Select Committee on Pension Policy

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Representative Ross Hunter Chair House Appropriations 315 A John L. O'Brien PO Box 40600 Olympia, WA 98504-0600

Dear Chair Hunter:

On behalf of the Select Committee on Pension Policy, we, the chair and vice chair, wish to inform you that on September 17, 2013, the committee voted to re-endorse House Bill 1226/Senate Bill 5633 for the 2014 Legislative Session.

House Bill 1226 and Senate Bill 5633 remove certain inconsistencies between the PERS return-to-work (or "retire-rehire") rules and the rules for other Washington retirement plans that resulted from prior legislation.

We urge the passing of this legislation, and we appreciate your consideration in this matter.

Sincerely,

Representative Timm Ormsby, Chair

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