PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY COUNCIL AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY

Meeting Date: 11/23/99	Reference No.: CR-67-1999
Proposer: Hendershot	Draft No.: 1
Sponsors: Hendershot	
Item Title: A Resolution to elect to provide employees with the contributory pension benefit of the State Pension System under Title 23, State Personnel and Pensions Article	
Drafter: Ralph E. Grutzmacher Legislative Officer	ResourceCarol B. WhitePersonnel:Legislative Aide
LEGISLATIVE HISTORY:	
Date Presented: _/_/_ Executive Action: _/_/_ Committee Referral: 11/16/99 C.O.W. Effective Date: Committee Action: 11/16/99 FAV Date Introduced: 11/16/99 FAV Public Hearing: _/	
Council Action: (2) 11/23/99 MOTION TO RECONSIDER Council Votes: JE:N, DB:A, IG:A, TH:N, WM:N, RVR:N, AS:A, PS:A, MW:A Pass/Fail: P Council Action: (3) 11/23/99 MOTION TO ADOPT Council Votes: JE:A, DB:N, IG:N, TH:A, WM:A, RVR:A, AS:N, PS:N, MW:N Pass/Fail: F	
Remarks:	

BACKGROUND INFORMATION/FISCAL IMPACT (Includes reason for proposal, as well as any unique statutory requirements)

Prince George's County provides participation in the State Retirement and Pension Systems as the basic retirement benefit to employees which do not have a unitary County-administered pension plan. The County is the largest local government "participating employer" in the State System. Chapter 176 of the Laws of Maryland 1999 granted each participating governmental unit the option to participate in an enhanced benefit that was provided to State employees and members of the Teacher's Pension System in 1998. The election must be made by December 30, 1999, and once made, is irrevocable. The County retains the right to withdraw from the State Systems each fiscal year. If the County elects to participate, the election covers all employees who are required to participate in the State Pension System.

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