

MINUTES OF THE HOUSE COMMITTEE ON PENSIONS, INVESTMENTS AND BENEFITS

The meeting was called to order by REPRESENTATIVE DAVID F. LOUIS at
Chairperson

9:00 a.m./p.m. on Tuesday, March 5, 1985 in room 527-S of the Capitol.

All members were present except:

Representative R.H. Miller - excused.

Committee staff present:

Richard Ryan
Gordon Self
Rosalie Black

Conferees appearing before the committee:

Marshall Crowther, Executive Secretary, KPERS
Steve Porter, Administrator Employee Health Benefits, Kansas State
Employees Health Care Commission

The meeting was called to order by Representative Louis, Chairman,
for hearings on HB 2362 and HB 2500.

HOUSE BILL 2362 - HEARING

Representative Vernon Williams explained that HB 2362 allows
medicare supplement coverage for retirants of KPERS, KP&F and the judges
retirement system.

Marshall Crowther indicated the fiscal cost of implementing HB 2362
would be \$30 million for approximately 32,500 retirants.

Steve Porter said there is a strong likelihood HB 2362 would work
a disadvantage for the retirants that it is meant to help. He added
that retirants could possibly obtain insurance on their own at a better
cost rather than through the proposed medicare supplement. According to
Mr. Porter, it would require six employees to administer the program.
First year costs would be \$170,000 and \$140,000 after the first year.

HOUSE BILL 2500 - HEARING

Representative Grotewiel explained that HB 2500 would allow teachers
who have taught overseas and who are currently teaching in Kansas to
buy up accrued benefits. If the proposed bill goes into effect, it
would not allow earlier retirement for teachers. Attachment 1.

Also testifying on HB 2500, Marshall Crowther indicated there

CONTINUATION SHEET

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room 527-S, Statehouse, at 9:00 a.m. a.m./p.m. on March 5, 1985

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HOUSE BILL 2500 - HEARING - (con't.)

would be no additional cost to the state and implementation would be consistent with current policy of allowing additional benefits to be purchased with a lump sum payment for any year spent teaching in an out-of-state school.

HOUSE BILL 2423 - ACTION

Representative Williams moved that HB 2423 be reported favorable for passage; seconded by Representative Dyck. The motion carried.

HOUSE BILL 2218 - ACTION

Gordon Self explained a balloon amendment needed for several references throughout the bill that referred to Option D and outdated language on Page 7. Attachment 2.

Representative Williams moved to adopt the technical amendments for HB 2218; seconded by Representative Laird. The motion carried.

Representative Williams moved that HB 2218 be reported favorable for passage as amended; seconded by Representative Laird. The motion carried.

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The meeting adjourned at 9:45 a.m.

The next meeting will be held on March 7, 9:00 a.m., in Room 527-S.



Please PRINT Name, Address, the organization you represent, and the Number of the Bill in which you are interested. Thank you.

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NAME	ADDRESS	ORGANIZATION	BILL NO.
Harold C. Pitts	Topeka	TARTA	
Richard Funk	"	KASB	
Joseph Kun	TOPEKA	BCIBS	
Steve Foster	TOPEKA	HEALTH CARE COMMISSION	2362
Ken Cox	Topeka	KAPE	
John D McNeal	Topeka	—	—
Jack Hawn	"	KPEKS	
Marshall Lawrence	Lawrence	"	

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March 5, 1985

RELEVANT POINTS ON HB 2500

- 1) This bill allows the purchase of additional KPERS benefits, but at an amount equal to the actuarial value of those benefits.
- 2) There is no additional cost to the state.
- 3) Currently, additional benefits can be purchased with a lump sum payment for any year spent teaching in an out-of-state school (KSA 74-4936 a).
- 4) This bill increases the number of situations under which such purchases can be made.
- 5) They include teaching "in a foreign teaching service in an overseas dependents' school, in a recognized teacher exchange program or in any program where a teacher is chosen by the Kansas department of education to teach in a foreign country".
- 6) There are several reasons why someone might choose to purchase additional benefits:
 - a) to become vested in the KPERS system
 - b) to opt for a retirement alternative that requires no financial management
 - c) to take the chance that one's own lifespan will exceed that which is projected by the actuarial tables.

Thank you for considering HB 2500. It will provide options for KPERS members without putting any financial burden on the KPERS fund.

HOUSE BILL No. 2218

By Committee on Pensions, Investments and Benefits

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0017 AN ACT concerning the Kansas public employees retirement
0018 system and certain retirement systems thereunder; relating to
0019 retirement benefit options; amending K.S.A. 1984 Supp. 20-
0020 2610a, 74-4918 and 74-4964 and repealing the existing sec-
0021 tions.

0022 *Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Kansas:*

0023 Section 1. K.S.A. 1984 Supp. 20-2610a is hereby amended to
0024 read as follows: 20-2610a. (a) A judge may elect to have such
0025 judge's retirement annuity paid under one of the options pro-
0026 vided in this section in lieu of having it paid in the form stated in
0027 K.S.A. 20-2610 and amendments thereto. Such election shall be
0028 made at least ~~three years~~ *one year* before date of actual retire-
0029 ment, unless the judge submits evidence, satisfactory to the
0030 board, of the judge's good health. If option A is elected, and the
0031 spouse or a dependent of the judge is named joint annuitant,
0032 such good health requirement shall be waived. A specific person
0033 shall be designated as joint annuitant at the time of election of
0034 option A ~~or B~~. The same requirements and limitations shall apply
0035 in the event a judge wishes to change the named joint annuitant
0036 or cancel or change the option selected.

0037 (b) The amount of retirement annuity payable under an op-
0038 tion shall be based on the age of the judge and, if applicable, the
0039 age of the joint annuitant, and shall be such amount as to be the
0040 actuarial equivalent of the retirement annuity otherwise payable
0041 under K.S.A. 20-2610 and amendments thereto as prescribed in
0042 subsection (c). In no case shall the total amount of retirement
0043 annuity payable under any option provided in this section be
0044 more than 100% of the retirement annuity which would have
0045 been otherwise payable if no option had been elected under this

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0046 section.

0047 (c) The retirement options are:

0048 (1) Option A. *Joint and 1/2 to joint annuitant survivor.* A
0049 reduced retirement annuity payable to the judge during the
0050 judge's lifetime in a monthly amount equal to the product of (A)
0051 the monthly payment of the retirement annuity otherwise pay-
0052 able under K.S.A. 20-2610 and amendments thereto and (B) the
0053 percentage equal to ~~87%~~ 88% minus ~~.6%~~ .4% for each year by
0054 which the age of the judge's joint annuitant is less than the
0055 judge's age, computed to the nearest whole year, or plus ~~.6%~~ .4%
0056 for each year by which the age of the judge's joint annuitant is
0057 more than the judge's age, computed to the nearest whole year,
0058 with 1/2 of that monthly amount continued to the judge's joint
0059 annuitant during such joint annuitant's remaining lifetime, if
0060 any, after the death of the judge. In the event that the designated
0061 joint annuitant under option A predeceases the retired judge, the
0062 amount of the retirement annuity otherwise payable to the judge
0063 under option A shall be adjusted automatically to the retirement
0064 annuity which the judge would have received if no option had
0065 been elected under this section.

0066 (2) Option B. *Joint and survivor.* A reduced retirement an-
0067 nuity payable to the judge during the judge's lifetime in a
0068 monthly amount equal to the product of (A) the monthly payment
0069 of the retirement annuity otherwise payable under K.S.A. 20-
0070 2610 and amendments thereto and (B) the percentage equal to
0071 ~~75%~~ 79% minus ~~.9%~~ .6% for each year by which the age of the
0072 judge's joint annuitant is less than the judge's age, computed to
0073 the nearest whole year, or plus ~~.9%~~ .6% for each year by which
0074 the age of the judge's joint annuitant is more than the judge's age,
0075 computed to the nearest whole year, with that monthly amount
0076 continued to the joint annuitant during the joint annuitant's
0077 remaining lifetime, if any, after the death of judge. In the event
0078 that the designated joint annuitant under option B predeceases
0079 the retired judge, the amount of the retirement annuity other-
0080 wise payable to the judge under option B shall be adjusted
0081 automatically to the retirement annuity which the judge would
0082 have received if no option had been elected under this section.

0083 (3) Option C. *Life with 10 years certain.* A reduced retire-
0084 ment annuity payable to the judge during the judge's lifetime in
0085 a monthly amount equal to 94% of the monthly payment of the
0086 retirement annuity otherwise payable under K.S.A. 20-2610 and
0087 amendments thereto and if the judge dies within the ten-year
0088 certain period, measured from the commencement of retirement
0089 annuity payments, such monthly payments shall be continued to
0090 such judge's beneficiary during the balance of the ten-year
0091 certain period.

0092 (4) Option D. *Joint and $\frac{3}{4}$ to joint annuitant survivor.* A
0093 reduced retirement annuity payable to the judge during the
0094 judge's lifetime in a monthly amount equal to the product of (A)
0095 the monthly payment of the retirement annuity otherwise pay-
0096 able under K.S.A. 20-2610 and amendments thereto and (B) the
0097 percentage equal to 83% minus .5% for each year by which the
0098 age of the judge's joint annuitant is less than the judge's age,
0099 computed to the nearest whole year, or plus .5% for each year by
0100 which the age of the judge's joint annuitant is more than the
0101 judge's age, computed to the nearest whole year, with $\frac{3}{4}$ of that
0102 monthly amount continued to the judge's joint annuitant during
0103 such joint annuitant's remaining lifetime, if any, after the death
0104 of the judge. In the event that the designated joint annuitant
0105 under option D predeceases the retired judge, the amount of the
0106 retirement annuity otherwise payable to the judge under option
0107 D shall be adjusted automatically to the retirement annuity
0108 which the judge would have received if no option had been
0109 elected under this section.

0110 (d) If a member attains age 60 and dies without having
0111 actually retired, the member's spouse, if the spouse is benefi-
0112 ciary for the member's accumulated contributions, may elect to
0113 receive benefits as a joint annuitant under option A, calculated as
0114 if the member retired on date of death, in lieu of receiving the
0115 member's accumulated contributions.

0116 (e) Benefits payable to a joint annuitant shall accrue from the
0117 first day of the month following the death of a member or retirant
0118 and, in the case of option A ~~and~~ option B, shall end on the first
0119 day of the month in which the joint annuitant dies.

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0120 (f) The provisions of the law in effect on the retirement date
0121 of a judge under the retirement system for judges shall govern
0122 the retirement annuity payable to the retired judge and any joint
0123 annuitant.

0124 Sec. 2. K.S.A. 1984 Supp. 74-4918 is hereby amended to read
0125 as follows: 74-4918. (1) A member may elect to have such
0126 member's retirement benefit paid under one of the options
0127 provided in this section in lieu of having it paid in the form
0128 stated in K.S.A. ~~1982 Supp.~~ 74-4915 and amendments thereto.
0129 Such election must be made at least one year before date of
0130 actual retirement or on the entry date whichever is latest, unless
0131 the member submits evidence, satisfactory to the board, of such
0132 member's good health, except that if option A is elected and the
0133 spouse or a dependent of the member is named joint annuitant,
0134 such good health requirement will be waived. A specific person
0135 must be designated as joint annuitant at the time of election of
0136 option A ~~or B~~, except that if a member who has elected to have
0137 such member's retirement benefit paid under option A ~~or B~~
0138 wishes to change or cancel the option elected or change the
0139 named joint annuitant, such member must do so at least one year
0140 before date of actual retirement, unless the member before
0141 actual retirement submits evidence, satisfactory to the board, of
0142 the good health of the joint annuitant under the option being
0143 canceled or changed, or the joint annuitant previously named
0144 when electing to change the named joint annuitant. Under no
0145 circumstances may an option be changed or canceled nor the
0146 named joint annuitant changed after the date of actual retirement
0147 of the member.

0148 (2) The amount of retirement benefit payable under an op-
0149 tion shall be based on the age of the member and, if applicable,
0150 the age of the joint annuitant, and shall be such amount as to be
0151 the actuarial equivalent of the retirement benefit otherwise
0152 payable under K.S.A. ~~1982 Supp.~~ 74-4915 and amendments
0153 thereto, as prescribed in subsection (3). In no case shall the total
0154 amount of retirement benefit paid under any option provided in
0155 this section be more than 100% of the retirement benefit which
0156 would have been otherwise payable if no option had been

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0157 elected under this section.

158 (3) The retirement options are:

0159 (A) Option A. *Joint and 1/2 to joint annuitant survivor*. A
0160 reduced retirement benefit is payable to the retirant during the
0161 retirant's lifetime in a monthly amount equal to the product of (A)
0162 the monthly payment of the retirement benefit otherwise pay-
0163 able under K.S.A. ~~1982~~ *Supp.* 74-4915 and amendments thereto
0164 and (B) the percentage equal to ~~87%~~ 88% minus ~~.6%~~ .4% for each
0165 year by which the age of the retirant's joint annuitant is less than
0166 the retirant's age, computed to the nearest whole year, or plus
0167 ~~.6%~~ .4% for each year by which the age of the retirant's joint
0168 annuitant is more than the retirant's age, computed to the nearest
0169 whole year, with 1/2 of that monthly amount continued to the
0170 retirant's joint annuitant during such joint annuitant's remaining
0171 lifetime, if any, after the death of the retirant. In the event that
0172 the designated joint annuitant under option A predeceases the
0173 retirant, the amount of the retirement benefit otherwise payable
0174 to the retirant under option A shall be adjusted automatically to
0175 the retirement benefit which the retirant would have received if
0176 no option had been elected under this section.

0177 (B) Option B. *Joint and survivor*. A reduced retirement ben-
0178 efit is payable to the retirant during the retirant's lifetime in a
0179 monthly amount equal to the product of (A) the monthly payment
0180 of the retirement benefit otherwise payable under K.S.A. ~~1982~~
0181 *Supp.* 74-4915 and amendments thereto and (B) the percentage
0182 equal to ~~75%~~ 79% minus ~~.9%~~ .6% for each year by which the age
0183 of the retirant's joint annuitant is less than the retirant's age,
0184 computed to the nearest whole year, or plus ~~.9%~~ .6% for each
0185 year by which the age of the retirant's joint annuitant is more
0186 than the retirant's age, computed to the nearest whole year, with
0187 that amount continued to the joint annuitant during the joint
0188 annuitant's remaining lifetime, if any, after the death of the
0189 retirant. In the event that the designated joint annuitant under
0190 option B predeceases the retirant, the amount of the retirement
0191 benefit otherwise payable to the retirant under option B shall be
0192 adjusted automatically to the retirement benefit which the re-
0193 tirant would have received if no option had been elected under

0194 this section.

0195 (C) Option C. *Life with 10 years certain.* A reduced retire-
0196 ment benefit is payable to the retirant during the retirant's
0197 lifetime in a monthly amount equal to 94% of the monthly
0198 payment of the retirement benefit otherwise payable under
0199 K.S.A. ~~1982 Supp.~~ 74-4915 and amendments thereto and if the
0200 retirant dies within the ten-year certain period, measured from
0201 the commencement of retirement benefit payments, such pay-
0202 ments shall be continued to the retirant's beneficiary during the
0203 balance of the ten-year certain period.

0204 (D) Option D. *Joint and $\frac{3}{4}$ to joint annuitant survivor.* A
0205 reduced retirement benefit is payable to the retirant during the
0206 retirant's lifetime in a monthly amount equal to the product of
0207 (A) the monthly payment of the retirement benefit otherwise
0208 payable under K.S.A. 74-4915 and amendments thereto and (B)
0209 the percentage equal to 83% minus .5% for each year by which
0210 the age of the retirant's joint annuitant is less than the retirant's
0211 age, computed to the nearest whole year, or plus .5% for each
0212 year by which the age of the retirant's joint annuitant is more
0213 than the retirant's age, computed to the nearest whole year,
0214 with $\frac{3}{4}$ of that monthly amount continued to the retirant's joint
0215 annuitant during such joint annuitant's remaining lifetime, if
0216 any, after the death of the retirant. In the event that the
0217 designated joint annuitant under option D predeceases the
0218 retirant, the amount of the retirement benefit otherwise payable
0219 to the retirant under option D shall be adjusted automatically to
0220 the retirement benefit which the retirant would have received if
0221 no option had been elected under this section.

0222 (4) If a member, who is eligible to retire in accordance with
0223 the provisions of K.S.A. ~~1982 Supp.~~ 74-4914 and amendments
0224 thereto, dies without having actually retired, the member's
0225 spouse, if the spouse is beneficiary for the member's accumu-
0226 lated contributions, may elect to receive benefits as a joint
0227 annuitant under option A, calculated as if the member retired on
0228 date of death, in lieu of receiving the member's accumulated
0229 contributions.

0230 (5) The benefits of subsection (4) shall be available in the

0231 case of death within the first six months after the entry date of the
 0232 member's participating employer ~~[and this provision shall be~~
 0233 ~~retroactive and apply to all such deaths occurring on and after~~
 0234 ~~January 1, 1962. In the event that a member died prior to July 1,~~
 0235 ~~1965, leaving a surviving spouse but without designating a~~
 0236 ~~beneficiary for the member's accumulated contributions, such~~
 0237 ~~surviving spouse shall be considered as having been designated~~
 0238 ~~such beneficiary for the purpose of paying benefits under this~~
 0239 ~~subsection and may make application for same after the effective~~
 0240 ~~date of this subsection].~~

0241 (6) Benefits payable to a joint annuitant shall accrue from the
 0242 first day of the month following the death of a member or retirant
 0243 and, in the case of option A ~~and~~ option B, shall end on the first
 0244 day of the month in which the joint annuitant dies.

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0245 (7) The provisions of the law in effect on the retirement date
 0246 of a member under the system shall govern the retirement
 0247 benefit payable to the retirant and any joint annuitant.

0248 Sec. 3. K.S.A. 1984 Supp. 74-4964 is hereby amended to read
 0249 as follows: 74-4964. (1) A member may elect to have such
 0250 member's retirement benefit paid under one of the options
 0251 provided in this section in lieu of having it paid in the form
 0252 stated in subsections (1) and (2) of K.S.A. 74-4958 and amend-
 0253 ments thereto. Such election must be made at least ~~three years~~
 0254 *one year* before date of actual retirement, on the entry date or on
 0255 the effective date of this amendment whichever is latest, unless
 0256 the member submits evidence, satisfactory to the board, of such
 0257 member's good health, except that if option A is elected, and the
 0258 spouse or, a dependent child of the member is named joint
 0259 annuitant, such good health requirement will be waived. Only a
 0260 specific individual person may be designated as a joint annuitant
 0261 at the time of election of option A ~~or~~ B. The same requirements
 0262 and limitations shall apply in the event a member wishes to
 0263 change the named joint annuitant or cancel or change the option
 0264 selected.

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0265 (2) The amount of a retirement benefit payable under an
 0266 option shall be based on the age of the member and, if applica-
 0267 ble, the age of the joint annuitant, and shall be such amount as to

0268 be the actuarial equivalent of the retirement benefit otherwise
0269 payable under subsections (1) or (2) of K.S.A. 74-4958 and
0270 amendments thereto as prescribed under subsection (5). In no
0271 case shall the total amount of retirement benefit paid under any
0272 option provided in this section be more than 100% of the re-
0273 tirement benefit which would have been otherwise payable if no
0274 option had been elected under this section.

0275 (3) If a member who was, up to the entry date of such
0276 member's employer, covered by a pension system under the
0277 provisions of K.S.A. 13-14a01 to 13-14a14, *inclusive* or K.S.A.
0278 14-10a01 to 14-10a15, *inclusive, and amendments thereto* so
0279 elects one of the options under this section, payment of such
0280 option shall be in lieu of any payments provided in subsection
0281 (3) of K.S.A. 74-4958 and amendments thereto.

0282 (4) Such election of an option shall become null and void
0283 upon the death of a member prior to such member's retirement,
0284 except that if a member, who is eligible to retire in accordance
0285 with the provisions of subsections (1) and (2) of K.S.A. 74-4958
0286 and amendments thereto, dies without having actually retired
0287 the member's spouse, if the spouse is beneficiary for the
0288 member's accumulated contributions, and no benefits are pay-
0289 able under subsections (1) and (2) of K.S.A. 74-4959 and amend-
0290 ments thereto, may elect to receive benefits as a joint annuitant
0291 under option A, calculated as if the member retired on date of
0292 death, in lieu of receiving the member's accumulated contribu-
0293 tions.

0294 (5) The retirement options are:

0295 (A) Option A. *Joint and 1/2 to joint annuitant survivor*. A
0296 reduced retirement benefit is payable to the retirant during the
0297 retirant's lifetime in a monthly amount equal to the product of (A)
0298 the monthly payment of the retirement annuity otherwise pay-
0299 able under K.S.A. 74-4958 and amendments thereto and (B) the
0300 percentage equal to ~~80%~~ 92% minus ~~4%~~ .2% for each year by
0301 which the age of the retirant's joint annuitant is less than the
0302 retirant's age, computed to the nearest whole year, or plus ~~4%~~
0303 .2% for each year by which the age of the retirant's joint annui-
0304 tant is more than the retirant's age, computed to the nearest

0305 whole year, with $\frac{1}{2}$ of that monthly amount continued to the
0306 retiree's joint annuitant during such joint annuitant's remaining
0307 lifetime, if any, after the death of the retiree. In the event that
0308 the designated joint annuitant under option A predeceases the
0309 retiree, the amount of the retirement benefit otherwise payable
0310 to the retiree under option A shall be adjusted automatically to
0311 the retirement benefit which the retiree would have received if
0312 no option had been elected under this section.

0313 (B) Option B. *Joint and survivor.* A reduced retirement ben-
0314 efit is payable to the retiree during the retiree's lifetime in a
0315 monthly amount equal to the product of (A) the monthly payment
0316 of the retirement annuity otherwise payable under K.S.A. 74-
0317 4958 and amendments thereto and (B) the percentage equal to
0318 80% 85% minus .7% .4% for each year by which the age of the
0319 retiree's joint annuitant is less than the retiree's age, computed
0320 to the nearest whole year, or plus .7% .4% for each year by which
0321 the age of the retiree's joint annuitant is more than the retiree's
0322 age, computed to the nearest whole year, with that monthly
0323 amount continued to the joint annuitant during the joint annui-
0324 tant's remaining lifetime, if any, after the death of retiree. In the
0325 event that the designated joint annuitant under option B prede-
0326 ceases the retiree, the amount of the retirement benefit other-
0327 wise payable to the retiree under option B shall be adjusted
0328 automatically to the retirement benefit which the retiree would
0329 have received if no option had been elected under this section.

0330 (C) Option C. *Life with 10 years certain.* A reduced retire-
0331 ment benefit is payable to the retiree during the retiree's
0332 lifetime in a monthly amount equal to 97% of the monthly
0333 payment of the retirement benefit otherwise payable under
0334 K.S.A. 74-4958 and amendments thereto, and if the retiree dies
0335 within the ten-year certain period, measured from the com-
0336 mencement of retirement benefit payments, such payments will
0337 be continued to the retiree's beneficiary during the balance of
0338 the ten-year certain period.

0339 (D) Option D. *Joint and $\frac{3}{4}$ to joint annuitant survivor.* A
0340 reduced retirement benefit is payable to the retiree during the
0341 retiree's lifetime in a monthly amount equal to the product of

0342 (A) the monthly payment of the retirement annuity otherwise
 0343 payable under K.S.A. 74-4958 and amendments thereto and (B)
 0344 the percentage equal to 88% minus .3% for each year by which
 0345 the age of the retirant's joint annuitant is less than the retirant's
 0346 age, computed to the nearest whole year, or plus .3% for each
 0347 year by which the age of the retirant's joint annuitant is more
 0348 than the retirant's age, computed to the nearest whole year,
 0349 with $\frac{3}{4}$ of that monthly amount continued to the retirant's joint
 0350 annuitant during such joint annuitant's remaining lifetime, if
 0351 any, after the death of the retirant. In the event that the
 0352 designated joint annuitant under option D predeceases the
 0353 retirant, the amount of the retirement benefit otherwise payable
 0354 to the retirant under option D shall be adjusted automatically to
 0355 the retirement benefit which the retirant would have received if
 0356 no option had been elected under this section.

0357 (6) Benefits payable to a joint annuitant shall accrue from the
 0358 first day of the month following the death of a member or retirant
 0359 and, in the case of option A ~~and~~ option B, shall end on the first
 0360 day of the month in which the joint annuitant dies.

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0361 (7) The provisions of the law in effect on the retirement date
 0362 of a member under the system shall govern the retirement
 0363 benefit payable to the retirant and any joint annuitant.

0364 Sec. 4. K.S.A. 1984 Supp. 20-2610a, 74-4918 and 74-4964 are
 0365 hereby repealed.

0366 Sec. 5. This act shall take effect and be in force from and
 0367 after its publication in the statute book.