

disbursing officer of such joint operation from making disbursements in accordance with the provisions of any contract or agreement entered into between the parties to the joint operation.

Passed the Senate February 22, 1967.

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Approved by the Governor March 16, 1967.

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CHAPTER 42.

[House Bill No. 26.]

FIREMEN'S PENSION FUND.

AN ACT relating to firemen of cities, towns, and fire protection districts; and amending section 5, chapter 91, Laws of 1947 as last amended by section 8, chapter 255, Laws of 1961, and RCW 41.16.050.

*Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Washington:*

RCW 41.16.050 amended.

Section 1. Section 5, chapter 91, Laws of 1947 as last amended by section 8, chapter 255, Laws of 1961, and RCW 41.16.050 are each amended to read as follows:

Public pensions. Firemen's pension fund—How constituted.

There is hereby created and established in the treasury of each municipality a fund which shall be known and designated as the firemen's pension fund, which shall consist of (1) all bequests, fees, gifts, emoluments or donations given or paid thereto, (2) forty-five percent of all moneys received by the state from taxes on fire insurance premiums, (3) taxes paid pursuant to the provisions of RCW 41.16.060, (4) interest on the investments of the fund, (5) contributions by firemen as provided for herein. The forty-five percent of moneys received from the tax on fire insurance premiums under the provisions of this chapter shall be distributed in the proportion that the number of paid firemen in the

city, town or fire protection district bears to the total number of paid firemen throughout the state to be ascertained in the following manner: The secretary of the firemen's pension board of each city, town and fire protection district now or hereafter coming under the provisions of this chapter shall within thirty days after the taking effect of this 1961 amendatory act and on or before the fifteenth day of January thereafter, certify to the state treasurer the number of paid firemen in the fire department in such city, town or fire protection district. The state treasurer shall on or before the first day of June of each year deliver to the treasurer of each city, town and fire protection district coming under the provisions of this chapter his warrant, payable to each city, town or fire protection district for the amount due such city, town or fire protection district ascertained as herein provided and the treasurer of each such city, town or fire protection district shall place the amount thereof to the credit of the firemen's pension fund of such city, town or fire protection district.

Passed the House January 26, 1967.

Passed the Senate March 5, 1967.

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