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AN ACT CONCERNING THE BENEFITS PAID TO THE SPOUSE OF A TEACHER WHO DIES BEFORE RETIREMENT

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

Section 1. In the event that a member of the teachers' retirement system, having qualified for retirement, has not designated a co-participant according to section 10-167, dies prior to retirement, the spouse of such a member may elect to receive fifty per cent of the benefits entitled to under section 10-167, or may elect to receive benefits entitled to under section 10-168, provided that any children of the deceased member shall receive the benefits entitled to under section 10-168(f) for such period of eligibility and the benefits paid to such spouse electing to receive fifty per cent of the benefits entitled to under section 10-167 shall be reduced by the amount of child insurance benefits during the period of payment of such benefits.

Section 2. This act shall take effect from its passage.

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE: To provide a retirement allowance to the spouse of a teacher eligible to retire who dies without designating a co-participant.

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