

Adopting And Implementing The Special Retirement Plan For Sheriffs, Undersheriffs And Deputy Sheriffs (Article 14-B, Section 552, 20 Year Service Retirement) Of The New York State And Local Employees Retirement System

The Ways and Means Committee (Chairman Lomita and Legislators Bartels, Berardi, Gregorius, Provenzano, Zimet, Cummings, Gerentine and Noonan) offers the following:

WHEREAS, in the matter of Interest Arbitration (PERB Case No. IA2005-002; M2004-138) between the County of Ulster and the Ulster County Sheriff (Public Employer) and the Ulster County Deputy Sheriff's Police Benevolent Association Inc. (Employee Organization) an opinion and award has been reached by the designated PERB panel, and

WHEREAS, as part, Section 3. Article V – Employee Benefits – Section 17-Retirement states that “the Employer shall adopt and implement the Special Retirement Plan for Sheriffs, Undersheriffs and Deputy Sheriffs (Article 14-B, Section 552, 20 year service retirement) of the New York State and Local Employees Retirement System, no later than November 1, 2006”, and

WHEREAS, the Ways and Means Committee has met and reviewed said request with a majority of the members voting approval.

RESOLVED, that Article 14-B, Section 552, 20 year service retirement of the New York State and Local Employees Retirement System will be offered to eligible Ulster County Sheriffs, Undersheriffs and Deputy Sheriffs,

and moves its adoption.

ADOPTED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES: 30 NOES: 0
(Absent: Legislators Felicello, Shapiro and Sheeley)

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

\$965,075.00 – FINANCED THROUGH NYS RETIREMENT SYSTEM

\$193,000.00 – APPROXIMATE ANNUAL FOR 5 YEARS