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CHAPTER 575.

AN ACT to amend chapter 201, laws of 1937, section 1, (introductory paragraph), as amended by chapter 77, laws of 1945, relating to retirement systems in counties having a population of 500,000 or more, for the payment of benefits to the employes of such counties, and to the widows and children of such employes.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

Chapter 201, laws of 1937, section 1, (introductory paragraph), as amended by chapter 77, laws of 1945, is amended to read:

(Chapter 201, Laws of 1937) Section 1, (Introductory paragraph) In each county having a population of 500,000 or more a retirement system shall be established and maintained for the payment of benefits to the employes of such county and to the widows and children of such employes, * * * provided that an employe of the state who is a member of a state pension system but who receives part of his compensation from the county shall be entitled to membership in the retirement system and to receive benefits thereof but only to the extent of the amount of compensation so paid by the county and the provisions of section 5 of chapter 144 of the laws of 1941 shall not be applicable to such state employes. * * * The funds of the retirement system shall be derived, administered and disbursed in accordance with the provisions of this act. Except where the context plainly requires a different meaning, the following words and phrases shall have the following meanings:

Approved July 29, 1949.