

March 16, 2010

The Honorable Dwight Evans
Majority Chairman
House Appropriations Committee
House of Representatives
545 Main Capitol
Harrisburg, PA 17120

Re: House Bill Number 9, Printer's Number 3360

Dear Representative Evans:

I am writing in response to your request concerning an actuarial note for the above referenced bill. House Bill Number 9, Printer's Number 3360, would amend the Pennsylvania Conservation Corps Act (Act of 1984, P. L. 561, No. 112) to, beginning July 1, 2010, entitle "crewleaders" of the Pennsylvania Conservation Corps to membership in the State Employees' Retirement System, if so provided under Section 5301 of the State Employees' Retirement Code. The bill also mandates expiration of the Pennsylvania Conservation Corps Act and the Pennsylvania Conservation Corps on June 30, 2020.

Under the Public Employee Retirement Commission Act (Act 66 of 1981), the Commission has a mandated responsibility to review any legislative changes that affect public employee retirement systems. At my direction, the Commission staff has reviewed the provisions of House Bill Number 9, Printer's Number 3360, and determined that: 1) on March 3, 2010, the Commission voted to attach an actuarial note to House Bill Number 9, Printer's Number 2205 (copy enclosed); 2) the Commission's actuarial note on House Bill Number 9, Printer's Number 2205, continues to apply to House Bill Number 9, Printer's Number 3360; and 3) House Bill Number 9, Printer's Number 3360, will have no actuarial cost impact beyond that described in the Commission's previous actuarial note on House Bill Number 9, Printer's Number 2205.

Based upon the determination that House Bill Number 9, Printer's Number 3360, will have no actuarial cost impact beyond that described in the Commission's previous actuarial note on House Bill Number 9, Printer's Number 2205, I am informing you, on behalf of the Commission, that the bill will not require an actuarial note prior to further consideration by the General Assembly.

I trust this letter adequately responds to your request. If I may be of any further assistance, please feel free to contact me by telephoning (717) 783-6100.

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Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Anthony W. Salomone". The signature is written in a cursive style with a prominent loop at the end.

Anthony W. Salomone
Chairman