar Liability/(Surplu								
1. Value as of July 1, 2017	\$	34,474,127,537	\$	(25,183,776,588)	\$	9,290,350,949			
2. Additions									
Normal Cost	\$	670,827,584	\$	0	\$	670,827,584			
Statutory Contributions		0		(1,165,445,461)		(1,165,445,461)			
Expected Member Contributions		0		(330,316,253)		(330,316,253)			
Total Additions	\$	670,827,584	\$	(1,495,761,714)	\$	(824,934,130)			
. Deductions									
Benefit Payments	\$	(2,155,911,417)	\$	2,155,911,417	\$	0			
Expected Administrative Expenses		0		0		0			
Total Deductions	\$	(2,155,911,417)	\$	2,155,911,417	\$	0			
. Net Transfers from Other Systems									
Employer Contributions	\$	289,805	\$	(289,805)	\$	0			
Member Contributions		2,129,569		(2,129,569)		0			
Total Net Transfers	\$	2,419,374	\$	(2,419,374)	\$	0			
. Expected Interest	\$	2,556,575,604	\$	(1,821,650,142)	\$	734,925,462			
. Expected Value as of July 1, 2018:									
[1+2+3+4+5]	\$	35,548,038,682	\$	(26,347,696,401)	\$	9,200,342,281			
. Other Changes									
Appropriation Adjustment	\$	0	\$	90,137,728	\$	90,137,728			
Contribution Timing		0		55,586,568		55,586,568			
Other Employer Contributions		0		(3,649,282)		(3,649,282)			
Actual Member Contributions		0		(16,833,491)		(16,833,491)			
ERI and Ch. 19 Receivables		0		(1,148,207)		(1,148,207)			
Interest on NCGI Cash Flows		0		3,348,500		3,348,500			
Conversion from Prior Actuary		(52,999,153)		0		(52,999,153)			
Change in Methods/Assumptions		0		0		0			
Change in Benefits	_	0		0		0			
Total Other Changes	\$	(52,999,153)	\$	127,441,816	\$	74,442,663			
. Expected value after changes: [6 + 7]	\$	35,495,039,529	\$	(26,220,254,585)	\$	9,274,784,944			
. Actual Value as of July 1, 2018	\$	35,523,376,524	\$	(26,109,128,660)	\$	9,414,247,864			
0. Actuarial (Gain)/Loss: [9 - 8]	\$	28,336,995	\$	111,125,925	\$	139,462,920			



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Table III-6 shows the components of the Actuarial (gain)/loss for the State.

Table III-6 Actuarial (Gain)/Loss Analysis State		
Components		July 1, 2018
Actuarial Value of Assets		
Investment Return	\$	47,194,210
Administrative Expenses		698,356
Total	\$	47,892,566
Actuarial Liability	\$	(12 097 696)
Salary Increases New Entrants	Ф	(43,987,686) 4,253,897
Demographic Experience and Census Data Updates		4,233,097
Contributing and Non-Contributing Actives		6,600,725
Inactives		12,856,437
Sub-Total	\$	(20,276,627)
Impact of Net Transfers from Other Systems		(1,040,465)
Total	\$	(21,317,092)
Actuarial (Gain)/Loss	\$	26,575,474



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Table III-7 shows the components of the Actuarial (gain)/loss for Local employers.

Table III-7 Actuarial (Gain)/Loss Analysis Local Employers	
Components	July 1, 2018
Actuarial Value of Assets	
Investment Return	\$ 107,152,686
Administrative Expenses	3,973,239
Total	\$ 111,125,925
Actuarial Liability	
Salary Increases	\$ 40,248,379
New Entrants	22,171,860
Demographic Experience and Census Data Updates	
Contributing and Non-Contributing Actives	(12,531,355)
Inactives	(19,043,429)
Sub-Total	\$ 30,845,455
Impact of Net Transfers from Other Systems	(2,508,460)
Total	\$ 28,336,995
Actuarial (Gain)/Loss	\$ 139,462,920



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In the process of evaluating the financial condition of any pension plan, the actuary analyzes the assets and liabilities to determine what level (if any) of contributions is needed to properly maintain the funding status of the Plan. Typically, the actuarial process will use a funding technique that will result in a pattern of contributions that are both stable and predictable.

Under the current funding policy, the State and Local employer funding requirements contains two components: the employer normal cost and an amortization of the unfunded actuarial liability (UAL). The UAL for this purpose does not include the special asset value. The funding methodology prescribed by NJ State Statute does not include a cost component for administrative expenses, and therefore administrative expenses are implicitly covered by the investment rate of return assumption. Because the investment rate of return assumption is recommended by the State Treasurer, we provide no opinion on the reasonableness of the assumption and are unable to evaluate whether the investment rate of return assumption includes an appropriate adjustment for administrative expenses.

For PFRS, the funding method employed is the Projected Unit Credit (PUC) Actuarial Cost Method. Under this funding method, the actuarial liability is calculated as the actuarial present value of the projected benefits allocated to periods prior to the valuation year. The unfunded actuarial liability is the actuarial liability on the valuation date less the actuarial value of assets.

In accordance with Chapter 78, P. L. 2011, beginning with July 1, 2018 the unfunded actuarial liability is amortized over a closed 30 year period as a level dollar amount.

Under Chapter 98, P.L. 2017, the Lottery Enterprise Contribution Act, PFRS receives 1.20% of the proceeds of the Lottery Enterprise for a term of 30 years. As of July 1, 2018 there are 28 years remaining. The State's pension contribution shall be reduced by the product of the allocable percentage for such retirement system, the adjustment percentage for such retirement system and the special asset adjustment.



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Table IV-1 shows the development of the Lottery Enterprise contribution offset. Per N.J. Statute the methodology for determining the adjustment percentage varies depending on the applicable fiscal year. The following table shows both calculations to illustrate how the adjustment percentage may change over time.

Table IV-1 Development of Lottery Enterprise Contribution Offset for Fiscal Ye	ar 202	20
For Fiscal Years Through 2022	Φ	1.050.451.400
1. Special Asset Adjustment for FY 2020 ¹	\$	1,070,451,102
2. Allocable Percentage to PFRS for Fiscal Years through 2022		1.20%
3. Adjustment Percentage		100.00%
4. Lottery Enterprise Contribution Offset as of June 30, 2019 [1 x 2 x 3]		12,845,413
For Fiscal Years Beginning 2023		
5. Special Asset Value Allocated to PFRS as of July 1, 2018	\$	151,480,984
6. 28-Year Level Dollar Amortization payable June 30, 2019		13,088,745
7. Initial Special Asset Value Allocated to PFRS as of July 1, 2016		150,878,997
8. Maximum Special Asset Adjustment: 30-Year Level Dollar Amortization at 7.65%		12,962,136
9. Special Asset Adjustment as of June 30, 2019 [lesser of 6 and 8]		12,962,136
10. Adjustment Percentage		0.00%
11. Funded Ratio for Total System based on Actuarial Value + Special Asset Value		69.45%
12. Applicable Adjustment Percentage [if 11 < 50%, 10 - 7 x (50% - 11), otherwise 11]		0.00%

This adjustment will be \$1,084,354,841 for FY 2021 and \$1,095,871,137 for FY 2022.



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Tables IV-2 through IV-5 show the development of the Statutory pension contributions for State and Local employers.

Table IV-2 Development of Unfunded Actuarial Liability											
				July 1, 2017							
		State	L	ocal Employers ¹		Total		State	L	ocal Employers ¹	Total
1. Actuarial Liability	\$	4,983,733,970	\$	35,523,376,524	\$	40,507,110,494	\$	4,873,081,731	\$	34,474,127,537	\$ 39,347,209,268
2. Actuarial Value of Assets ²	\$	1,872,048,766	\$	26,109,128,660	\$	27,981,177,426	\$	1,887,486,318	\$	25,183,776,588	\$ 27,071,262,906
3. Unfunded Actuarial Liability											
a. Basic	\$	2,973,978,440	\$	7,530,101,123	\$	10,504,079,563	\$	2,853,234,813	\$	7,474,164,043	\$ 10,327,398,856
b. Chapter 204, P.L. 1989		613,645		5,360,164		5,973,809		609,362		5,573,559	6,182,921
c. Chapter 247, P.L. 1993		0		127,299,156		127,299,156		0		130,681,986	130,681,986
d. Chapter 428, P.L. 1999 ³		137,093,119		746,575,606		883,668,725		131,751,238		719,700,162	851,451,400
e. Chapter 109, P.L. 1979		0		650,382,330		650,382,330		0		619,676,423	619,676,423
f. Chapter 511, P.L. 1991		0		354,529,485		354,529,485		0	_	340,554,776	340,554,776
g. Total	\$	3,111,685,204	\$	9,414,247,864	\$	12,525,933,068	\$	2,985,595,413	\$	9,290,350,949	\$ 12,275,946,362
4. Adjustment to Unfunded Actuarial Liability											
for Phase-In of State-Paid Local Obligations											
a. Chapter 247, P.L. 1993	\$	115,099,730	\$	(115,099,730)	\$	0	\$	111,693,853	\$	(111,693,853)	\$ 0
b. Chapter 428, P.L. 1999 ³		592,541,714		(592,541,714)		0		566,664,942		(566,664,942)	0
c. Chapter 109, P.L. 1979		650,382,330		(650,382,330)		0		619,676,423		(619,676,423)	0
d. Chapter 511, P.L. 1991		354,529,485		(354,529,485)		0		340,554,776	_	(340,554,776)	 0
e. Total	\$	1,712,553,259	\$	(1,712,553,259)	\$	0	\$	1,638,589,994	\$	(1,638,589,994)	\$ 0
5. Net Unfunded Actuarial Liability [3 + 4]	\$	4,824,238,463	\$	7,701,694,605		12,525,933,068	\$	4,624,185,407	\$	7,651,760,955	12,275,946,362

Excludes UAL amounts due to Local Employer ERI programs and Chapter 19, P.L. 2009 Local Employer deferrals because receivables for these amounts are included in the AVA

level percentage of the total UAL excluding amounts attributable to Chapter 86, P.L. 2001, Chapter 318, P.L. 2001, Chapter 109, P.L. 1979 and Chapter 511, P.L. 1991 as well as amounts attributable to the phase-in of State-paid Local obligations associated with Chapter 247, P.L. 1993 and Chapter 428, P.L. 1999. The percentage is 4% for State and 2% for Local.



² AVA without Special Asset Value used to calculate the Statutory Contributions

³ Includes UAL amounts for Chapter 86, P.L. 2001 and Chapter 318, P.L. 2001. Based on established methodology, the Chapter 428, P.L. 1999 UAL is assumed to be a

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		Development of	of Uı	Table IV-3 nfunded Actuari		Liability Contrib	ution					
				l, 2018 Valuation Ending 2020 Pa		ient				1, 2017 Valuation r Ending 2019 Pa		ient
		State		cal Employers ¹	Ť	Total		State		ocal Employers ¹	Ť	Total
1. Amortization of UAL												
a. Basic	\$	234,242,260	\$	593,100,435	\$	827,342,695	\$	224,732,016	\$	588,694,610	\$	813,426,626
b. Chapter 204, P.L. 1989		67,242		587,360		654,602		64,217		587,361		651,578
c. Chapter 247, P.L. 1993		0		10,026,583		10,026,583		0		10,293,028		10,293,028
d. Chapter 428, P.L. 1999 ²		10,797,994		58,803,237		69,601,231		10,377,247		56,686,421		67,063,668
e. Chapter 109, P.L. 1979		0		51,226,675		51,226,675		0		48,808,157		48,808,157
f. Chapter 511, P.L. 1991		0		27,924,139		27,924,139		0		26,823,436		26,823,436
g. Total	\$	245,107,496	\$	741,668,429	\$	986,775,925	\$	235,173,480	\$	731,893,013	\$	967,066,493
2. Adjustment to UAL Contribution for												
State-Paid Local Obligations	Ф	10.026.592	Ф	(10.026.502)	Ф	0	¢.	10 202 020	Ф	(10.202.028)	Ф	0
a. Chapter 247, P.L. 1993	\$	10,026,583	3	(10,026,583)	Э	0	\$	10,293,028	\$	(10,293,028)	3	0
b. Chapter 428, P.L. 1999 ²		58,803,237		(58,803,237)		0		56,686,421		(56,686,421)		0
c. Chapter 109, P.L. 1979		51,226,675		(51,226,675)		0		48,808,157		(48,808,157)		0
d. Chapter 511, P.L. 1991	Φ.	27,924,139	Φ.	(27,924,139)	Φ.	0	Φ.	26,823,436	Φ.	(26,823,436)	Φ.	0
e. Total	\$	147,980,634	\$	(147,980,634)	>	0	\$	142,611,042	\$	(142,611,042)	>	0
3. UAL Contribution as of												
Valuation Date [1 + 2]	\$	393,088,130	\$	593,687,795	\$	986,775,925	\$	377,784,522	\$	589,281,971	\$	967,066,493
4. Interest to Beginning of Fiscal Year	\$	29,481,610	\$	44,526,586	\$	74,008,196	\$	28,333,839	\$	44,196,148	\$	72,529,987
5. UAL Contribution as of Beginning of Fiscal Year [3 + 4]	\$	422,569,740	\$	638,214,381	\$	1,060,784,121	\$	406,118,361	\$	633,478,119	\$	1,039,596,480

Excludes UAL amounts due to Local Employer ERI programs and Chapter 19, P.L. 2009 Local Employer deferrals because receivables for these amounts are included in the AVA



² Includes UAL amounts for Chapter 86, P.L. 2001 and Chapter 318, P.L. 2001

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			Dev	Table IV-4 relopment of Nor		l Cost						
				1, 2018 Valuatio						1, 2017 Valuatio		
	<u> </u>			Ending 2020 Pa	aym					r Ending 2019 Pa	aymo	the state of the s
		State	Lo	cal Employers		Total		State	Lo	ocal Employers		Total
1. Gross Normal Cost, excluding NCGI Pre		0.4.00.440			_							
a. Basic	\$	86,280,668	\$	620,283,531	\$	706,564,199	\$	85,674,762	\$	604,577,109	\$	690,251,871
b. Chapter 247, P.L. 1993		0		111,263		111,263		0		139,744		139,744
c. Chapter 428, P.L. 1999		2,018,584		12,107,115		14,125,699		2,568,954		16,237,121		18,806,075
d. Chapter 109, P.L. 1979 ¹		5,279,357		37,298,549		42,577,906		5,298,608		36,538,224		41,836,832
e. Chapter 511, P.L. 1991 f. Total	\$	1,910,305	Φ.	13,910,805	Φ.	15,821,110	Φ.	1,850,000	Φ.	13,335,386	Φ.	15,185,386
f. Total	2	95,488,914	Þ	683,711,263	Э	779,200,177	\$	95,392,324	Э	670,827,584	Þ	766,219,908
2. Expected Member Contributions	\$	(45,419,412)	\$	(317,554,544)	\$	(362,973,956)	\$	(46,661,974)	\$	(318,585,284)	\$	(365,247,258)
3. Employer Normal Cost [1 + 2]	\$	50,069,502	\$	366,156,719	\$	416,226,221	\$	48,730,350	\$	352,242,300	\$	400,972,650
4. Portion of Local Normal Cost Payable by	State											
a. Chapter 247, P.L. 1993	\$	111,263	\$	(111,263)	\$	0	\$	139,751	\$	(139,751)	\$	0
b. Chapter 428, P.L. 1999		12,107,115		(12,107,115)		0		16,237,121		(16,237,121)		0
c. Chapter 109, P.L. 1979		37,298,549		(37,298,549)		0		36,538,224		(36,538,224)		0
d. Chapter 511, P.L. 1991		13,910,805		(13,910,805)		0		13,335,386		(13,335,386)		0
e. Total	\$	63,427,732	\$	(63,427,732)	\$	0	\$	66,250,482	\$	(66,250,482)	\$	0
5. Normal Cost Contribution as of												
Valuation Date [3 + 4]	\$	113,497,234	\$	302,728,987	\$	416,226,221	\$	114,980,832	\$	285,991,818	\$	400,972,650
6. Interest to Beginning of Fiscal Year	\$	8,512,292	\$	22,704,674	\$	31,216,966	\$	8,623,562	\$	21,449,386	\$	30,072,948
7. Normal Cost Contribution as of Beginning of Fiscal Year [5 + 6]	\$	122,009,526	\$	325,433,661	\$	447,443,187	\$	123,604,394	\$	307,441,204	\$	431,045,598
8. Non-Contributory Group Insurance Pred of Beginning of Fiscal Year	mium											
(one-year term cost)		N/A	\$	46,564,731	\$	46,564,731		N/A	\$	37,183,000	\$	37,183,000

¹ Per statute, 1.1% of appropriation payroll



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		Developn	ıent	Table IV- of Statutory Pe		on Contributions							
	July 1, 2018 Valuation Fiscal Year Ending 2020 Payment							July 1, 2017 Valuation Fiscal Year Ending 2019 Payment					
As of Beginning of Fiscal Year		State		cal Employers	ауп	Total	-	State		ocal Employers	ауш	Total	
1. Normal Cost Contribution ¹		2000		cur =111p105 c15		20002		3		oeur =::::proj ero		20002	
a. Basic	\$	43,925,850	\$	325,433,661	\$	369,359,511	\$	41,940,139	\$	307,441,204	\$	349,381,343	
b. Chapter 247, P.L. 1993		119,608		0		119,608		150,232		0	\$	150,232	
c. Chapter 428, P.L. 1999		15,185,126		0		15,185,126		20,216,531		0		20,216,531	
d. Chapter 109, P.L. 1979		45,771,249		0		45,771,249		44,974,594		0		44,974,594	
e. Chapter 511, P.L. 1991		17,007,693		0		17,007,693		16,322,898		0		16,322,898	
f. Total	\$	122,009,526	\$	325,433,661	\$	447,443,187	\$	123,604,394	\$	307,441,204	\$	431,045,598	
2. UAL Contribution ^{1,2}													
a. Basic	\$	251,810,430	\$	637,582,968	\$	889,393,398	\$	241,586,918	\$	632,846,706	\$	874,433,624	
b. Chapter 204, P.L. 1989		72,285		631,413		703,698		69,033		631,413		700,446	
c. Chapter 247, P.L. 1993		10,778,577		0		10,778,577		11,065,005		0		11,065,005	
d. Chapter 428, P.L. 1999		74,821,323		0		74,821,323		72,093,442		0		72,093,442	
e. Chapter 109, P.L. 1979		55,068,676		0		55,068,676		52,468,769		0		52,468,769	
f. Chapter 511, P.L. 1991		30,018,449		0		30,018,449		28,835,194	_	0		28,835,194	
g. Total	\$	422,569,740	\$	638,214,381	\$	1,060,784,121	\$	406,118,361	\$	633,478,119	\$	1,039,596,480	
3. Total Statutory Pension Contribution: [1 + 2]	\$	544,579,266	\$	963,648,042	\$	1,508,227,308	\$	529,722,755	\$	940,919,323	\$	1,470,642,078	
4. Lottery Enterprise Contribution Offset	\$	(12,845,413)	\$	0	\$	(12,845,413)	\$	(12,445,783)	\$	0	\$	(12,445,783)	
5. Net Pension Contribution: [3 + 4]	\$	531,733,853	\$	963,648,042	\$	1,495,381,895	\$	517,276,972	\$	940,919,323	\$	1,458,196,295	
6. Non-Contributory Group Insurance Premium		N/A	\$	46,564,731	\$	46,564,731		N/A	\$	37,183,000	\$	37,183,000	

State amounts for Chapter 247, P.L. 1993, Chapter 428, P.L. 1999, Chapter 109, P.L. 1979 and Chapter 511, P.L. 1991 include contributions toward State-paid Local obligations, both amounts attributable to the current fiscal year and amounts that were not contributed in prior years due to the phase-in of contributions. The total State-paid Local obligations are \$227,263,995 and \$224,526,138 for the July 1, 2018 and July 1, 2017 valuations, respectively.



² Excludes UAL amounts due to Local Employer ERI programs and Chapter 19, P.L. 2009 Local Employer deferrals because receivables for these amounts are included in the AVA. Refer to Appendices E and F for additional information regarding thse payments.

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Table IV-6 shows the State and Local employers' contributions as a percentage of appropriation payroll for FYE 2020 compared to FYE 2019.

Tatutory Pension Contribution	able IV-6 s as a Percent of Ap	opropriation Payroll							
	July 1, 2018 Valuation July 1, 2017 Valu Fiscal Year Ending 2020 Payment Fiscal Year Ending 201								
	State	Local Employers	State	Local Employers					
1. Normal Cost Contribution Rate ¹									
Basic Allowances	9.152%	9.596%	8.707%	9.249%					
Chapter 247, P.L. 1993									
PERS Local normal rate for individuals without past service	N/A	12.988%	N/A	13.520%					
PERS Local normal rate for individuals with past service	N/A	1.267%	N/A	1.771%					
Portion of Municipalities & Local Groups costs payable by the State	0.025%	N/A	0.031%	N/A					
Chapter 428, P.L. 1999	3.164%	N/A	4.197%	N/A					
Chapter 109, P.L. 1979	9.537%	N/A	9.337%	N/A					
Chapter 511, P.L. 1991	3.544%	N/A	3.389%	N/A					
2. UAL Contribution Rate ^{1,2}									
Basic Allowances	52.467%	18.834%	50.154%	19.100%					
Chapter 204, P.L. 1989 ³	-	-	-	-					
Chapter 247, P.L. 1993	2.246%	N/A	2.297%	N/A					
Chapter 428, P.L. 1999 ⁴	15.590%	N/A	14.967%	N/A					
Chapter 109, P.L. 1979	11.474%	N/A	10.893%	N/A					
Chapter 511, P.L. 1991	6.255%	N/A	5.986%	N/A					
3. Non-Contributory Group Insurance Premium Rate	N/A	1.373%	N/A	1.119%					

¹ State rates for Chapter 247, P.L. 1993, Chapter 428, P.L. 1999, Chapter 109, P.L. 1979 and Chapter 511, P.L. 1991 include contributions toward State-paid Local obligations, both amounts attributable to the current fiscal year and amounts that were not contributed in prior years due to the phase-in of contributions.



² Excludes UAL contributions due to Local Employer ERI programs and Chapter 19, P.L. 2009 Local Employer deferrals because receivables for these amounts are included in the AVA.

³ Refer to Table IV-7 for employer-specific costs under Chapter 204.

⁴ Includes UAL contribution rates for Chapter 86, P.L. 2001 and Chapter 318, P.L. 2001.

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Table IV-7 determines the recommended FYE 2020 payment under Chapter 204, P.L. 1989 for applicable locations. Chapter 204 allowed employees who were previously excluded on the basis of their titles from PFRS membership to enter the System. Employers of such employees are required to make additional contributions to fund these benefits.

		Chapter	Table IV-7 204, P.L. 1989 Paym	ent Schedule			
			July 1, 2018 Valu Fiscal Year Endir			July 1, 2017 Val Fiscal Year Endi	
Location	Location		ayment as of	Years		ment as of	Years
Number	Name	Beginn	ing of Fiscal Year	Remaining	Beginnin	g of Fiscal Year	Remaining
State Loca	ations						
00053	Juvenile Justice Comm/Community Prog.	\$	2,078	14	\$	1,984	15
00033	Dept. Div. Of Human Resources	φ	66,718	14	φ	63,716	15
00323	Rutgers Biomedical		3,489	14		3,333	15
00470	Total	\$	72,285	17	\$	69,033	13
	1 Otal	ф	12,263		Φ	09,033	
Municipal	lities and Local Groups						
21202	Camden City	\$	91,919	14	\$	91,919	15
39300	Belmar Borough		12,296	14	·	12,296	15
46800	Roxbury Township		23,271	14		23,270	15
49700	West Windsor Township		34,516	14		34,516	15
57700	Sea Isle City		6,245	14		6,245	15
62400	NJ Institute of Technology		99,580	14		99,580	15
62500	Brookdale Community College		108,207	14		108,207	15
62700	Essex County College		32,519	14		32,519	15
75000	Lakewood Twp Fire District #1		17,269	14		17,269	15
75700	Middlesex County College		120,277	14		120,278	15
76200	Lower Camden Co Reg HS Dist #1		2,597	14		2,597	15
77500	Hopewell Twp Fire District #1		10,702	14		10,702	15
78600	South Jersey Transit Authority		52,526	14		52,526	15
78700	Washington Twp Bd of Fire Comm		18,373	14		18,373	15
79600	Upper Freehold Township		1,116	14	-	1,116	15
	Total	\$	631,413		\$	631,413	



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Table IV-8 determines the FYE 2020 pension contribution for certain State colleges.

	Table IV-8 Fiscal Year Ending 2020 Pension Contributions for State College Locations											
Location	Location Name	Number of Members	A	2018 Appropriation Payroll		Normal Cost Contribution		UAL Contribution		Lottery Enterprise Offset ¹		et FYE 2020 Pension ontribution
00410	Rowan University	26	\$	1,885,202	\$	479,251	\$	1,659,563	\$	(842,672)	\$	1,296,142
00412	Kean University	12		880,872		223,933		775,441		(393,744)		605,630
00413	William Paterson University of NJ	19		1,294,095		328,982		1,139,205		(578,451)		889,736
00414	Montclair State University	32		2,499,106		635,316		2,199,989		(1,117,083)		1,718,222
00415	The College of New Jersey	11		705,702		179,402		621,237		(315,444)		485,195
00421	Stockton University	16		1,047,035		266,175		921,716		(468,017)		719,874
00498	Rutgers University	132		10,115,511		2,571,540		8,908,277		(4,521,563)		6,958,254
62400	NJ Institute of Technology	29		2,295,008		583,431		2,119,899		(1,025,853)		1,677,477
Total		277	\$	20,722,531	\$	5,268,030	\$	18,345,327	\$	(9,262,827)	\$	14,350,530

¹ 72.11% of the total Lottery Enterprise contribution offset for FYE 2020 is allocated to each State college location based on the location's 2018 appropriation payroll. The percentage allocation to State colleges was determined using 2018 contributing active, non-contributing active and retiree headcounts for locations deemed to be eligible for funding under the Lottery Enterprise.



APPENDIX A – MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION

The data for this valuation was provided by the New Jersey Division of Pensions and Benefits as of July 1, 2018. Cheiron did not audit any of the data. However, we did perform an informal examination of the obvious characteristics of the data for reasonableness and consistency in accordance with Actuarial Standard of Practice No. 23. The following is a list of data tables contained in this section:

- A-1 to A-3: Contributing Active Member Data by Tier
- A-4 to A-6: Non-Contributing Active Member Data by Tier
- A-7: Inactive Member Data by Status
- A-8: Reconciliation of Plan Membership
- A-9 to A-12: Contributing Active Member Data by Age and Service
- A-13 to A-16: Inactive Member Data by Age and Status



Contril	outing	Table A-1 Active Member State	· Da	ata by Tier	
		July 1, 2018		July 1, 2017	% Change
<u>Tier 1</u>					
Count		4,327		4,485	-3.5%
Average Age		44.31		43.54	1.8%
Average Service		17.05		16.26	4.9%
Total Annual Salary	\$	356,943,257	\$	370,160,432	-3.6%
Average Salary	\$	82,492	\$	82,533	0.0%
Tion 2					
<u>Tier 2</u> Count		232		231	0.4%
Average Age		34.74		33.79	2.8%
Average Age Average Service		7.44		6.43	2.8% 15.7%
Total Annual Salary	\$	14,911,997	\$	14,900,184	0.1%
Average Salary	\$ \$	64,276	\$	64,503	-0.4%
Average Salary	Ψ	04,270	Ψ	04,505	-0.470
<u>Tier 3</u>					
Count		2,248		2,014	11.6%
Average Age		29.86		29.25	2.1%
Average Service		3.12		2.65	17.7%
Total Annual Salary	\$	108,086,260	\$	96,630,985	11.9%
Average Salary	\$	48,081	\$	47,980	0.2%
<u>Total</u>					
Count		6,807		6,730	1.1%
Average Age		39.21		38.93	0.7%
Average Service		12.12		11.85	2.3%
Total Annual Salary	\$	479,941,514	\$	481,691,601	-0.4%
Average Salary	\$	70,507	\$	71,574	-1.5%



Table A-2 Contributing Active Member Data by Tier Local Employers											
		July 1, 2018		July 1, 2017	% Change						
<u>Tier 1</u>											
Count		23,484		24,830	-5.4%						
Average Age		44.33		43.71	1.4%						
Average Service		17.95		17.35	3.5%						
Total Annual Salary	\$	2,722,102,422	\$	2,800,300,011	-2.8%						
Average Salary	\$	115,913	\$	112,779	2.8%						
<u>Tier 2</u>											
Count		504		503	0.2%						
Average Age		34.10		33.18	2.8%						
Average Service		7.51		6.50	15.5%						
Total Annual Salary	\$	44,376,652	\$	40,829,651	8.7%						
Average Salary	\$	88,049	\$	81,172	8.5%						
<u>Tier 3</u>											
Count		10,025		8,077	24.1%						
Average Age		30.40		30.15	0.8%						
Average Service		3.28		2.86	14.7%						
Total Annual Salary	\$	624,298,119	\$	480,527,066	29.9%						
Average Salary	\$	62,274	\$	59,493	4.7%						
<u>Total</u>											
Count		34,013		33,410	1.8%						
Average Age		40.07		40.27	-0.5%						
Average Service		13.47		13.68	-1.6%						
Total Annual Salary	\$	3,390,777,193	\$	3,321,656,728	2.1%						
Average Salary	\$	99,691	\$	99,421	0.3%						



Contrib	uting	Table A-3 Active Member Total	· Da	ata by Tier	
		July 1, 2018		July 1, 2017	% Change
<u>Tier 1</u>					
Count		27,811		29,315	-5.1%
Average Age		44.33		43.69	1.5%
Average Service		17.81		17.19	3.6%
Total Annual Salary	\$	3,079,045,679	\$	3,170,460,443	-2.9%
Average Salary	\$	110,713	\$	108,151	2.4%
<u>Tier 2</u> Count		736		734	0.3%
		34.30		33.37	2.8%
Average Age Average Service		7.49		6.48	2.8% 15.6%
Total Annual Salary	\$	59,288,649	\$	55,729,835	6.4%
Average Salary	\$ \$	80,555	\$ \$	75,926	6.1%
Average Salary	φ	80,333	φ	13,920	0.170
<u>Tier 3</u>					
Count		12,273		10,091	21.6%
Average Age		30.30		29.97	1.1%
Average Service		3.25		2.82	15.3%
Total Annual Salary	\$	732,384,379	\$	577,158,051	26.9%
Average Salary	\$	59,674	\$	57,195	4.3%
<u>Total</u>					
Count		40,820		40,140	1.7%
Average Age		39.93		40.05	-0.3%
Average Service		13.25		13.38	-1.0%
Total Annual Salary	\$	3,870,718,707	\$	3,803,348,329	1.8%
Average Salary	\$	94,824	\$	94,752	0.1%



Table A-4 Non-Contributing Active Member Data by Tier State													
		July 1, 2018		July 1, 2017	% Change								
<u>Tier 1</u>													
Count		234		251	-6.8%								
Average Age		48.21		47.21	2.1%								
Average Service		20.22		19.14	5.6%								
Total Last Reported Pay	\$	16,692,846	\$	18,010,395	-7.3%								
Average Last Reported Pay	\$	71,337	\$	71,755	-0.6%								
<u>Tier 2</u>													
Count		7		8	-12.5%								
Average Age		33.00		33.69	-2.0%								
Average Service		7.55		6.44	17.3%								
Total Last Reported Pay	\$	452,669	\$	514,581	-12.0%								
Average Last Reported Pay	\$	64,667	\$	64,323	0.5%								
<u>Tier 3</u>													
Count		121		83	45.8%								
Average Age		30.64		29.15	5.1%								
Average Service		3.36		2.83	18.6%								
Total Last Reported Pay	\$	5,463,160	\$	3,642,428	50.0%								
Average Last Reported Pay	\$	45,150	\$	43,885	2.9%								
<u>Total</u>													
Count		362		342	5.8%								
Average Age		42.04		42.51	-1.1%								
Average Service		14.34		14.89	-3.7%								
Total Last Reported Pay	\$	22,608,675	\$	22,167,404	2.0%								
Average Last Reported Pay	\$	62,455	\$	64,817	-3.6%								



Table A-5 Non-Contributing Active Member Data by Tier Local Employers													
		July 1, 2018		July 1, 2017	% Change								
<u>Tier 1</u>													
Count		770		758	1.6%								
Average Age		47.39		46.92	1.0%								
Average Service		21.02		20.47	2.7%								
Total Last Reported Pay	\$	66,403,425	\$	62,856,032	5.6%								
Average Last Reported Pay	\$	86,238	\$	82,924	4.0%								
<u>Tier 2</u>													
Count		15		18	-16.7%								
Average Age		35.33		33.15	6.6%								
Average Service		7.44		6.47	15.0%								
Total Last Reported Pay	\$	1,128,035	\$	1,198,123	-5.8%								
Average Last Reported Pay	\$	75,202	\$	66,562	13.0%								
<u>Tier 3</u>													
Count		328		261	25.7%								
Average Age		30.15		29.56	2.0%								
Average Service		3.21		2.67	20.2%								
Total Last Reported Pay	\$	16,301,994	\$	12,035,719	35.4%								
Average Last Reported Pay	\$	49,701	\$	46,114	7.8%								
Total													
Count		1,113		1,037	7.3%								
Average Age		42.15		42.31	-0.4%								
Average Service		15.59		15.75	-1.0%								
Total Last Reported Pay	\$	83,833,454	\$	76,089,874	10.2%								
Average Last Reported Pay	\$	75,322	\$	73,375	2.7%								



Table A-6 Non-Contributing Active Member Data by Tier Total													
		July 1, 2018		July 1, 2017	% Change								
<u>Tier 1</u>													
Count		1,004		1,009	-0.5%								
Average Age		47.58		46.99	1.3%								
Average Service		20.83		20.14	3.4%								
Total Last Reported Pay	\$	83,096,271	\$	80,866,427	2.8%								
Average Last Reported Pay	\$	82,765	\$	80,145	3.3%								
<u>Tier 2</u>													
Count		22		26	-15.4%								
Average Age		34.59		33.32	3.8%								
Average Service		7.48		6.46	15.7%								
Total Last Reported Pay	\$	1,580,704	\$	1,712,704	-7.7%								
Average Last Reported Pay	\$	71,850	\$	65,873	9.1%								
<u>Tier 3</u>													
Count		449		344	30.5%								
Average Age		30.28		29.46	2.8%								
Average Service		3.25		2.71	20.0%								
Total Last Reported Pay	\$	21,765,154	\$	15,678,147	38.8%								
Average Last Reported Pay	\$	48,475	\$	45,576	6.4%								
Total													
Count		1,475		1,379	7.0%								
Average Age		42.12		42.36	-0.6%								
Average Service		15.28		15.53	-1.6%								
Total Last Reported Pay	\$	106,442,129	\$	98,257,278	8.3%								
Average Last Reported Pay	\$	72,164	\$	71,253	1.3%								



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			I	Tabi								
		State		July 1, 2018 ocal Employers		Total		State		July 1, 2017 ocal Employers		Total
Retirees												
Count		4,733		26,494		31,227		4,640		26,018		30,658
Annual Retirement Allowances	\$	249,573,316	\$	1,756,246,563	\$	2,005,819,879	\$	243,779,017	\$	1,692,897,884	\$	1,936,676,901
Average Retirement Allowance	\$	52,730	\$	66,288	\$	64,234	\$	52,539	\$	65,066	\$	63,170
Beneficiaries												
Count		847		6,589		7,436		818		6,556		7,374
Annual Retirement Allowances	\$	26,921,871	\$	217,121,737	\$	244,043,608	\$	25,489,718	\$	210,306,296	\$	235,796,014
Average Retirement Allowance	\$	31,785	\$	32,952	\$	32,819	\$	31,161	\$	32,078	\$	31,977
Ordinary Disability												
Count		728		2,212		2,940		735		2,203		2,938
Annual Retirement Allowances	\$	20,150,423	\$	66,327,842	\$	86,478,265	\$	20,328,284	\$	65,327,095	\$	85,655,379
Average Retirement Allowance	\$	27,679	\$	29,985	\$	29,414	\$	27,658	\$	29,654	\$	29,154
Accidental Disability												
Count		365		2,599		2,964		355		2,546		2,901
Annual Retirement Allowances	\$	16,631,546	\$	137,315,370	\$	153,946,916	\$	16,011,093	\$	131,854,181	\$	147,865,274
Average Retirement Allowance	\$	45,566	\$	52,834	\$	51,939	\$	45,102	\$	51,789	\$	50,970
In-Pay Total												
Count		6,673		37,894		44,567		6,548		37,323		43,871
Annual Retirement Allowances	\$	313,277,156	\$	2,177,011,512	\$	2,490,288,668	\$	305,608,112	\$	2,100,385,456	\$:	2,405,993,568
Average Retirement Allowance	\$	46,947	\$	57,450	\$	55,877	\$	46,672	\$	56,276	\$	54,842
Deferred Vested Members												
Count		6		36		42		7		34		41
Annual Retirement Allowances	\$	103,452	\$	667,188	\$	770,640	\$	130,092	\$	684,360	\$	814,452
Annual Retirement Allowances Average Retirement Allowance	\$	17,242	\$	18,533	\$	18,349	\$ \$	18,585	\$	20,128	\$	19,865
Average Remement Anowance	Ф	17,242	Φ	10,333	Φ	10,349	Ф	10,505	Ф	20,128	Φ	19,000

QDRO benefits included with member records for valuation purposes.



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	Reconcili	ation of Plan Men	Table A-8 nbership from Ju	ıly 1, 2017 to Jul	y 1, 2018		
	Contributing Actives	Non-Contrib. Actives	Deferred Vested	Retired	Disabled	Beneficiaries	Total
1. July 1, 2017	40,140	1,379	41	30,658	5,839	7,374	85,431
2. Additions							
a. New entrants	2,500	42					2,542
b. New dependents						105	105
c. Data corrections				4	4		8
d. Total	2,500	42	0	4	4	105	2,655
3. Reductions							
a. Withdrawals	(131)	(171)					(302)
b. Died without beneficiary				(310)	(68)	(416)	(794)
c. Data corrections		(2)	(2)	(28)	(13)	(41)	(86)
d. Total	(131)	(173)	(2)	(338)	(81)	(457)	(1,182)
4. Changes in Status							
a. Contributing Actives	201	(200)	(1)				0
b. Non-Contributing Actives	(548)	548					0
c. Deferred Vested		(5)	5				0
e. Retired	(1,210)	(37)	(1)	1,248			0
f. Disabled	(112)	(75)		(1)	188		0
g. Died with beneficiary	(20)	(4)		(344)	(46)	414	0
h. Total	(1,689)	227	3	903	142	414	0
5. July 1, 2018	40,820	1,475	42	31,227	5,904	7,436	86,904

QDRO benefits included with member records for valuation purposes.



	Table A-9 Age / Service Distribution of Contributing Active Members State														
				Years of	Service										
Attained	Under 1	1 to 4	5 to 9	10 to 14	15 to 19	20 to 24	25 to 29	30 & up	Total						
Age	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.						
Under 30	296	795	172	1	0	0	0	0	1,264						
30 to 34	98	325	476	206	4	0	0	0	1,109						
35 to 39	18	122	268	523	217	8	0	0	1,156						
40 to 44	0	15	114	352	579	202	2	0	1,264						
45 to 49	0	0	12	177	478	519	44	0	1,230						
50 to 54	0	0	0	16	201	306	60	6	589						
55 & up	0	0	0	0	6	130	35	24	195						
Total	412	1,257	1,042	1,275	1,485	1,165	141	30	6,807						

	Table A-10 Age / Service Distribution of Contributing Active Members State																	
								Years of	Se	rvice								
Attained	J	Jnder 1		1 to 4		5 to 9		10 to 14		15 to 19	2	20 to 24	2	25 to 29	30	& up		Total
Age	(Comp.		Comp.		Comp.		Comp.		Comp.		Comp.		Comp.		Comp.		Comp.
Under 30	\$	40,727	\$	45,810	\$	55,861	\$	64,667	\$	0	\$	0	\$	0	\$	0	\$	46,002
30 to 34		40,964		48,191		60,886		69,778		61,663		0		0		0		57,060
35 to 39		42,752		47,200		62,766		73,885		82,506		86,526		0		0		69,712
40 to 44		0		49,728		63,670		76,815		85,390		90,402		77,982		0		81,409
45 to 49		0		0		69,144		76,736		84,598		91,310		89,428		0		86,321
50 to 54		0		0		0		77,749		85,581		88,774		90,067		85,546		87,484
55 & up		0		0		0		0		88,961		87,225		90,374		95,369		88,846
Total	\$	40,872	\$	46,607	\$	60,940	\$	74,468	\$	84,690	\$	89,998	\$	89,772	\$	93,405	\$	70,507



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Table A-11
Age / Service Distribution of Contributing Active Members
Local Employers

				Years of	Service				
Attained	Under 1	1 to 4	5 to 9	10 to 14	15 to 19	20 to 24	25 to 29	30 & up	Total
Age	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
Under 30	992	3,529	755	11	0	0	0	0	5,287
30 to 34	228	1,818	2,337	1,402	39	1	0	0	5,825
35 to 39	41	635	1,026	2,954	1,385	22	0	0	6,063
40 to 44	1	111	348	1,437	2,665	1,099	12	0	5,673
45 to 49	0	1	43	744	1,752	3,145	609	12	6,306
50 to 54	0	1	1	51	594	1,579	863	246	3,335
55 & up	0	0	2	4	54	631	351	482	1,524
Total	1,262	6,095	4,512	6,603	6,489	6,477	1,835	740	34,013

Table A-12 Age / Service Distribution of Contributing Active Members Local Employers

								Years of	f Se	rvice									
Attained	U	nder 1	1 1 to 4 5 to 9					10 to 14		15 to 19	,	20 to 24	2	25 to 29	30	& up	Total		
Age	(Comp.		Comp.		Comp.	Comp.		Comp. Comp		Comp.	Comp.			Comp.	omp. C			
Under 30	\$	44,463	\$	57,300	\$	73,607	\$	70,280	\$	0	\$	0	\$	0	\$	0	\$	57,247	
30 to 34		43,861		61,359		84,285		98,037		108,706		83,124		0		0		79,021	
35 to 39		44,567		62,864		86,998		105,287		113,421		118,628		0		0		99,245	
40 to 44		48,486		69,250		89,960		105,566		116,484		126,547		126,316		0		113,126	
45 to 49		0		66,292		96,249		103,527		114,119		126,538		136,381		156,356		121,164	
50 to 54		0		43,424		110,060		107,912		112,534		122,879		137,050		149,971		126,445	
55 & up		0		0		110,242		130,278		112,952		117,404		129,047		150,125		130,301	
Total	\$	44,361	\$	59,307	\$	83,684	\$	103,587	\$	114,754	\$	124,724	\$	135,227	\$	150,175	\$	99,691	



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	Table A-13 Counts by Age and Status of Inactive Members State														
		Stat	tus												
Attained			Ordinary	Accidental											
Age	Retiree	Beneficiary	Disability	Disability	Total										
Under 45	12	105	71	80	268										
45 to 49	241	31	98	78	448										
50 to 54	847	41	123	76	1,087										
55 to 59	1,055	70	110	49	1,284										
60 to 64	938	108	116	41	1,203										
65 to 69	712	120	99	21	952										
70 to 74	478	120	67	11	676										
75 to 79	271	98	35	4	408										
80 to 84	113	83	7	4	207										
85 & up	66	71	2	1	140										
Total	4.733	847	728	365	6,673										

	Table A-14 Average Retirement Allowances by Age and Status of Inactive Members State														
	Status														
Attained					O	rdinary	Ac	cidental							
Age	I		Total												
Under 45	\$	47,870	\$	19,410	\$	27,405	\$	45,921	\$	30,716					
45 to 49		56,993		36,380		28,811		47,775		47,797					
50 to 54		57,907		35,711		28,726		47,609		53,048					
55 to 59		55,262		36,696		27,087		45,417		51,461					
60 to 64		53,740		37,735		29,405		43,114		49,594					
65 to 69		52,174		36,133		26,199		41,449		47,214					
70 to 74		47,442		33,885		26,777		42,615		42,909					
75 to 79		41,287		30,607		24,622		34,715		37,228					
80 to 84		39,370		28,880		25,760		30,786		34,538					
85 & up		30,963		26,045		13,732		18,804		28,136					
Total	\$	52,730	\$	31,785	\$	27,679	\$	45,566	\$	46,947					

QDRO benefits included with member records for valuation purposes.



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Table A-15
Counts by Age and Status of Inactive Members
Local Employers

Attained			Ordinary	Accidental	
Age	Retiree	Beneficiary	Disability	Disability	Total
Under 45	64	249	265	432	1,010
45 to 49	1,110	138	334	523	2,105
50 to 54	3,638	215	415	516	4,784
55 to 59	4,272	321	333	344	5,270
60 to 64	4,565	568	272	238	5,643
65 to 69	4,107	711	238	197	5,253
70 to 74	3,717	947	183	170	5,017
75 to 79	2,599	1,014	110	90	3,813
80 to 84	1,358	965	41	51	2,415
85 & up	1,064	1,461	21	38	2,584
Total	26,494	6,589	2,212	2,599	37,894

Table A-16
Average Retirement Allowances by Age and Status of Inactive Members
Local Employers

				C4-	4				
		Status							
Attained						rdinary		cidental	
Age	I	Retiree	Be	neficiary	Di	isability	Di	sability	Total
Under 45	\$	58,149	\$	24,305	\$	34,303	\$	61,353	\$ 44,919
45 to 49		72,936		45,668		32,917		60,315	61,663
50 to 54		76,789		44,500		33,566		59,471	69,721
55 to 59		74,894		41,994		33,099		56,163	69,026
60 to 64		72,163		41,501		30,336		46,822	65,992
65 to 69		67,255		38,434		26,835		41,456	60,555
70 to 74		59,366		35,091		20,652		31,560	52,430
75 to 79		53,632		33,354		17,106		28,317	46,588
80 to 84		47,972		28,553		17,228		23,141	39,166
85 & up		38,930		24,788		13,614		22,498	30,487
Total	\$	66,288	\$	32,952	\$	29,985	\$	52,834	\$ 57,450

QDRO benefits included with member records for valuation purposes.



APPENDIX B – ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS AND METHODS

A. Actuarial Assumptions

1. Investment Rate of 7.50% per annum, compounded annually. **Return**

2. Administrative Expenses No explicit assumption is made for administrative expenses for

funding purposes per the funding methodology prescribed by N. J.

Statute.

3. Cost-of-Living Adjustments (COLAs)

No future COLAs are assumed. Previously granted COLAs are

included in the data.

4. Salary Increases Salary increases vary by age and time period. Representative

salary increase rates are shown below.

Age	Prior to FYE 2026	FYE 2026 and thereafter
25	8.98%	9.98%
30	5.97	6.97
35	4.17	5.17
40	3.33	4.43
45	2.90	3.90
50	2.75	3.75
55	2.60	3.60
60	2.35	3.35
64	2.10	3.10

Salary increases are assumed to occur on July 1.

5. 401(a)(17) Pay Limit \$275,000 in 2018 increasing 3.00% per annum, compounded annually.

6. Social Security Wage Base

\$128,400 in 2018 increasing 4.00% per annum, compounded annually.

7. Termination

Representative termination rates are as follows:

			Years o	f Service		
Age	0 - 1	2	3	4	5 - 9	10+
25	6.90%	2.03%	1.18%	0.60%	0.35%	0.00%
30	9.30	2.75	1.76	1.31	0.60	0.24
35	9.80	3.17	1.76	1.57	0.77	0.24
40	13.70	2.25	1.85	1.74	0.67	0.27
45	3.50	2.25	1.85	2.32	1.35	0.28
50	0.00	2.25	1.85	2.00	1.60	0.30
55	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00



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No termination is assumed after attainment of retirement eligibility. All members with 10 or more years of service at termination are assumed to elect a deferred retirement benefit.

8. Disability

Representative disability rates are as follows:

	Ordinary	Accidental
Age	Disability	Disability
25	0.045%	0.029%
30	0.147	0.278
35	0.265	0.393
40	0.362	0.423
45	0.394	0.396
50	0.449	0.179
55	0.554	0.161
60	1.024	0.161
64	1.680	0.161
65+	0.000	0.000

Both ordinary and accidental disability rates apply at all ages until the mandatory retirement age of 65.

Members retiring under the ordinary disability decrement with less than four years of service are assumed to receive a return of Aggregate Contributions.

No members are assumed to receive the involuntary disability retirement benefit.

Members are assumed to receive the greater of the applicable disability benefit or the service or special retirement benefit, depending on eligibility.



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9. Mortality

<u>Pre-Retirement Accidental Mortality</u>: Custom table with representative rates as follows.

Age	Rates
25	0.006%
30	0.006
35	0.008
40	0.008
45	0.009
50	0.009
55	0.014
60	0.013
64	0.008
65+	0.000

No mortality improvement is assumed for pre-retirement accidental mortality.

<u>Pre-Retirement Ordinary Mortality</u>: RP-2000 Combined Healthy Mortality Tables projected on a generational basis from the base year of 2000 to 2013 using Projection Scale BB and the Conduent Modified 2014 Projection Scale thereafter.

Post-Retirement Healthy Female Retiree and Beneficiary Mortality: RP-2000 Combined Healthy Mortality Tables projected on a generational basis from the base year of 2000 to 2013 using Projection Scale BB and the Conduent Modified 2014 Projection Scale thereafter.

<u>Post-Retirement Healthy Male Retiree Mortality</u>: RP-2000 Combined Healthy Mortality Tables projected on a generational basis using Projection Scale AA from the base year of 2012 to 2013 and the Conduent Modified 2014 Projection Scale thereafter.

<u>Disabled Retiree Mortality</u>: Custom table with representative rates as follows.

Age	Rates
35	0.598%
40	0.634
45	0.803
50	1.058
55	1.210
60	1.426
65	1.949

No mortality improvement is assumed for disabled retiree mortality.



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10. Retirement

Representative retirement rates are as follows:

Age	Less Than 21	Years of Se 21 - 24	ervice 25	26+
40	4.00%	0.60%	45.57%	15.40%
45	4.00	0.60	54.83	15.40
50	4.30	0.60	57.62	18.48
55	6.00	0.00	64.94	24.47
60	3.20	0.00	77.49	27.34
64	37.50	0.00	85.24	51.03

Mandatory retirement at age 65.

Retirement rates for less than 25 years of service prior to age 55 apply only to members enrolled as of January 18, 2000 upon completion of 20 years of service.

11. Family Composition Assumptions

For members not currently in receipt, 90% of members are assumed married to spouses of the opposite sex. Males are assumed to be three years older than females.

For purposes of the post-retirement death benefit for members currently in receipt, beneficiary status is based on the beneficiary allowance reported. If no beneficiary date of birth is provided, the beneficiary is assumed to be the member's spouse of the opposite sex with males assumed to be three years older than females.

No additional dependent children or parents are assumed.

For current dependents receiving a pre-retirement accidental death benefit, those under age 24 are assumed to receive a benefit until age 24 while those over age 24 are assumed to receive a benefit for the remainder of their lifetime.

For current dependents receiving a benefit other than a preretirement accidental death benefit, those under age 19 are assumed to receive a benefit until age 19 while those over age 19 are assumed to receive a benefit for the remainder of their lifetime.



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12. Non-Contributory Group Insurance Benefit Form of Payment

All benefits are assumed to be paid as lump sums.

13. Data

Information provided by the prior actuary was relied upon for the purposes of setting the status of and valuing non-contributing active records.

For current beneficiaries with missing data, reasonable assumptions were made based on the information available in prior years.

Inactive participants receiving benefits according to the 2017 data but omitted from the 2018 data are assumed to have died without a beneficiary.

14. Rationale for Assumptions

The July 1, 2018 valuation results are based on the same actuarial methods and assumptions as used in the July 1, 2017 valuation produced by the prior actuary. The demographic assumptions were based on the July 1, 2010 – June 30, 2013 Experience Study prepared by the prior actuary, which was approved by the Board of Trustees on February 9, 2015. The valuation is based on a 7.50% interest rate, annual salary increases that are 0.5% lower than the rates shown in the experience study and a select period for annual salary increases through fiscal year ending 2026, which were recommended by the State Treasurer. Cheiron has reviewed the demographic and economic assumptions. While we consider these assumptions to be generally reasonable, we have not yet performed our own actuarial experience study.

15. Changes in Assumptions since Last Valuation

None.



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B. Projection Assumptions

- Return
- 1. Investment Rate of July 1, 2019 valuation: 7.30% per annum, compounded annually.
 - July 1, 2020 valuation: 7.30% per annum, compounded annually.
 - July 1, 2021 and later valuations: 7.00% per annum, compounded annually.
- 2. Appropriation **Percentages**

The State is assumed to appropriate 70% of the Statutory contribution in FYE 2020, and to increase the percent by 10% a year, until reaching 100% of the Statutory contribution beginning with FYE 2023.

3. Administrative **Expenses**

0.21% of expected pension benefit payments for the year for the State and 0.18% of expected pension benefit payments for the year for Local employers.

- 4. New Entrants
- Contributing active population assumed to remain at 2018 levels.
- Assumed to join mid-year. •
- Age/sex distributions based on the last three years of new hires.
- Salary based on salary for most recent hires reported on 2018 data.
- New entrant salary assumed to increase with the age 64 salary increase rates.
- 5. Demographic **Assumptions**

Same as those used for valuation purposes.



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C. Actuarial Methods

The actuarial methods used for determining State and Local employer contributions are described below.

1. Actuarial Cost Method

The actuarial cost method for funding calculations is the Projected Unit Credit Cost Method.

The actuarial liability is calculated as the actuarial present value of the projected benefits linearly allocated to periods prior to the valuation year based on service. Refunds are valued as the Aggregate Contributions as of the valuation date as provided by the Division of Pensions and Benefits. The unfunded actuarial liability is the actuarial liability on the valuation date less the actuarial value of assets.

In accordance with Chapter 78, P.L. 2011:

- Beginning with the July 1, 2010 actuarial valuation, the accrued liability contribution shall be computed so that if the contribution is paid annually in level dollars, it will amortize the unfunded accrued liability over an open 30 year period.
- Beginning with the July 1, 2018 actuarial valuation, the accrued liability contribution shall be computed so that if the contribution is paid annually in level dollars, it will amortize the unfunded accrued liability over a closed 30 year period (i.e., for each subsequent actuarial valuation the amortization period shall decrease by one year).
- Beginning with the July 1, 2028 actuarial valuation, when the remaining amortization period reaches 20 years, any increase or decrease in the unfunded accrued liability as a result of actuarial losses or gains for subsequent valuation years shall serve to increase or decrease, respectively, the amortization period for the unfunded accrued liability, unless an increase in the amortization period will cause it to exceed 20 years. If an increase in the amortization period as a result of actuarial losses for a valuation year would exceed 20 years, the accrued liability contribution shall be computed for the valuation year using a 20 year amortization period.

Certain portions of the normal cost and unfunded actuarial liabilities attributable to Local employers are payable by the State and/or over different periods in accordance with the NJ State Statutes.

To the extent that the amortization period remains an open period in future years and depending upon the specific circumstances, it should be noted that in the absence of emerging actuarial gains or contributions made in excess of the actuarially determined contribution, any existing unfunded accrued liability may not be fully amortized in the future.

The non-contributory group life insurance benefit is funded separately through a term cost.



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2. Asset Valuation Method

For the purposes of determining contribution rates, an actuarial value of assets is used that dampens the volatility in the market value of assets, resulting in a smoother pattern of contributions.

The actuarial value of assets is adjusted to reflect actual contributions, benefit payments and administrative expenses, and an assumed rate of return on the previous year's assets and the current year's cash flow at the prior year's actuarial valuation interest rate, with a further adjustment to reflect 20% of the difference between the resulting value and the actual market value of Plan assets.

3. Contributions

Chapter 83, P.L. 2016 requires the State to make the required pension contributions on a quarterly basis in each fiscal year according to the following schedule: at least 25% by September 30, at least 50% by December 31, at least 75% by March 31, and at least 100% by June 30. As such, contributions are assumed to be made on a quarterly basis.

Local employers' contributions are expected to be paid on April 1st, 21 months after the associated valuation date.

Chapter 98, P.L. 2017, the Lottery Enterprise Contribution Act, allows the PFRS to receive 1.20% of the proceeds of the Lottery Enterprise, based upon their members' past or present employment in schools and institutions in the State for a term of 30 years. Revenues from Chapter 98, P.L. 2017, the Lottery Enterprise Contribution Act are assumed to be contributed to the trust on a monthly basis. The State's pension contribution is reduced by the product of the allocable percentage for the PFRS, the adjustment percentage, and the special asset value.

Contributions payable in the fiscal year starting on the valuation date are included in the actuarial value of assets as receivable contributions, discounted by the applicable valuation interest rate.

Legislation has provided for additional benefits and/or funding requirements which are included in this valuation and are described as follows.



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Early Retirement Incentive Programs

The following legislation provides additional retirement benefits to certain employees of Local employers: Chapter 59, P.L. 1999, Chapter 126, P.L. 2000 and Chapter 130, P.L. 2003. The cost of the enhanced pension benefits will be funded by employer contributions to the retirement system and paid by the employer that elected to participate over amortization periods elected by the employer to the extent permitted by NJ Statute.

Chapter 59, P.L. 1999 authorizes municipalities, counties and other local units of government that enter into agreements to provide governmental services on a joint or consolidated basis, municipalities that join together to establish a new consolidated municipality, or school districts that have merged with one or more other school districts due solely to a municipal consolidation, to offer incentive programs for retirement or termination of employment for employees affected by the consolidation agreements. "County ERI Section 44" of Chapter 126, P.L. 2000 permitted local units to offer early retirement or termination incentives to certain employees of county governing bodies. Chapter 130, P.L. 2003 extended an Early Retirement Incentive Program similar to that offered by the State under Chapter 23, P.L. 2002 to members of Local employer locations. Appendix E lists all applicable locations and summarizes the contribution requirements under Chapter 59, Chapter 126 and Chapter 130.

Chapter 109, P.L.1979

Chapter 109, P.L. 1979 increased special retirement benefits for members who retire with 25 years of service from 50% to 60% of average final compensation. Under the provisions of this chapter, the State is liable for the increase in the normal contribution to fund the benefits provided by this act. As required by Chapter 109, additional State contributions of 1.1% of covered salary are required to provide for this additional benefit.

Chapter 204, P.L. 1989

Chapter 204 allowed employees who were previously excluded on the basis of their titles from PFRS membership to enter the System. Employers of such employees are required to contribute any additional contribution necessary to fund any unfunded actuarial liability arising from Chapter 204. The valuation reflects the additional actuarial liability for three State locations and fifteen Municipality and Local Group locations with certain employees participating in the System under the provisions of this legislation. Section IV lists all applicable locations and the required contributions.



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Chapter 511, P.L. 1991

Chapter 511 increased the benefit payable to the surviving spouse of a retiree from 35% to 50% of the retiree's average final compensation. This law also raised the minimum annual spouse's benefit from \$1,600 to \$4,500 for benefits granted prior to January 14, 1992. Chapter 511 required that the normal cost and actuarial liability contribution attributable to this chapter be separately determined. As a result of Chapter 115, P.L. 1997, the actuarial liability contribution attributable to Chapter 511 was eliminated at that time. However, because of the reductions (and anticipated reductions) in the required State contributions for fiscal years 2004 through 2019 due to the various Appropriation Acts and Chapter 1, P.L. 2010, the remaining required contributions that have not been made have been set up as an unfunded actuarial liability attributable to Chapter 511.

Chapter 247, P.L. 1993 and Chapter 201, P.L. 2001

Chapter 247 requires the State to pay the difference between the PFRS normal cost rate and the PERS normal cost rate for certain members who transferred into PFRS as of January 1, 1992 or later. In addition, the law requires the State to pay the "System" unfunded actuarial liability contribution for Municipalities and Local Groups that transferred into PFRS on and after January 1, 1992 without past service.

Chapter 201, P.L. 2001 made changes to Chapter 247, P.L. 1993 with respect to the benefits payable to members who transferred from PERS to PFRS as a result of the Chapter 247 legislation. The resulting increase in the unfunded actuarial liabilities due to the increased benefits was fully funded by the recognition of additional market value surplus in the determination of the actuarial value of assets in the July 1, 1999 valuation. However, because of the reductions (and anticipated reductions) in the required State contributions for fiscal years 2004 through 2019 due to the various Appropriation Acts and Chapter 1, P.L. 2010, the remaining required contributions which were not paid have been added to the Chapter 247 unfunded actuarial liability and will be included in future State contributions.



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Chapter 428, P.L. 1999

Chapter 428, P.L. 1999 made the following changes to the benefit provisions:

- Changed the compensation basis for benefits from 3-year average compensation to final compensation.
- Added a service retirement benefit of 50% of final compensation for members as of the date of enactment who retire with 20 years of service and for all other members at age 55 with 20 years of service.
- Added an additional service retirement benefit of 3% of final compensation per year of service in excess of 20 years for those who retire with less than 25 years of service.
- Reduced the service requirement for ordinary disability retirement from 5 years to 4 years.
- Added the special involuntary disability benefit.
- Changed the preretirement death benefit from a refund of contributions to a spousal annuity equal to 50% of final compensation.

Chapter 8, P.L. 2000 required that, if valuation assets are insufficient to fund the normal cost and actuarial liability costs attributable to Chapter 428, P.L. 1999, the contribution required to fund these costs for the State and other employers shall be paid by the State. For the current valuation, valuation assets were not sufficient to fund the costs attributable to Chapter 428. In addition, because of the reductions (and anticipated reductions) in the required State contributions for fiscal years 2004 through 2019 due to the various Appropriation Acts and Chapter 1, P.L. 2010, the remaining required contributions which were not paid have been added to the Chapter 428 unfunded actuarial liability and will be included in future State contributions.

Chapter 86, P.L. 2001 amended the active death benefits provided to a beneficiary of a member who died in active duty on or after January 1, 1998 and before January 18, 2000. The law required an eligible beneficiary to apply for the increased benefits within 90 days of enactment and return the member's aggregate contributions to the System. The State is liable for all costs to the System attributable to this law, and these costs have been included in the Chapter 428 actuarial liability contributions.

Chapter 318, P.L. 2001 amended the active death benefits provided to a beneficiary of a member with 10 or more years of service who died in active service on or after June 1, 1995 and before January 1, 1998 and whose beneficiary had, on May 1, 2001, an appeal of a denial of a benefit related to death in the line of duty pending before the Board of Trustees. The law requires that the appeal be withdrawn or denied and that an eligible beneficiary apply for the increased benefits and return the member's aggregate contributions received. The State is liable for all costs to the System attributable to this law and these costs are also included in the Chapter 428 actuarial liability contributions.



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Chapter 19, P.L. 2009

Chapter 19 provided that the State Treasurer will reduce for Local employers the normal and actuarial liability contributions to 50% of the amount certified for fiscal year 2009. The remaining 50% of the contribution (unfunded actuarial liability) will be paid by the Local employers in level annual payments over a period of 15 years with the first payment due in the fiscal year ending June 30, 2012. The unfunded liability will be adjusted by the rate of return on the actuarial value of assets. The legislation also provided that a Local employer may pay 100% of the contribution for the fiscal year 2009. Such an employer will be credited with the full payment and any such amounts will not be included in their unfunded actuarial liability. In addition, certain Local employers who were eligible to defer 50% of their fiscal year 2009 pension contributions but instead paid 100% of the fiscal year 2009 pension contributions were permitted to defer 50% of their 2010 fiscal year pension contributions. The unfunded actuarial liability will be paid by these Local employers over a period of 15 years with the first payment due in the fiscal year ending June 30, 2012. The unfunded actuarial liability will be adjusted by the rate of return on the actuarial value of assets.

4. Changes in Actuarial Methods since Last Valuation

None.



APPENDIX C – SUMMARY OF PLAN PROVISIONS

This summary of Plan provisions provides an overview of the major provisions of the PFRS used in the actuarial valuation. It is not intended to replace the more precise language of the NJ State Statutes, Title 43, Chapter 16A, and if there is any difference between the description of the plan herein and the actual language in the NJ State Statutes, the NJ State Statutes will govern.

1. Eligibility of Membership

Eligibility is restricted to eligible police officers and firefighters in an eligible job title of classification who also meet the age, medical and training criteria for membership. The maximum enrollment age is 35.

- a) Tier 1 Member: Any member hired on or before May 21, 2010.
- b) <u>Tier 2 Member</u>: Any member hired after May 21, 2010 and on or before June 28, 2011.
- c) <u>Tier 3 Member</u>: Any member hired after June 28, 2011.

2. Plan Year

The 12-month period beginning on July 1 and ending on June 30.

3. Creditable Service

A year of service is credited for each year an employee is a Member of the Retirement System plus service, if any, covered by a prior service liability.

4. Compensation

Base salary upon which contributions by a Member to the Annuity Savings Fund were based in the last year of service. Chapter 113, P.L. 1997 provides that Compensation cannot exceed the compensation limitation of Section 401(a)(17) of the Internal Revenue Code. Chapter 1, P.L. 2010 provides that for members hired on or after May 22, 2010, Compensation cannot exceed the annual maximum wage contribution base for Social Security, pursuant to the Federal Insurance Contribution Act.

5. Final Compensation

Annual compensation received by the Member in the last 12 months of Creditable Service preceding his retirement. Chapter 1, P.L. 2010 provides that for members hired on or after May 22, 2010, Final Compensation means the average annual compensation for the three fiscal years of membership providing the largest benefit.

6. Aggregate Contributions

The sum of all amounts deducted from the compensation of a Member or contributed by him or on his behalf without interest.



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7. Member Contributions

Each Member contributes 10% of base salary.

8. Benefits

a) Service and Special Retirement

Mandatory retirement at age 65, except a Member hired prior to January 1, 1987 may remain a Member until attaining the earlier of age 68 or 25 years of Creditable Service. Voluntary retirement prior to age 65.

(1) <u>Service Retirement</u>: For a Member enrolled as of January 18, 2000, age 55 or 20 years of Creditable Service. For a Member enrolled after January 18, 2000, age 55.

Benefit is an annual retirement allowance comprised of a member annuity plus an employer pension which together equal the greater of:

- a. 2% of Final Compensation for each year of Creditable Service up to 30 years plus 1% of Final Compensation for each year of Creditable Service over 30 years.
- b. 50% of Final Compensation for Members with 20 or more years of Creditable Service.
- c. 50% of Final Compensation plus 3% of Final Compensation for each year of Creditable Service in excess of 20 years for Members as of January 18, 2000 who would have 20 years of Creditable Service but not 25 years at age 65.
- (2) Special Retirement: 25 years of Creditable Service.

Benefit is in an annual retirement allowance comprised of a member annuity plus an employer pension which together equal:

- a. For Members enrolled on or before June 28, 2011, 65% of Final Compensation plus 1% of Final Compensation for each year of Creditable Service in excess of 25 years with a maximum of 70% of Final Compensation, except for those members with 30 or more years of Creditable Service on June 30, 1979.
- b. For Members hired after June 28, 2011, 60% of Final Compensation plus 1% of Final Compensation for each year of Creditable Service in excess of 25 years with a maximum of 65% of Final Compensation.



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b) Deferred Retirement

Termination of service prior to age 55 with 10 years of Creditable Service.

Benefit is either a refund of Aggregate Contributions, or a deferred life annuity commencing at age 55 comprised of a member annuity plus an employer pension which together equal 2% of Final Compensation for each year of Creditable Service up to 30 plus 1% of Final Compensation for each year of Creditable Service over 30 years.

For Members who die during the deferral period, the benefit is a return of Aggregate Contributions.

c) Non-Vested Termination

Termination of service prior to age 55 and less than 10 years of service credit.

Benefit is a return of Aggregate Contributions.

d) Death Benefits

- (1) Ordinary Death Before Retirement: Death of an active Member. Benefit is equal to:
 - a. Lump sum payment equal to 350% of Compensation, also known as the non-contributory group life insurance benefit, plus
 - b. Spousal life annuity of 50% of Final Compensation payable until spouse's death or remarriage. If there is no surviving spouse or upon death or remarriage, a total of 20% (35%, 50%) of Final Compensation payable to one (two, three or more) dependent child(ren). If there is no surviving spouse or dependent child(ren), 25% (40%) of Final Compensation to one (two) dependent parent(s). If there is no surviving spouse, dependent child(ren) or parent(s), the benefit is a refund of Aggregate Contributions.
- (2) <u>Accidental Death Before Retirement</u>: Death of an active Member resulting during performance of duties. Benefit is equal to:
 - a. Lump sum payment equal to 350% of Compensation, also known as the non-contributory group life insurance benefit, plus
 - b. Spousal life annuity of 70% of Compensation payable until spouse's death or remarriage. If there is no surviving spouse or upon death or remarriage, 70% of Compensation payable to dependent children in equal shares. If there is no surviving spouse or dependent child(ren), 25% (40%) of Compensation to one (two) dependent parent(s). If there is no surviving spouse, dependent child(ren) or parent(s), the benefit is a refund of Aggregate Contributions.



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- (3) <u>Death After Retirement</u>: Death of a retired Member. Benefit is equal to:
 - a. Lump sum payment equal to 50% of Compensation for a Member retired under service, special or deferred retirement. For a Member receiving a disability benefit, lump sum payment of 350% of Compensation if death occurs prior to age 55 and 50% of final compensation if death occurs after age 55. This benefit is also known as the non-contributory group life insurance benefit, plus
 - b. For Members who retired on or after January 1, 1968, spouse life annuity of 50% of Final Compensation plus 15% (25%) of Final Compensation for one (two or more) dependent child(ren). The minimum benefit is \$4,500 per year. If there is no surviving spouse or upon death or remarriage, a total of 20% (35%, 50%) of Final Compensation payable to one (two, three or more) dependent child(ren). Previously granted COLAs also apply.

e) Disability Retirement

(1) Ordinary Disability Retirement: Four years of Creditable Service and totally and permanently incapacitated from the performance of usual or available duties.

Benefit is an annual retirement allowance comprised of a member annuity plus an employer pension which together equal the greater of:

- a. 40% of Final Compensation, or
- b. 1.5% of Final Compensation for each year of Creditable Service.
- (2) <u>Involuntary Ordinary Disability Retirement</u>: Ordinary Disability Retirement applied for by the employer.

Benefit is an annual retirement allowance comprised of a member annuity plus an employer pension which together equal:

- a. For Members with 20 years of Creditable Service but less than 25 years, 50% of Final Compensation plus 3% of Final Compensation for each year of Creditable Service in excess of 20 years, to a maximum of 65% of Final Compensation.
- b. For all other members, the Ordinary Disability benefit.
- (3) <u>Accidental Disability Retirement</u>: Totally and permanently disabled as a direct result of a traumatic event occurring during and as a result of regular or assigned duties and such member is mentally or physically incapacitated for the performance of his usual duties.

Benefit is an annual retirement allowance comprised of a member annuity plus an employer pension which together equal 2/3 of annual rate of compensation at the time of the traumatic event or retirement, whichever is greater.



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(4) <u>Special Disability Retirement</u>: Under age 55 with 5 years of Creditable Service and received a heart transplant.

Benefit is an annual retirement allowance comprised of a member annuity plus an employer pension which together equal 50% of Final Compensation.

9. Forms of Payment

No optional forms of payment are available.

10. Cost-of-Living Adjustments

Also known as Pension Adjustments. Provided annually to retirees and survivors after 24 months of retirement prior to July 1, 2011. Chapter 78, P.L. 2011 eliminated future adjustments effective July 1, 2011. Adjustments may be reinstated in the future subject to certain conditions outlined in Chapter 78, P.L. 2011.

11. Changes in Plan Provisions since Last Valuation

None.



APPENDIX D – HISTORICAL DATA

The information on the following tables for State and Local employers is based on the final actuarial valuation reports for the given years. The amounts do not reflect differences between the discounted State appropriations receivable and the actual State contribution amounts that became known after the issuance of the reports.



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	Histori	Table Docal Summary of As State	-1 ssets and Liabilities		
Valuation	Market	Actuarial Value of Assets			<u>d Ratio</u>
Date	Value	with Special	Actuarial	Market	Actuarial
July 1,	of Assets	Asset Value ¹	Liability	Value	Value
	\$		Liability \$ 4,983,733,970	Value 33.8%	Value 40.6%
July 1,	\$ of Assets	Asset Value ¹	·		
July 1, 2018	\$ of Assets 1,683,271,926	Asset Value ¹ \$ 2,023,529,750	\$ 4,983,733,970	33.8%	40.6%
July 1, 2018 2017	\$ of Assets 1,683,271,926 1,680,114,357	Asset Value ¹ \$ 2,023,529,750 2,038,961,264	\$ 4,983,733,970 4,873,081,731	33.8% 34.5%	40.6% 41.8%

2,127,491,585

2,137,727,566

2,173,255,647

2,190,654,958

2,268,272,056

4,188,523,037

4,026,954,882

3,926,525,679

3,672,361,258

3,993,259,480

1,896,198,371

1,829,418,795

1,944,214,316

1,771,575,807

1,742,699,083

Table D-2 Historical Summary of Employer Contributions ¹ State						
Fiscal Year Ending June 30,	Statutory Contribution / Actuarially Determined Contribution	Actual Pension Contribution	Lottery Revenue	Contribution Deficiency/ (Excess)	Percentage of Contribution Covered	
2019^{2}	\$ 529,722,755	\$ 305,387,870	\$ 12,451,257	\$ 211,883,628	60.0%	
2018	502,917,964	239,446,000	11,712,026	251,759,938	49.9%	
2017	483,877,347	195,221,000	0	288,656,347	40.3%	
2016	461,081,051	138,324,000	0	322,757,051	30.0%	
2015	414,316,953	139,297,000	0	275,019,953	33.6%	
2014	389,689,529	115,623,000	0	274,066,529	29.7%	
2013	393,637,547	112,468,000	0	281,169,547	28.6%	
2012	375,234,766	53,606,000	0	321,628,766	14.3%	
2011	339,480,900	0	0	339,480,900	0.0%	
2010	299,131,628	0	0	299,131,628	0.0%	

¹ Excludes contributions for NCGI



2013

2012

2011

2010

2009

50.8%

53.1%

55.3%

59.7%

56.8%

45.3%

45.4%

49.5%

48.2%

43.6%

¹ Includes Special Asset Value beginning with July 1, 2016 valuation

² Reflects the State's planned contribution of 60% of the Statutory contribution

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Table D-3 Historical Summary of Assets and Liabilities Local Employers							
Valuation	Market	Actuarial		Funde	d Ratio		
Date	Value	Value	Actuarial	Market	Actuarial		
July 1,	of Assets	of Assets	Liability	Value	Value		
2018	\$ 25,680,517,916	\$ 26,109,128,660	\$ 35,523,376,524	72.3%	73.5%		
2017	24,351,431,023	25,183,776,588	34,474,127,537	70.6%	73.1%		
2016	22,469,694,913	24,420,145,823	32,793,439,210	68.5%	74.5%		
2015	23,360,020,456	23,935,037,150	31,205,965,303	74.9%	76.7%		
2014	23,143,934,984	23,066,498,788	30,239,286,907	76.5%	76.3%		

28,811,698,272

27,705,168,437

26,978,632,188

25,601,998,126

28,448,841,765

72.0%

69.6%

71.9%

66.8%

57.2%

76.9%

77.8%

78.0%

79.6%

72.7%

22,170,221,173

21,549,327,079

21,051,681,692

20,367,865,987

20,669,565,701

Table D-4 Historical Summary of Employer Contributions ¹ Local Employers								
Fiscal Year Ending June 30,	1	Statutory ontribution / Actuarially Determined Contribution		Actual Pension Contribution	Contribution Deficiency/ (Excess)		Percentage of Contribution Covered	
2019	\$	968,867,296	\$	968,540,115	327,18	1	100.0%	
2018		877,147,545		877,147,545	(\mathbf{C}	100.0%	
2017		807,438,390		807,438,390	(\mathbf{C}	100.0%	
2016		804,063,662		804,063,662	(\mathbf{C}	100.0%	
2015		760,533,458		760,533,458	(\mathbf{C}	100.0%	
2014		726,928,577		726,928,577	(\mathbf{C}	100.0%	
2013		776,511,374		776,511,374	(\mathbf{C}	100.0%	
2012		762,531,584		762,531,584	(\mathbf{C}	100.0%	
2011		857,072,909		857,072,909	(\mathbf{C}	100.0%	
2010^{2}		718,078,464		717,576,451	502,013	3	99.9%	

¹ Excludes contributions for NCGI and includes ERIs and Chapter 19, P.L. 2009 payments



2013

2012

2011

2010

2009

20,734,802,380

19,296,197,115

19,405,816,249

17,108,014,883

16,283,683,457

² Reflects contribution reductions due to Chapter 19, P.L. 2009

APPENDIX E – EARLY RETIREMENT INCENTIVE PROGRAMS

Table E-1 Local Employers ERI 1 Contribution Schedule							
Location	Location	Fis	scal Year	Pre	sent Value		
Number	Name	2020) Payment	as	as of 7/1/2018		
22100	East Rutherford Borough	\$	82,873	\$	785,770		
25500	Glen Ridge Borough		59,590		565,010		
34600	Wallington Borough		38,960		369,406		
38800	Phillipsburg Town		11,663		110,580		
43400	Bound Brook Borough		34,629		328,337		
54400	Linwood City		54,298		514,836		
57100	Mine Hill Township		18,930		179,486		
61200	Raritan Township		57,065		541,071		
	Total	\$	358,008	\$	3,394,496		

Consistent with established methodology, payment amounts calculated using a payment date 21 months after the valuation date.



APPENDIX E – EARLY RETIREMENT INCENTIVE PROGRAMS

1	Local Employers ERI Contribu	Table E-2 tion Schedules due to	Rece	ent ERI Legi	slatio)n
Location Number	Location Name	Years and Form of Payment	Fiscal Year 2020 Payment		Present Value as of 7/1/2018	
Chapter 126	5. P.L. 2000					
71600	Passaic County	15 Year - Level	\$	174,666	\$	153,901
71603	Passaic County	15 Year - Level		27,688		24,396
72000	Union County	15 Year - Level		49,373		189,210
72001	Union County	15 Year - Level		17,653		67,654
72003	Union County	15 Year - Level		54,480		92,658
72003	Union County (Effective 2006)	15 Year - Level		198,432		760,445
	Sub-Total		\$	522,292	\$	1,288,264
Chapter 130	, P.L. 2003					
20300	Bayonne City	15 Year - Increasing	\$	323,915	\$	558,869
22100	East Rutherford Borough	15 Year - Increasing		53,395		135,316
22400	Union City	15 Year - Increasing		37,881		65,359
28300	Montclair Township	15 Year - Increasing		300,001		517,609
31800	Harrison Town	15 Year - Increasing		217,481		375,232
32500	Nutley Township	15 Year - Increasing		118,646		204,707
33300	Wood-Ridge Borough	15 Year - Increasing		36,777		93,201
35400	Belleville Township	15 Year - Increasing		51,133		129,583
36000	Livingston Township	15 Year - Increasing		80,672		204,444
43100	Ewing Township	15 Year - Increasing		173,774		299,822
43600	Roseland Borough	15 Year - Increasing		42,928		108,789
49300	Berkeley Heights Township	15 Year - Increasing		42,062		106,596
56500	Franklin Township	15 Year - Increasing		38,338		97,158
61200	Raritan Township	15 Year - Increasing		26,579		67,359
62600	Monroe Township	15 Year - Increasing		21,541		54,591
71100	Mercer County	15 Year - Increasing		167,532		289,052
72000	Union County	15 Year - Increasing		1,241		3,146
72003	Union County	15 Year - Increasing		56,483		143,142
	Sub-Total		\$	1,790,379	\$	3,453,975
	Total		\$	2,312,671	\$	4,742,239

Consistent with established methodology, payment amounts calculated using a payment date 21 months after the valuation date.



APPENDIX F - CHAPTER 19, P. L. 2009

Loc	Tab cal Employer Chapter 19, P.L. 2	le F-1 2009 Deferral and Paymer	nt Schedule
Location Number	Location Name	Fiscal Year 2020 Payment	Present Value as of 7/1/2018
20300	Bayonne City	\$ 619,387	\$ 3,107,443
20400	Salem City	24,446	122,646
20600	Plainfield City	354,249	1,777,256
21001	Elizabeth City	494,856	2,482,676
21002	Elizabeth City	354,239	1,777,205
21101	Newark City	1,848,643	9,274,574
21102	Newark City	902,643	4,528,529
21202	Camden City	307,383	1,542,127
21300	North Plainfield Borough	110,400	553,872
21600	Somerville Borough	43,690	219,192
21800	Roselle Borough	142,173	713,278
22000	Freehold Borough	52,730	264,544
22400	Union City	300,718	1,508,693
22501	Passaic City	268,287	1,345,987
22502	Passaic City	178,007	893,056
22800	Metuchen Borough	38,661	193,963
23000	West New York Town	174,564	875,780
23200	Oradell Borough	34,649	173,834
23301	Hoboken City	218,353	1,095,468
23302	Hoboken City	210,018	1,053,651
23400	Audubon Borough	25,266	126,760
23800	East Orange City	544,420	2,731,336
23900	Maplewood Township	157,231	788,823
24100	Hightstown Borough	19,869	99,680
24200	West Milford Township	79,584	399,271
24400	Saddle Brook Township	66,979	336,031
24500	Perth Amboy City	271,160	1,360,398
24600	Secaucus Town	103,375	518,631
24800	Lyndhurst Township	89,348	448,257
24900	Orange City	250,239	1,255,440
25500	Glen Ridge Borough	36,901	185,130
25600	Guttenberg Town	30,467	152,850
25801	Collingswood Borough	43,516	218,319
25802	Collingswood Borough	18,651	93,570
26100	Dunellen Borough	18,641	93,521

Consistent with established methodology, payment amounts calculated using a payment date 21 months after the valuation date.



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Loc	Table F al Employer Chapter 19, P.L. 2	-1 (cont.) 2009 Deferral and Paymer	nt Schedule
Location Number	Location Name	Fiscal Year 2020 Payment	Present Value as of 7/1/2018
26600	Fairview Borough	\$ 53,097	\$ 266,388
26700	Keansburg Borough	44,374	222,625
27300	New Milford Borough	57,369	287,816
27400	Paramus Borough	185,590	931,100
27600	South Amboy City	37,552	188,399
27700	Weehawken Township	91,213	457,614
28000	Hackensack City	385,337	1,933,222
28500	Penns Grove Borough	18,624	93,436
28600	Matawan Borough	33,401	167,573
28700	Cedar Grove Township	50,675	254,235
28900	Bogota Borough	21,540	108,068
29100	Irvington Township	447,996	2,247,581
29200	Cinnaminson Township	64,048	321,326
29500	Little Ferry Borough	28,719	144,084
29700	Garwood Borough	23,134	116,063
30701	Paterson City	484,992	2,433,189
30702	Paterson City	383,793	1,925,475
30801	Atlantic City	475,548	2,385,809
30802	Atlantic City	352,501	1,768,484
31100	Fanwood Borough	28,160	141,278
31300	East Hanover Township	61,724	309,668
31600	Rutherford Borough	70,659	354,491
31800	Harrison Township	161,738	811,436
32200	Gloucester City	72,986	366,166
32600	Union Township	354,936	1,780,703
32700	Bloomfield Township	334,223	1,676,785
32900	Morristown Town	124,318	623,700
33200	Asbury Park City	186,108	933,699
33401	Trenton City	471,952	2,367,766
33402	Trenton City	352,415	1,768,055
33800	Lakewood Township	191,700	961,754
34000	North Arlington Borough	58,713	294,560
34100	Rahway City	206,016	1,033,577
34200	Verona Township	48,823	244,941
34301	Hillside Township	109,565	549,685

Consistent with established methodology, payment amounts calculated using a payment date 21 months after the valuation date.



APPENDIX F – CHAPTER 19, P. L. 2009

Loc	Table F-1 (cont.) Local Employer Chapter 19, P.L. 2009 Deferral and Payment Schedule						
Location Number	Location Name	Fiscal Year 2020 Payment	Present Value as of 7/1/2018				
34302	Hillside Township	\$ 75,797	\$ 380,272				
34600	Wallington Borough	39,668	199,013				
34700	East Newark Borough	6,964	34,936				
34800	Clifton City	470,602	2,360,995				
34900	Wildwood City	79,429	398,491				
35000	Palisades Park Borough	53,925	270,541				
35100	Pleasantville City	160,255	803,993				
35400	Belleville Township	286,159	1,435,650				
35500	Dover Town	62,618	314,155				
35600	South Orange Village	148,448	744,758				
35800	Garfield City	107,784	540,750				
35900	Linden City	391,159	1,962,432				
36200	Bridgeton City	86,995	436,450				
36400	Washington Borough	17,480	87,698				
36700	Fairfield Township	58,348	292,732				
36900	Middlesex Borough	46,694	234,261				
37000	Middletown Township	167,520	840,442				
37400	Maywood Borough	45,092	226,227				
37700	Piscataway Township	135,261	678,602				
38101	Jersey City	1,245,884	6,250,555				
38102	Jersey City Fire Dept.	944,565	4,738,848				
38500	Runnemede Borough	28,181	141,383				
39500	Mountainside Borough	36,053	180,879				
39900	Long Branch City	168,026	842,980				
40400	Wanaque Borough	36,421	182,724				
41000	Manville Borough	36,389	182,565				
41400	Oceanport Borough	23,993	120,370				
41500	Haworth Borough	19,362	97,137				
41600	Little Falls Twp	32,594	163,524				
41900	North Haledon Borough	25,957	130,228				
42000	Haledon Borough	26,766	134,284				
42500	Wharton Borough	30,596	153,498				
43000	West Paterson Borough	39,048	195,902				
43100	Ewing Township	141,216	708,477				
43400	Bound Brook Borough	34,488	173,023				

Consistent with established methodology, payment amounts calculated using a payment date 21 months after the valuation date.



APPENDIX F – CHAPTER 19, P. L. 2009

Loc	Table F-1 (cont.) Local Employer Chapter 19, P.L. 2009 Deferral and Payment Schedule						
Location Number	Location Name	Fiscal Year 2020 Payment	Present Value as of 7/1/2018				
43500	Emerson Borough	\$ 34,078	\$ 170,967				
43600	Roseland Borough	41,198	206,690				
43700	Norwood Borough	23,507	117,932				
43800	Prospect Park Borough	22,790	114,339				
44100	Englewood Cliffs Borough	59,570	298,863				
44800	Englishtown Borough	5,482	27,505				
44900	Ringwood Borough	33,886	170,004				
46300	Borough of Lake Como	13,869	69,580				
46400	Aberdeen Township	46,837	234,978				
46600	West Long Branch Borough	26,799	134,452				
46700	Pt Pleasant Beach Borough	39,113	196,226				
47300	Brooklawn Borough	6,086	30,533				
47800	Hopatcong Borough	40,396	202,666				
47900	West Deptford Township	54,375	272,798				
48200	South Bound Brook Borough	19,643	98,546				
48600	Gloucester Township	151,598	760,559				
48800	Upper Saddle River Boro	33,046	165,790				
49100	Willingboro Township	114,274	573,310				
50000	Brielle Borough	25,250	126,676				
50700	South Brunswick Township	126,206	633,169				
51100	Jefferson Township	58,768	294,836				
51600	Wall Township	127,946	641,899				
52800	Berlin Borough	23,594	118,372				
53500	Winslow Township	109,805	550,885				
53900	Berkeley Township Municipal Bld	122,783	615,997				
54100	Mansfield Township	17,166	86,120				
54300	Lebanon Township	11,597	58,184				
54700	Seaside Heights Borough	32,104	161,067				
54800	Manchester Township	89,364	448,336				
55100	Pine Hill Borough	26,598	133,442				
55300	Lindenwold Borough	56,391	282,909				
55700	Bloomingdale Borough	24,977	125,309				
56000	Howell Township	156,338	784,343				
56200	Plainsboro Township	58,161	291,792				
56300	Marlboro Township	131,227	658,359				

Consistent with established methodology, payment amounts calculated using a payment date 21 months after the valuation date.



APPENDIX F - CHAPTER 19, P. L. 2009

Loc	Table F-1 (cont.) Local Employer Chapter 19, P.L. 2009 Deferral and Payment Schedule							
Location Number	Location Name		Fiscal Year 2020 Payment		ent Value as 7/1/12018			
56500	Franklin Township	\$	34,629	\$	173,731			
58200	Egg Harbor Township		121,664		610,384			
58400	Holmdel Township		71,188		357,150			
58500	Milltown Borough		22,614		113,452			
58900	Buena Borough		7,033		35,282			
59000	Eastampton Township		22,410		112,432			
59800	Chesilhurst Borough		8,354		41,914			
59900	Egg Harbor City		14,765		74,077			
60000	Harrison Township		16,976		85,169			
60100	Woodbury Heights Borough		7,751		38,886			
60600	Waterfront Comm of NY Harbor		1,913		9,598			
61000	Somerdale Borough		14,734		73,922			
61200	Raritan Township		55,029		276,080			
62300	NJ Transit Corporation		265,652		1,332,768			
63100	Allentown Borough		7,071		35,477			
63300	Barnegat Township		39,078		196,051			
67700	Lambertville City		9,918		49,759			
68000	Lawnside Borough		7,799		39,130			
68800	Mount Arlington Borough		13,751		68,986			
69000	National Park Borough		4,447		22,310			
70404	Camden County Regional		540,279		2,710,560			
71600	Passaic County		895,337		4,491,872			
71603	Passaic County		128,030		642,322			
72000	Union County		417,934		2,096,761			
72001	Union County		68,772		345,028			
72003	Union County		321,939		1,615,157			
72700	South Toms River Borough		7,397		37,110			
73500	Union Beach Borough		12,561		63,018			
74000	West Amwell Township		3,370		16,909			
74100	Winfield Township		5,973		29,966			
74400	Hamilton Twp Fire Comm Dist		10,293		51,640			
75000	Lakewood Twp Fire District #1		5,031		25,241			
75900	Gloucester Twp Fire District #2		3,419		17,153			
79000	North Hudson Reg Fire & Rescue	_	518,725		2,602,425			
	Total	\$	25,467,677	\$	127,770,470			

Consistent with established methodology, payment amounts calculated using a payment date 21 months after the valuation date.



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1. Actuarial Assumptions

Assumptions as to the occurrence of future events affecting pension costs, such as: mortality, withdrawal, disability, and retirement; changes in compensation; inflation; rates of investment earnings, and asset appreciation or depreciation; and other relevant items.

2. Actuarial Cost Method

A procedure for determining the Actuarial Present Value of pension plan benefits and expenses and for developing an allocation of such value to each year of service, usually in the form of a Normal Cost and an Actuarial Liability.

3. Actuarial Gain/(Loss)

A measure of the difference between actual experience and that expected based upon a set of Actuarial Assumptions during the period between two Actuarial Valuation dates, as determined in accordance with a particular Actuarial Cost Method.

4. Actuarial Liability

The portion of the Actuarial Present Value of Projected Benefits which will not be paid by future Normal Costs. It represents the value of the past Normal Costs with interest to the valuation date.

5. Actuarial Present Value (Present Value)

The value as of a given date of a future amount or series of payments. The Actuarial Present Value discounts the payments to the given date at the assumed investment return and includes the probability of the payment being made. As a simple example: assume you owe \$100 to a friend one year from now. Also, assume there is a 1% probability of your friend dying over the next year, in which case you won't be obligated to pay him. If the assumed investment return is 10%, the actuarial present value is:

<u>Amount</u>		Probability of		1/(1+Investment Return)		
		Payment				
\$100	X	(101)	X	1/(1+.1)	=	\$90

6. Actuarial Valuation

The determination, as of a specified date, of the Normal Cost, Actuarial Liability, Actuarial Value of Assets, and related Actuarial Present Values for a pension plan.



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7. Actuarial Value of Assets

The value of cash, investments and other property belonging to a pension plan as used by the actuary for the purpose of an Actuarial Valuation. The purpose of an Actuarial Value of Assets is to smooth out fluctuations in market values. This way long-term costs are not distorted by short-term fluctuations in the market.

8. Actuarially Equivalent

Of equal Actuarial Present Value, determined as of a given date with each value based on the same set of Actuarial Assumptions.

9. Amortization Payment

The portion of the pension plan contribution which is designed to pay interest and principal on the Unfunded Actuarial Liability in order to pay for that liability in a given number of years.

10. Funded Ratio

The ratio of the Actuarial Value of Assets to the Actuarial Liabilities.

11. Investment Return Assumption

The assumed interest rate used for projecting dollar related values in the future.

12. Mortality Table

A set of percentages which estimate the probability of death at a particular point in time. Typically, the rates are annual and based on age and sex.

13. Normal Cost

That portion of the Actuarial Present Value of pension plan benefits and expenses, which is allocated to a valuation year by the Actuarial Cost Method.

14. Projected Benefits

Those pension plan benefit amounts which are expected to be paid in the future under a particular set of Actuarial Assumptions, taking into account such items as the effect of advancement in age and increases in future compensation and service credits.



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15. Projected Unit Credit Cost Method

A method under which the Actuarial Liability is calculated as the Actuarial Present Value of the Projected Benefits allocated to periods prior to the valuation year.

16. Unfunded Actuarial Liability

The excess of the Actuarial Liability over the Actuarial Value of Assets.

