

NOTICE OF PROPOSED CHANGES IN THE REGULATIONS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF
ADMINISTRATION, DIVISION OF RETIREMENT AND BENEFITS

The Division of Retirement and Benefits proposes to adopt regulation changes in [Title 2, Chapter 39 of the Alaska Administrative Code](#), dealing with the operations of the Public Employees' Retirement System (PERS), including the following. (Click on the blue underlined wording above, or [click here for a copy of the proposed regulations](#)):

2 AAC 39.330 is amended by adding new subsections to allow an occupationally disabled peace officer or fire fighter who is eligible for normal retirement with 20 years of service, but who has less than 25 years of service, to elect medical benefits under AS 39.35.535(c)(2)(B) with no premium requirement. The regulations provide for the application, determination of eligibility and continuing eligibility process.

You may comment on the proposed regulation changes, including the potential costs to private persons of complying with the proposed changes, by submitting written comments to Kathy Lea, Division of Retirement of Benefits at P.O. Box 110203, Juneau, Alaska 99811-0203 or kathy.lea@alaska.gov. The comments must be received no later than 5:00 p.m. on May 3, 2010.

For a copy of the proposed regulation changes, contact Kathy Lea, Division of Retirement of Benefits at P.O. Box 110203 Juneau, Alaska 99811-0203 or go to doa.alaska.gov/dr/b.

After the public comment period ends, the Division of Retirement and Benefits will either adopt these or other provisions dealing with the same subject, without further notice, or decide to take no action on them. The language of the final regulations may be different from that of the proposed regulations. **YOU SHOULD COMMENT DURING THE TIME ALLOWED IF YOUR INTERESTS COULD BE AFFECTED.**

Statutory Authority: AS 14.25.168, AS 22.25.090, AS 39.35.410, AS 14.25.170, AS 39.30.090, AS 39.35.535, AS 22.25.027.

Statutes being Implemented, Interpreted, or Made Specific: AS 39.35.535

Fiscal Information: No increased appropriations are anticipated.

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Kathy Lea, Retirement Manager