## Virginia Retirement System 2007 Fiscal Impact Statement

1. Bill Number SB 831	
House of Origin 🖂 Introduced 🛛 Substitute	Engrossed
Second House In Committee Substitute	Enrolled
2. Patron Davis	
<b>3. Committee</b> Finance	

**4. Title** Health insurance; increases credit for retired teachers.

**5. Summary/Purpose:** Health insurance credits for retired teachers. Increases the monthly health insurance credit for retired teachers from \$2.50 for each year of creditable service to \$4 for each year of creditable service. The bill also removes a monthly cap for such credit and reduces the eligibility requirement from 15 years of creditable service to five years of creditable service. This legislation also removes the cap for the \$1.00 enhanced teacher credit, the cost of which is borne by the locality.

## 6. Fiscal Impact Estimates are:

## 6a. Expenditure Impact:

State-GF SPORS-GF VaLORS-GF JRS-GF	<u>2007-08</u>	<u>2008-09</u>	<u>2009-10</u>	<u>2010-11</u>	<u>2011-12</u>	<u>2012-13</u>
Teacher-GF	14,956,000	15,554,000	16,176,000	16,823,000	17,496,000	18,196,000
Total GF	14,956,000	15,554,000	16,176,000	16,823,000	17,496,000	18,196,000
State-NGF SPORS-NGF VaLORS-NGF Total NGF						
Teacher-Local Local Agregate	23,090,000	24,014,000	24,975,000	25,974,000	27,013,000	28,094,000
Total Local	23,090,000	24,014,000	24,975,000	25,974,000	27,013,000	28,094,000
Grand Total	38,046,000	39,568,000	41,151,000	42,797,000	44,509,000	46,290,000

7. Budget amendment necessary: Yes. The cost of this legislation will be reflected in increased employer contribution rates for FY08.

- 8. Fiscal implications: See Expense Impact above
- 9. Specific agency or political subdivisions affected: VRS and local school divisions
- 10. Technical amendment necessary: No
- 11. Other comments: None

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