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MINNESOTA STATE PATROL RETIREMENT FUND
ACTUARIAL VALUATION REPORT AS OF JULY 1, 2012



November 2012

Minnesota State Retirement System State Patrol Retirement Fund St. Paul, Minnesota

#### Dear Board of Directors:

The results of the July 1, 2012 annual actuarial valuation of the State Patrol Retirement Fund are presented in this report. This report was prepared at the request of the Board and is intended for use by the Retirement Fund and those designated or approved by the Board. This report may be provided to parties other than the Fund only in its entirety. GRS is not responsible for the consequences of any unauthorized use of this report.

The purpose of the valuation is to measure the Fund's funding progress, to determine the required contribution rate for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2012, and to determine the actuarial information required by Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement No. 25. Note that we have not attempted to quantify the impact of GASB Statements No. 67 and No. 68 in this report.

The valuation was based upon information furnished by the Minnesota State Retirement System (MSRS), concerning benefits, financial transactions, plan provisions and active members, terminated members, retirees and beneficiaries. We checked for internal and year-to-year consistency, but did not otherwise audit the data. We are not responsible for the accuracy or completeness of the information provided by MSRS.

Actuarial assumptions, including discount rates, mortality tables and others identified in this report, are prescribed by Minnesota Statutes Section 356.215 the Legislative Commission on Pensions and Retirement (LCPR), and the Board of Directors. These parties are responsible for selecting the plan's funding policy, actuarial valuation methods, asset valuation methods, and assumptions. The policies, methods and assumptions used in this valuation are those that have been so prescribed and are described in the Actuarial Basis of this report. MSRS is solely responsible for communicating to GRS any changes required thereto.

Future actuarial measurements may differ significantly from the current measurements presented in this report due to such factors as the following: plan experience differing from that anticipated by the economic or demographic assumptions; changes in economic or demographic assumptions; increases or decreases expected as part of the natural operation of the methodology used for these measurements (such as the end of an amortization period or additional cost or contribution requirements based on the plan's funded status); and changes in plan provisions or applicable law.

This report should not be relied on for any purpose other than the purpose described in the primary communication. Determinations of the financial results associated with the benefits described in this report in a manner other than the intended purpose may produce significantly different results.

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The signing actuaries are independent of the plan sponsor. We are not aware of any relationship that would impair the objectivity of our work.

The undersigned actuaries are members of the American Academy of Actuaries and meet the Qualification Standards of the American Academy of Actuaries to render the actuarial opinions contained herein. In addition, Mr. Murphy meets the requirements of "approved actuary" under Minnesota Statutes Section 356.215, Subdivision 1, Paragraph (c).

This report has been prepared by actuaries who have substantial experience valuing public employee retirement systems. To the best of our knowledge and belief the information contained in this report is accurate and fairly presents the actuarial position of the State Patrol Retirement Fund as of the valuation date and was performed in accordance with the requirements of Minnesota Statutes Section 356.215, and the requirements of the Standards for Actuarial Work established by the LCPR. All calculations have been made in conformity with generally accepted actuarial principles and practices, and with the Actuarial Standards of Practice issued by the Actuarial Standards Board and with applicable statutes.

We are available to answer any questions or provide further details.

Respectfully submitted,

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#### **Contributions**

The following table summarizes important contribution information as described in the Development of Costs section.

	Actuarial Valuation as of			
Contributions	<b>July 1, 2012</b>	<b>July 1, 2011</b>		
Statutory Contributions - Chapter 352B (% of Payroll)	31.00%	31.00%		
Required Contributions - Chapter 356 (% of Payroll)	42.52%	36.25%		
Sufficiency / (Deficiency)	(11.52%)	(5.25%)		

The contribution deficiency increased from (5.25%) of payroll to (11.52%) of payroll. The primary reasons for the increased contribution deficiency are the recognition of investment losses from this year and prior years in the actuarial value of assets and the impact of the assumption changes. See page 3 for additional detail about these changes. A significant contribution deficiency remains. Without further changes or favorable actuarial experience, the funded status will deteriorate in the future and assets will be depleted.

Statutory contributions are not sufficient to fully amortize the unfunded actuarial accrued liability over the statutory amortization period of 25 years. Based on the current member and employer contribution rates and other methods and assumptions described in this report, an infinite number of years would be required to eliminate the unfunded liability (the unfunded liability will never be eliminated).

The Plan Assets section provides detail on the plan assets used for the valuation including a development of the actuarial value of assets (AVA). The market value of assets (MVA) earned approximately 2.3% for the plan year ending June 30, 2012. The AVA earned approximately 4.0% for the plan year ending June 30, 2012 as compared to the assumed rate of 8.5%, the assumed rate mandated by Minnesota Statutes.

Participant reconciliation and statistics are detailed in the Membership Data section. The Actuarial Basis section includes a summary of plan provisions and actuarial methods and assumptions used for the calculations in this report. The Plan Accounting sections detail the required accounting information for the Plan under GASB No. 25 (as amended by GASB No. 50).

A summary of principal valuation results from the current valuation and the prior valuation follows. Any changes in plan provisions, actuarial assumptions or valuation methods and procedures between the two valuations are described after the summary.

	Actuarial Valuation as of			
	Jı	ıly 1, 2012	Jι	ıly 1, 2011
Contributions (% of Payroll)				
Statutory - Chapter 352B		31.00%		31.00%
Required - Chapter 356		42.52%		36.25%
Sufficiency / (Deficiency)		(11.52%)		(5.25%)
Funding Ratios (dollars in thousands)				
Assets				
- Current assets (AVA)	\$	554,244	\$	563,046
- Current assets (MVA)		549,956		568,279
Accrued Benefit Funding Ratio				
- Current benefit obligations	\$	738,123	\$	688,712
- Funding ratio (AVA)		75.09%		81.75%
- Funding ratio (MVA)		74.51%		82.51%
Accrued Liability Funding Ratio				
- Actuarial accrued liability	\$	760,955	\$	700,898
- Funding ratio (AVA)		72.84%		80.33%
- Funding ratio (MVA)		72.27%		81.08%
Projected Benefit Funding Ratio				
- Current and expected future assets	\$	769,002	\$	783,331
- Current and expected future benefit obligations		884,313		838,158
- Projected benefit funding ratio (AVA)		86.96%		93.46%
Participant Data				
Active members				
- Number		823		862
- Projected annual earnings (000s)		66,592		66,035
- Average projected annual earnings		80,914		76,607
- Average age		42.1		41.8
- Average service		12.8		12.6
Service retirements		733		700
Survivors		182		184
Disability retirements		48		48
Deferred retirements		40		38
Terminated other non-vested		15		15
Total		1,841		1,847

The 2011 valuation was prepared by Mercer. As part of the transition of actuarial work from Mercer to GRS, we replicated the 2011 valuation including a change from beginning of year decrement timing to mid-year decrement timing. The results of this replication are as follows:

Valuation 1	Results
As of July 1, 20	011 (000's)

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	Mercer	GRS	Ratio	_
Present Value of Projected Benefits	\$838,158	\$840,427	100.3%	_
Actuarial Accrued Liability	\$700,898	\$700,207	99.9%	
Required Contributions (% of pay)	36.25%	36.26%	100.0%	

Differences in valuation results due to differences in actuarial software are not unexpected. The replication results indicate a high degree of consistency.

#### **Effects of Changes**

The following changes in actuarial assumptions were recognized as of July 1, 2012:

- The investment return assumption was changed from 8.5% pre-retirement and 7.0% post-retirement to a 5-year select and ultimate approach with rates of 8.0% pre-retirement and 6.5% post-retirement for the period July 1, 2012 to June 30, 2017 and 8.5% pre-retirement and 7.0% post-retirement thereafter.
- Healthy pre-retirement mortality was changed from 1983 Group Annuity Mortality set back five years for males and set back two years for females to RP-2000 employee generational mortality, white collar adjustment.
- Healthy post-retirement mortality was changed from 1983 Group Annuity Mortality set back two years for males and set back one year for females to RP-2000 annuitant generational mortality, white collar adjustment, set back two years for males and set forward one year for females.
- Disabled mortality was changed to RP-2000 annuitant generational mortality, white collar adjustment, set back two years for males and set forward one year for females. The previous table was the Combined Annuity Mortality table.
- The salary scale assumption was changed from an age related table to a service related table that generally reflects lower expected salary increases.
- The payroll growth assumption was changed from 4.50% to 3.75%.
- The percent assumed to be married at retirement was changed from 100% to 85%. The beneficiary age assumption was changed from three years younger to two years younger for male members and from three years older to two years older for female members.

#### **Effects of Changes (Concluded)**

The form of benefit assumption for active married members changed as follows:

	Male	Female	Male	<b>Female</b>
	Assumption	Assumption	Assumption	Assumption
Form of Payment	Last Year	Last Year	This Year	This Year
Straight Life Annuity	50%	90%	25%	40%
50% Joint & Survivor	25%	5%	15%	25%
75% Joint & Survivor	0%	0%	25%	30%
100% Joint & Survivor	25%	5%	35%	5%

- Retirement, termination, and disability rates were adjusted to more closely reflect actual experience. Select termination rates changed from 2.5% per year for the first three years to 5%, 2%, and 2% for the first three years of employment, respectively.
- As per MN Statutes 356.215 subdivision 11(c), a new amortization period is determined by amortizing the unfunded liability before the assumption changes over the original amortization period using original assumptions, amortizing the additional unfunded liability over 30 years using current assumptions, and then determining the equivalent amortization period in whole years. This resulted in a new amortization period of 25 years (previously 24 years).

The combined impact of the above changes was to increase the accrued liability by \$36.9 million and increase the required contribution by 2.9% of pay, as follows:

	Before Amortization Period and Assumption Changes	Reflecting Assumption Changes	Reflecting Assumption and Amortization Period Changes
Normal Cost Rate, % of pay	23.0%	21.6%	21.6%
Amortization of UAAL*, % of pay	16.4%	21.1%	20.7%
Expenses (% of pay)	0.2%	0.2%	0.2%
Total Required Contribution, % of pay	39.6%	42.9%	42.5%
Accrued Liability Funding Ratio	76.5%	75.1%	75.1%
Projected Benefit Funding Ratio	89.7%	86.7%	87.0%
UAAL* (in millions)	\$169.8	\$206.7	\$206.7

<sup>\*</sup>Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability

Refer to the Actuarial Basis section of this report for a complete description of these changes.

#### Valuation of Future Post-Retirement Benefit Increases

A very important assumption affecting the valuation results is the expectation of future post-retirement benefit increases. The plan's accrued liability funding ratio (on a market value of assets basis and assuming 1.5% postretirement benefit increases in all future years) is currently 72.3%. If the plan reaches a funding ratio of 90% (on a market value of assets basis) in the future, post-retirement increases will revert to the 2.5% level.

The liabilities in this report are based on the assumption that the post-retirement benefit increase will remain at the reduced level of 1.5% indefinitely. If we assumed future post-retirement benefit increases of 2.5% instead of 1.5%, the actuarial accrued liability would be \$835 million instead of \$761 million, resulting in a funded ratio of 65.9% (on a market value basis) as of July 1, 2012.

### **Supplemental Information**

The remainder of the report includes information supporting the results presented in the previous sections.

- Plan assets presents information about the plan's assets as reported by the Minnesota State Retirement System. The assets represent the portion of total fund liabilities that has been funded.
- **Membership data** presents and describes the membership data used in the valuation.
- Development of costs shows the liabilities for plan benefits and the derivation of the contribution amount.
- Actuarial basis describes the plan provisions, as well as the methods and assumptions used to value the plan. The valuation is based on the premise that the plan is ongoing.
- Plan accounting under GASB No. 25 (as amended by GASB No. 50) shows the disclosures required by GASB Statement No. 25 as amended by GASB Statement No. 50.
- Glossary defines the terms used in this report.

### **Plan Assets**

# Statement of Plan Net Assets as of June 30, 2012 (Dollars in Thousands)

Assets Held in Trust	Market Value			
Cash, equivalents, short term securities	\$	11,074		
Fixed income		122,482		
Equity		416,362		
Other*		49,953		
Total Cash, Investments, and Other Assets	\$	599,871		
Amounts receivable		584		
<b>Total Assets</b>	\$	600,455		
Amounts payable*		(50,499)		
<b>Net Assets Held in Trust for Pension Benefits</b>	\$	549,956		

<sup>\*</sup> Includes \$49,953 in Securities Lending Collateral.

### **Plan Assets**

### **Reconciliation of Plan Assets** (Dollars in Thousands)

The following exhibit shows the revenue, expenses and resulting assets of the Fund as reported by the Minnesota State Retirement System for the Plan's Fiscal Year July 1, 2011 to June 30, 2012.

Change in Assets	Market Value		
1. Fund balance at market value at July 1, 2011	\$	568,279	
2. Contributions			
a. Member		7,753	
b. Employer		11,620	
c. Other sources		0	
d. Total contributions	\$	19,373	
3. Investment income			
a. Investment income/(loss)		13,494	
b. Investment expenses		(750)	
c. Net investment income/(loss)	•	12,744	
4. Other		0	
<b>5. Total income:</b> $(2.d.) + (3.c.) + (4.)$	\$	32,117	
6. Benefits Paid			
a. Annuity benefits		(50,007)	
b. Refunds		(275)	
c. Total benefits paid		(50,282)	
7. Expenses			
a. Other		0	
b. Administrative		(158)	
c. Total expenses		(158)	
8. Total disbursements: $(6.c.) + (7.c.)$		(50,440)	
<b>9. Fund balance at market value at July 1, 2012:</b> (1.) + (5.) + (8.)	\$	549,956	

### **Plan Assets**

# **Actuarial Asset Value** (Dollars in Thousands)

			June	e 30, 2012
1. Market value of assets available for benefits			\$	549,956
2. Determination of average balance				
a. Total assets available at July 1, 2011				568,279
b. Total assets available at June 30, 2012				549,956
c. Net investment income for fiscal year ending J	une 30, 2012			12,744
d. Average balance $[a. + b c.]/2$				552,746
3. Expected return [8.5% * 2.d.]				46,983
4. Actual return				12,744
5. Current year asset gain/(loss) [4 3.]				(34,239)
6. Unrecognized asset returns				
	Original	% Not		
	Amount	Recognized		
a. Year ended June 30, 2012	(34,239)	80%		(27,391)
b. Year ended June 30, 2011	70,693	60%		42,416
c. Year ended June 30, 2010	31,175	40%		12,470
d. Year ended June 30, 2009	(158,914)	20%		(31,783)
e. Unrecognized return adjustment				(4,288)
7. Actuarial value at June 30, 2012 (1 6.e.)			\$	554,244

#### **Distribution of Active Members**

_				Years of	Service as	of June 30	0, 2012			
Age	<3*	3 - 4	5 - 9	10 - 14	15 - 19	20 - 24	25 - 29	30 - 34	35+	Total
< 25	3									3
Avg. Earnings	51,164									51,164
25 - 29	22	34	3							59
Avg. Earnings	52,804	60,935	73,414							58,537
30 - 34	13	28	53	5						99
Avg. Earnings	56,036	63,036	71,021	79,648						67,231
25 20	0	1.0	71	67	4					177
35 - 39 Avg. Earnings	9 50,351	16 63,876	71 74,405	67 80,218	4 91,522					167 74,842
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40 - 44	1	12	34	70	30	8				155
Avg. Earnings	65,157	68,232	77,310	79,619	79,017	79,775				78,029
45 - 49	2	5	11	42	33	45	12			150
Avg. Earnings	65,847	61,464	77,032	83,406	79,510	84,767	88,957			81,969
50 - 54		1	15	22	20	31	51	8		148
Avg. Earnings		79,158	82,155	81,382	79,974	85,139	87,413	97,217		84,976
55 - 59	1	3	5	5	4	8	9	5		40
Avg. Earnings	73,804	69,904	77,289	85,440	78,363	89,591	96,059	83,567		85,243
60 - 64	1							1		2
Avg. Earnings	58,949							77,852		68,401
65 - 69										
Avg. Earnings										
70+										
Avg. Earnings										
Total	52	99	192	211	91	92	72	14		823
Avg. Earnings	54,354	63,371	74,801	80,886	79,927	84,878	88,751	90,959		76,883

<sup>\*</sup> This exhibit does not reflect service earned in other MSRS or Combined Service Annuity benefits. It should not be relied upon as an indicator of non-vested status.

In each cell, the top number is the count of active participants for the age/service combination and the bottom number is average valuation earnings for the fiscal year ending on the valuation date.

### **Distribution of Service Retirements**

_	Years Retired as of June 30, 2012									
Age	<1	1 - 4	5 - 9	10 - 14	15 - 19	20 - 24	25+	Total		
< 50										
Avg. Benefit										
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50 - 54	12	10						22		
Avg. Benefit	60,825	43,598						52,995		
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55 - 59	28	73	26					127		
Avg. Benefit	59,503	57,216	47,799					55,792		
60 - 64	3	27	88	26				144		
Avg. Benefit	39,770	52,594	53,076	52,146				52,541		
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65 - 69		2	26	119	3			150		
Avg. Benefit		41,483	54,007	59,197	46,686			57,811		
70 74			1	47	<b>5</b> 0	2		100		
70 - 74			1	47	59	2		109		
Avg. Benefit			54,776	60,947	63,466	59,308		62,224		
75 - 79				6	16	46		68		
Avg. Benefit				65,104	66,018	68,427		67,567		
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80 - 84				1	2	25	31	59		
Avg. Benefit				73,059	65,317	69,254	61,682	65,206		
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85 - 89						3	32	35		
Avg. Benefit						62,363	67,997	67,514		
90+							19	19		
Avg. Benefit							56,265	56,265		
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Total	43	112	141	199	80	76	82	733		
Avg. Benefit	58,495	54,605	52,287	58,937	63,393	68,220	62,891	58,861		

In each cell, the top number is the count of retired participants for the age/years retired combination and the bottom number is the average annual benefit amount.

### **Distribution of Survivors**

_	Years Since Death as of June 30, 2012							
Age	<1	1 - 4	5 - 9	10 - 14	15 - 19	20 - 24	25+	Total
<45			6	7				13
Avg. Benefit				10,838				13,367
11vg. Benene			10,510	10,050				10,007
45 - 49			1	1				2
Avg. Benefit			15,527	31,073				23,300
50 - 54		3	1	1				5
Avg. Benefit		8,965	13,640	59,623				20,031
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55 - 59		3	5	2				10
Avg. Benefit		15,834	31,178	26,481				25,635
60 - 64	2	1	9	1	2		1	16
Avg. Benefit				5,785			12,228	
Avg. Denem	23,704	00,924	21,337	3,763	49,033		12,220	20,700
65 - 69	2	1	10	5	2	1		21
Avg. Benefit		20,095			32,970			32,849
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70 - 74	1	2	7	4	2	2		18
Avg. Benefit	33,943	24,188	45,227	28,356	54,470	10,475		35,679
75 - 79	1	3	2	5	4	2	1	18
Avg. Benefit	53,276	41,749	28,663	47,237	26,509	34,094	47,910	38,565
80 - 84	1	4	7	8	2	4	6	32
Avg. Benefit	32,099	33,739	36,421	40,544	31,190	24,705	30,148	34,014
05 00	1	_		4	2	1	4	24
85 - 89	1	5 21.000	6	20.610	3 25 952	1 26 122	4	24 40 124
Avg. Benefit	22,703	31,088	40,203	29,610	33,833	30,123	01,207	40,124
90+		6	6	2	2	3	4	23
Avg. Benefit		25,542	26,354					
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Total	8	28	60	40	17	13	16	182
Avg. Benefit	33,069	27,882	30,038	32,474	35,235	28,738	36,804	31,362

In each cell, the top number is the count of survivors for the age/years since death combination and the bottom number is the average annual benefit amount.

### **Distribution of Disability Retirements**

_			Years D	Disabled as	of June 3	0, 2012		
Age	<1	1 - 4	5 - 9	10 - 14	15 - 19	20 - 24	25+	Total
< 45		2	1					3
Avg. Benefit		32,859	29,425					31,715
45 - 49		2	2	1				5
Avg. Benefit		41,159	51,249	29,611				42,885
50 54	1	4	2					-
50 - 54	1	4	2					7
Avg. Benefit	69,534	49,575	49,816					52,495
55 - 59			3	3	1			7
Avg. Benefit			36,024	29,505	41,710			34,042
Tivg. Benefit			30,024	27,303	41,710			34,042
60 - 64			3	3	2	1		9
Avg. Benefit			53,043	39,277	52,899	41,318		47,120
65 - 69			3	3	3	1		10
Avg. Benefit			39,365	33,943	57,481	24,121		41,649
70 - 74							2	2
Avg. Benefit							43,220	43,220
75+						2	3	5
Avg. Benefit						61,081	46,086	52,084
Avg. Denent						01,001	70,000	<i>52</i> ,00 <del>7</del>
Total	1	8	14	10	6	4	5	48
Avg. Benefit	69,534				53,326	46,900	44,939	43,807

In each cell, the top number is the count of disabled participants for the age/years since disability combination and the bottom number is the average annual benefit amount.

### **Reconciliation of Members**

		Term	inate d	]	Recipients		
		Deferred	Other Non-	Service	Disability		
	Actives	Retirement	Vested	Retirement	Retirement	Survivor	Total
Members on 7/1/2011	862	38	15	700	48	184	1,847
New Members	11	0	0	0	0	0	11
Return to active	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Terminated non-vested	(3)	0	3	0	0	0	0
Service retirements	(41)	(2)	0	43	0	0	0
Terminated deferred	(4)	4	0	0	0	0	0
Terminated refund/transfer	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Deaths	(1)	0	0	(10)	(1)	(9)	(21)
New beneficiary	0	0	0	0	0	7	7
Disabled	(1)	0	0	0	1	0	0
Data correction	0	0	(3)	0	0	0	(3)
Net change	(39)	2	0	33	0	(2)	(6)
Members on 6/30/2012	823	40	15	733	48	182	1,841

	Deferred	Other Non-	•
<b>Terminated Member Statistics</b>	Retirement	Vested	Total
Number	40	15	55
Average age	45.1	39.7	43.6
Average service	8.9	0.8	6.7
Average annual benefit, with augmentation to Norma	1		
Retirement Date and 30% CSA load	\$ 31,876	N/A	\$31,876
Average refund value, with 30% CSA load	\$103,359	\$5,076	\$76,555

#### **Actuarial Valuation Balance Sheet** (Dollars in Thousands)

The actuarial balance sheet is based on the principle that the long-term projected benefit obligations of the plan should be ideally equal to the long-term resources available to fund those obligations. The resources available to meet projected obligations for current members consist of current fund assets plus the present value of anticipated future contributions intended to fund benefits for current members. In the exhibit below, B.2 is the estimated present value of contributions to fund the normal cost rate for current members until their respective termination dates. Item B.1 is the present value of the total 31.00% statutory contribution net of normal cost and anticipated plan expenses during the period from the valuation date to the statutory unfunded amortization date.

The contributions made in excess of amounts required for current benefit payments are accumulated as a reserve to help meet benefit payments in later years. It is this reserve system which permits the establishment of a level rate of contribution each year.

					June 3	30, 2012
A. Actuarial Value of Assets					\$	554,244
B. Expected Future Assets						
Present value of expected future statutory supplemental contribution	18					91,400
2. Present value of future normal cost contributions						123,358
3. Total expected future assets: $(1.) + (2.)$					\$	214,758
C. Total Current and Expected Future Assets					\$	769,002
D. Current Benefit Obligations*						
1. Benefit recipients	Non-V	Vested	$\mathbf{V}$	ested	T	otal
a. Service retirements	\$	0	\$	445,360	\$	445,360
b. Disability retirements		0		24,322		24,322
c. Survivors		0		43,424		43,424
2. Deferred retirements with augmentation		0		8,589		8,589
3. Former members without vested rights**		76		0		76
4. Active members		3,085		213,267		216,352
5. Total Current Benefit Obligations	\$	3,161	\$	734,962	\$	738,123
E. Expected Future Benefit Obligations					\$	146,190
F. Total Current and Expected Future Benefit Obligations***					\$	884,313
G. Unfunded Current Benefit Obligations: (D.5.) - (A.)					\$	183,879
H. Unfunded Current and Future Benefit Obligations: $(F.)$ - $(C.)$					\$	115,311
I. Accrued Benefit Funding Ratio: (A.)/(D.5.)						75.09%
J. Projected Benefit Funding Ratio: $(C.)/(F.)$						86.96%

<sup>\*</sup> Present value of credited projected benefits (projected compensation, current service)

<sup>\*\*</sup> Former members who have not satisfied vesting requirements and have not collected a refund of member contributions as of the valuation date

<sup>\*\*\*</sup> Present value of projected benefits (projected compensation, projected service)

# **Determination of Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability and Supplemental Contribution Rate** (*Dollars in Thousands*)

	Actuarial Present Value of Projected Benefits		Actuarial Accrued Liability
A. Determination of Actuarial Accrued Liability (AAL)			_
1. Active members			
a. Retirement annuities	\$ 336,053	\$ 106,877	\$ 229,176
b. Disability benefits	18,074	9,884	8,190
c. Survivor's benefits	4,420	3,048	1,372
d. Deferred retirements	3,739	2,985	754
e. Refunds*	256	564	<u>(308)</u>
f. Total	\$ 362,542	\$ 123,358	\$ 239,184
2. Deferred retirements with future augmentation	8,589	0	8,589
3. Former members without vested rights	76	0	76
4. Benefit recipients	513,106	0	513,106
5. Total	\$884,313	\$ 123,358	\$ 760,955
B. Determination of Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability (UAAL)			
1. Actuarial accrued liability			\$ 760,955
2. Current assets (AVA)			554,244
3. Unfunded actuarial accrued liability			\$ 206,711
<ul> <li>C. Determination of Supplemental Contribution Rate**</li> <li>1. Present value of future payrolls through the amortization date of June 30, 2037</li> </ul>			\$1,001,092
2. Supplemental contribution rate: (B.3.) / (C.1.)			20.65% ***

<sup>\*</sup> Includes non-vested refunds and non-married survivor benefits only.

<sup>\*\*</sup> The amortization of the unfunded actuarial accrued liability (UAAL) using the current amortization method results in initial payments less than the "interest only" payment on the UAAL. Payments less than the interest only amount will result in the UAAL increasing for an initial period of time.

<sup>\*\*\*</sup> The amortization factor as of June 30, 2012 is 15.0332.

# Changes in Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability (UAAL) (Dollars in Thousands)

	Year Ending June 30, 2012
A. Unfunded actuarial accrued liability at beginning of year	\$ 137,852
B. Changes due to interest requirements and current rate of funding	
Normal cost and expenses	15,285
2. Contributions	(19,373)
3. Interest on A., B.1. and B.2.	11,544
4. Total (B.1. + B.2. + B.3.)	7,456
C. Expected unfunded actuarial accrued liability at end of year (A. + B.4.)	145,308
D. Increase (decrease) due to actuarial losses (gains) because of experience deviations from expected	
Age and Service Retirements	3,231
2. Disability Retirements	(643)
3. Death-in-Service Benefits	(182)
4. Withdrawals	51
5. Salary increases	(2,531)
6. Investment income	24,438
7. Mortality of annuitants	3,084
8. Other items	(2,235)
9. Total	25,213
E. Unfunded actuarial accrued liability at end of year before plan amendments and changes in actuarial assumptions (C. + D.9.)	170,521
F. Change in unfunded actuarial accrued liability due to changes in plan provisions	0
G. Change in unfunded actuarial accrued liability due to changes in actuarial assumptions	36,885
H. Change in unfunded actuarial accrued liability due to changes in decrement timing and miscellaneous methodology	(695)
I. Unfunded actuarial accrued liability at end of year (E. + F. + G. + H.)*	\$ 206,711
* The unfunded actuarial accrued liability on a market value of assets basis is \$210,999.	

### **Determination of Contribution Sufficiency/(Deficiency)** (Dollars in Thousands)

The required contribution is defined in statutes as the sum of normal cost, a supplemental contribution to amortize the UAAL, and an allowance for expenses.

	Percent of Payroll		Dollar .mount
A. Statutory contributions - Chapter 353E			
1. Employee contributions	12.40%	\$	8,257
2. Employer contributions	18.60%		12,386
3. Total	31.00%	\$	20,643
B. Required contributions - Chapter 356			
Normal cost     a. Retirement benefits	18.71%	\$	12,459
b. Disability benefits	1.78%	,	1,185
c. Survivors	0.56%		373
d. Deferred retirement benefits	0.48%		320
e. Refunds*	0.10%		67
f. Total	21.63%	\$	14,404
2. Supplemental contribution amortization of Unfunded			
Actuarial Accrued Liability by June 30, 2037	20.65%	\$	13,751
3. Allowance for expenses	0.24%	\$	160
4. Total	42.52% **	\$	28,315
C. Contribution Sufficiency/(Deficiency) (A.3 B.4.)	(11.52%)	\$	(7,672)

Note: Projected annual payroll for fiscal year beginning on the valuation date: \$66,592.

<sup>\*</sup> Includes non-vested refunds and non-married survivor benefits only.

<sup>\*\*</sup> The required contribution on a market value of assets basis is 42.95% of payroll.

#### **Actuarial Methods**

All actuarial methods are prescribed by Minnesota Statutes, the Legislative Commission on Pensions and Retirement, or the MSRS Board of Directors. Different methodologies may also be reasonable and results based on other methodologies would be different.

#### **Actuarial Cost Method**

Actuarial Accrued Liability and required contributions in this report are computed using the Entry Age Normal Cost Method. This method is prescribed by Minnesota statute. Under this method, a normal cost is developed by amortizing the actuarial value of benefits expected to be received by each active participant (as a level percentage of pay) over the total working lifetime of that participant, from hire to termination. Age as of the valuation date was calculated based on the dates of birth provided by the Fund. Entry age for valuation purposes was calculated as the age on the valuation date minus the provided years of service on the valuation date.

To the extent that current assets and future normal costs do not support participants' expected future benefits, an unfunded actuarial accrued liability ("UAAL") develops. The UAAL is amortized over the statutory amortization period using level percent of payroll assuming payroll increases. The total contribution developed under this method is the sum of normal cost, expenses, and the payment toward the UAAL.

#### **Select and Ultimate Discount Rate Methodology**

Based on direction from the LCPR's actuary, the select and ultimate discount rate methodology was applied to the entry age normal results as follows:

- 1. The present value of projected benefits was calculated using the prescribed select and ultimate discount rates.
- 2. An equivalent single interest rate that produced approximately the same present value of projected benefits was determined.
- 3. The equivalent single interest rate was used to determine the entry age normal accrued liability and normal cost.

The equivalent single interest rate used in this valuation was 8.35%.

#### **Funding Objective**

The fundamental financing objective of the fund is to establish contribution rates which, when expressed as a percentage of active member payroll, will remain approximately level from generation to generation and meet the required deadline for full funding.

#### **Decrement Timing**

All decrements are assumed to occur mid-year.

#### **Actuarial Methods (Concluded)**

#### **Asset Valuation Method**

The assets are valued based on a five-year moving average of expected and market values (five-year average actuarial value) determined as follows:

- At the end of each plan year, an average asset value is calculated as the average of the market asset value at the beginning and end of the fiscal year net of investment income for the fiscal year;
- The investment gain or (loss) is taken as the excess of actual investment income over the expected investment income based on the average asset value as calculated above;
- The investment gain or (loss) so determined is recognized over five years at 20% per year;
- The asset value is the sum of the market asset value plus the scheduled recognition of investment gains or (losses) during the current and the preceding four fiscal years.

The Minnesota Post Retirement Investment Fund (MPRIF) was dissolved on June 30, 2009. For the purpose of determining the actuarial value of assets, the MPRIF asset loss for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2009 is recognized incrementally over five years at 20% per year, similar to the smoothing described above. Prior to June 30, 2009, MPRIF asset gains and losses were not smoothed.

#### Payment on the Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability

Payment equals a level percentage of payroll each year to the statutory amortization date of June 30, 2037 assuming payroll increases of 3.75% per annum. If there is a negative Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability, the surplus amount is amortized over 30 years as a level percentage of payroll. If the unfunded liability increases due to changes in benefits, assumptions, or methods, the statutory amortization date will be re-determined. Projected payroll is multiplied by 0.959 in the determination of the present value of future payroll to account for timing differences (as required by the Standards for Actuarial Work).

#### **Changes in Methods since Prior Valuation**

Decrement timing was changed from beginning of year to mid-year.

### **Summary of Actuarial Assumptions**

The following assumptions were used in valuing the liabilities and benefits under the plan. All actuarial assumptions are prescribed by Minnesota Statutes, the Legislative Commission on Pensions and Retirement (LCPR), or the MSRS Board of Directors. These parties are responsible for selecting the assumptions used for this valuation. The assumptions prescribed are based on the last experience study, dated February 2012, prepared by a former actuary.

The Allowance for Combined Service Annuity was also based on a recommendation by a former actuary. We are unable to judge the reasonableness of this assumption without performing a substantial amount of additional work beyond the scope of the assignment.

Investment return	Select and Ultimate Rates:
	July 1, 2012 to June 30, 2017
	6.50% per annum post-retirement
	8.00% per annum pre-retirement
	July 1, 2017 and later
	7.00% per annum post-retirement
	8.50% per annum pre-retirement
Benefit increases after	Payment of 1.50% annual benefit increases after retirement are accounted for by
retirement	using the 7.00% post-retirement assumption (6.50% during 5-year select period),
	as required by Minnesota Statute. Mathematically, this assumption funds a post-
	retirement benefit increase of 1.4% instead of 1.5%.
Salary increases	Reported salary at valuation date increased according to the rate table, to current
•	fiscal year and annually for each future year. Prior fiscal year salary is annualized
	for members with less than one year of service.
Payroll growth	3.75% per year.
Mortality rates	
Healthy Pre-retirement	RP-2000 employee generational mortality table, white collar adjustment.
Healthy Post-retirement	RP-2000 annuitant generational mortality table, white collar adjustment, set back two years for males and set forward one year for females.
	The RP-2000 employee mortality table as published by the Society of Actuaries (SOA) contains mortality rates for ages 15 to 70 and the annuitant mortality table contains mortality rates for ages 50 to 95. We have applied the annuitant mortality table for active members beyond age 70 until the assumed retirement age and the employee mortality table for annuitants younger than age 50.
Disabled	RP-2000 annuitant generational mortality table, white collar adjustment, set back two years for males and set forward one year for females.
Retirement	Members retiring from active status are assumed to retire according to the age related rates shown in the rate table. Members who have attained the highest assumed retirement age are assumed to retire in one year.

# **Summary of Actuarial Assumptions (Continued)**

Withdrawal	Select and Ultimate rates based on actual experience. Ultimate rates after the third					
	year are shown in rate table. Select rates in the first three years are:					
	Year Select Withdrawal Rates					
	1 5%					
	2 2%					
	3 2%					
Disability	Age-related rates based on experience; see table of sample rates. All incidences are assumed to be duty-related.					
Allowance for combined	Liabilities for former members are increased by 30.00% to account for the effect					
service annuity	of some participants having eligibility for a Combined Service Annuity.					
Administrative expenses	Prior year administrative expenses expressed as percentage of prior year projected payroll.					
Refund of contributions	All employees withdrawing after becoming eligible for a deferred benefit take the larger of their contributions accumulated with interest or the value of their deferred benefit. Account balances for deferred members accumulate interest until normal retirement date and are discounted back to the valuation date.					
Commencement of deferred	Members receiving deferred annuities (including current terminated deferred					
benefits	members) are assumed to begin receiving benefits at age 55.					
Percentage married	85% of active members are assumed to be married. Actual marital status is used for members in payment status.					
Age of spouse	Females are assumed to be two years younger than their male spouses.					
Eligible children	Each member may have two dependent children depending on member's age. Assumed first born child born at member's age 28 and second born child at member's age 31.					
Form of payment	Married members retiring from active status are assumed to elect subsidized joint and survivor form of annuity as follows:					
	Males: 15% elect 50% Joint & Survivor option					
	25% elect 75% Joint & Survivor option					
	35% elect 100% Joint & Survivor option					
	Females: 25% elect 50% Joint & Survivor option					
	30% elect 75% Joint & Survivor option					
	5% elect 100% Joint & Survivor option					
	Remaining married members and unmarried members are assumed to elect the Straight Life option.					
Eligibility testing	Eligibility for benefits is determined based upon the age nearest birthday and service on the date the decrement is assumed to occur.					
Decrement operation	Withdrawal decrements do not operate during retirement eligibility.					
Service credit accruals	It is assumed that members accrue one year of service credit per year.					
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### **Summary of Actuarial Assumptions (Continued)**

# Unknown data for certain members

To prepare this report, GRS has used and relied on participant data supplied by the Fund. Although GRS has reviewed the data in accordance with Actuarial Standards of Practice No. 23, GRS has not verified or audited any of the data or information provided.

There are no members reported with missing gender or birth dates. In cases where submitted data was missing or incomplete, the following assumptions were applied:

#### Data for active members:

There were no members reported with missing salary and no members reported with missing service.

#### Data for terminated members:

There were two members reported without a benefit. We calculated benefits for these members using the reported Average Salary, credited service and termination date.

#### Data for members receiving benefits:

There were no members reported without a benefit.

#### **Summary of Actuarial Assumptions (Continued)**

Changes in actuarial assumptions

The investment return assumption was changed from 8.5% pre-retirement and 7.0% post-retirement to a select and ultimate approach with rates of 8.0% pre-retirement and 6.5% post-retirement for the period July 1, 2012 to June 30, 2017 and 8.5% pre-retirement and 7.0% post-retirement thereafter.

Healthy pre-retirement mortality was changed from 1983 Group Annuity Mortality set back five years for males and set back two years for females to RP-2000 employee generational mortality, white collar adjustment.

Healthy post-retirement mortality was changed from 1983 Group Annuity Mortality set back two years for males and set back one year for females to RP-2000 annuitant generational mortality, white collar adjustment, set back two years for males and set forward one year for females.

Disabled mortality was changed to RP-2000 annuitant generational mortality, white collar adjustment, set back two years for males and set forward one year for females. The previous table was the Combined Annuity Mortality table.

The salary scale assumption was changed from an age related table to a service related table that generally reflects lower expected salary increases.

The payroll growth assumption was changed from 4.50% to 3.75%.

The percent assumed to be married at retirement was changed from 100% to 85%. The beneficiary age assumption was changed from three years younger to two years younger for male members and from three years older to two years older for female members.

The form of benefit assumption for active married members was changed as follows:

	Male	Female	Male	Female
	Assumption	Assumption	Assumption	Assumption
Form of Payment	Last Year	Last Year	This Year	This Year
Straight Life Annuity	50%	90%	25%	40%
50% Joint & Survivor	25%	5%	15%	25%
75% Joint & Survivor	0%	0%	25%	30%
100% Joint & Survivor	25%	5%	35%	5%

Retirement, termination, and disability rates were adjusted to more closely reflect actual experience. Select termination rates were changed from 2.5% per year for the first three years of employment to 5%, 2%, and 2%, respectively.

### **Summary of Actuarial Assumptions (Concluded)**

Rate	(%)
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		Itute	(70)		
	Hea	lthy	Disability Mortality*		
	Pre-Retireme	nt Mortality*			
Age	Male	Female	Male	Female	
20	0.03%	0.02%	0.03%	0.02%	
25	0.04	0.02	0.04	0.02	
30	0.04	0.03	0.04	0.03	
35	0.06	0.05	0.05	0.05	
40	0.09	0.06	0.08	0.07	
45	0.13	0.10	0.11	0.11	
50	0.20	0.16	0.17	0.25	
55	0.27	0.24	0.57	0.39	
60	0.43	0.38	0.57	0.61	
65	0.67	0.59	0.92	1.01	
70	0.98	0.88	1.58	1.69	

<sup>\*</sup> These rates were adjusted for mortality improvements using projection scale AA.

### Withdrawal Rates

	After Th	ird Year	Disability Retirement		
Age	Male	Female	Male	Female	
20	1.47%	1.47%	0.03%	0.03%	
25	1.13	1.13	0.05	0.05	
30	0.80	0.80	0.06	0.06	
35	0.47	0.47	0.09	0.09	
40	0.40	0.40	0.14	0.14	
45	0.40	0.40	0.23	0.23	
50	0.00	0.00	0.40	0.40	
55	0.00	0.00	0.70	0.70	
60	0.00	0.00	1.13	1.13	
65	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	

# **Summary of Actuarial Assumptions (Continued)**

		Salary Scale	
Age	Retirement	Year	Increase
50	7%	1	8.00%
51	6	2	7.50
52	6	3	7.00
53	6	4	6.75
54	3	5	6.50
55	65	6	6.25
56	50	7	6.00
57	30	8	5.85
58	20	9	5.70
59	20	10	5.55
60+	100	11	5.40
		12	5.25
		13	5.10
		14	4.95
		15	4.80
		16	4.65
		17	4.50
		18	4.35
		19	4.20
		20	4.05
		21+	4.00

### **Summary of Plan Provisions**

Following is a summary of the major plan provisions used in the valuation of this report. MSRS is solely responsible for the validity, accuracy and comprehensiveness of this information. If any of the plan provisions shown below are not accurate and complete, the valuation results may differ significantly from those shown in this report and may require a revision of this report.

Plan year	July 1 through June 30				
Eligibility	State troopers, conservation officers, certain crime bureau and gambling enforcement officers, and certain other persons listed in Minnesota Statutes 352B.011 subdivision 10.				
Contributions	Percent of Salary Member 12.40% Employer 18.60%				
	Member contributions are "picked up" according to the provisions of Internal Revenue Code 414(h).				
Allowable service	Service during which member contributions were deducted. Includes period receiving temporary Worker's Compensation and reduced salary from employer.				
Salary	Salaries excluding lump sum payments at separation.				
Average salary	Average of the five highest years of Salary. Average Salary is based on all Allowable Service if less than five years.				
Retirement					
Normal retirement benefit					
Age/Service requirement	Age 55 and three years (five years if first hired after June 30, 2010) of Allowable Service.				
Amount	3.00% of Average Salary for each year of Allowable Service.				
Early retirement benefit					
Age/Service requirement	Age 50 and three years (five years if first hired after June 30, 2010) of Allowable Service.				
Amount	Normal Retirement Benefit based on Allowable Service and Average Salary retirement reduced by 1/10% (1/5% for employees first hired after June 30, 2016 for each month that the member is under age 55.				
Form of payment	Life annuity.				
	Actuarially equivalent options are:				
	50%, 75%, or 100% Joint and Survivor, or 15-year certain. If a Joint and Survivor benefit is elected and the beneficiary predeceases the annuitant, the annuitant's benefit increases to the Life Annuity amount. This "bounce back" is subsidized by the plan.				
Benefit increases	Benefit recipients receive future annual 1.5% benefit increases. When the funding ratio reaches 90% (on a Market Value of Assets basis), the benefit increase will revert to 2.5%. A benefit recipient who has been receiving a benefit for at least 12 full months as of June 30 will receive a full increase. Members receiving benefits for at least one month but less than 12 full months as of June 30 will receive a pro rata increase.				

# **Summary of Plan Provisions (Continued)**

Disability			
Occupational disability benefit Age/Service requirement	Member who cannot perform his duties as a direct result of a disability relating to an act of duty.		
Amount	60% of Average Salary plus 3.00% of Average Salary for each year in excess of 20 years of Allowable Service (pro rata for completed months).		
	Payments cease at age 65 or earlier if disability ceases or death occurs.  Benefits may be paid upon re-employment but salary plus benefit cannot exceed current salary of position held at time of disability.		
Non-duty disability benefit Age/Service requirement	At least one year of Allowable Service and disability not related to covered employment.		
Amount	Normal Retirement Benefit based on Allowable Service (minimum of 15 years) and Average Salary at disability without reduction for commencement before age 55.		
	Payments cease at age 65 or earlier if disability ceases or death occurs.  Benefits may be paid upon re-employment but salary plus benefit cannot exceed current salary of position held at time of disability.		
Retirement after disability Age/Service requirement	Age 65 with continued disability.		
Amount	Optional annuity continues. Otherwise, normal retirement benefit equal to the disability benefit paid, or an actuarially equivalent option.		
Form of payment	Same as for retirement.		
Benefit increases	Same as for retirement.		
Death			
Surviving spouse benefit Age/Service requirement	Member who is active or receiving a disability benefit or former member.		
Amount	50% of Average Salary if member was active or occupational disability and either had less than three years (five years if first hired after June 30, 2010) of Allowable Service or was under age 55. Annuity is paid for life.		
	Surviving spouse receives the 100% joint and survivor benefit commencing on the member's 55th birthday if member was active or a disability with three years (five years if first hired after June 30, 2010) of Allowable Service. A spouse who had been receiving the 50% benefit shall be entitled to the greater benefit.		
	The surviving spouse of a former member receives the 100% joint and survivor benefit commencing on the member's 55th birthday if former member had three years (five years if first hired after June 30, 2010) of Allowable Service.		
Benefit increases	Same as for retirement.		

#### **Summary of Plan Provisions (Continued)**

Death (Continued)

Surviving dependent children's benefit

Age/Service requirement Member who is active or receiving a disability benefit. Child must be unmarried,

under age 18 (or 23 if full-time student) and dependent upon the member.

Amount 10% of Average Salary for each child and \$20 per month prorated among all

dependent children. Benefit must not be less than 50% nor exceed 70% of

Average Salary.

Benefit increases Same as for retirement.

Refund of contributions

Age/Service requirement Member dies before receiving any retirement benefits and survivor benefits are

not payable.

Amount Member contributions with 6.00% interest compounded daily until June 30, 2011

and 4.00% thereafter.

**Termination** 

Refund of contributions

Age/service requirement Termination of state service.

Amount Member contributions with 6.00% interest compounded daily to June 30, 2011 and

4.00% thereafter.

If a member is vested, a deferred annuity may be elected in lieu of a refund.

Deferred benefit

Age/service requirement Three years (five years if first hired after June 30, 2010) of Allowable Service.

Amount Benefit is computed under law in effect at termination and increased by the

following annual augmentation percentage:

(a.) 0.00% before July 1, 1971;

(b.) 5.00% from July 1, 1971 to January 1, 1981;

(c.) 3.00% thereafter (2.50% if hired after June 30, 2006) until January 1, 2012; and

(d.) 2.00% after December 31, 2011 until the annuity begins.

Amount is payable at normal or early retirement.

If a member terminated employment prior to July 1, 1997 but was not eligible to

commence their pension before July 1, 1997, an actuarial increase shall be made

for the change in the post-retirement interest rates from 5.00% to 6.00%.

# **Summary of Plan Provisions (Concluded)**

Optional form conversion factors	Actuarially equivalent factors based on 1983 Group Annuity Mortality blended 75% male and 25% female (set forward two years), and 6% interest.					
Combined service annuity Members are eligible for combined service benefits if they:						
	(a.) Have sufficient allowable service in total that equals or exceeds the applicable service credit vesting requirement of the retirement plan with the longest applicable service credit vesting requirement; and					
	(b.) Have at least six months of allowable service credit in each plan worked under; and					
	(c.) Are not in receipt of a benefit from another plan, or have applied for benefits with an effective date within one year.					
	Members who meet the above requirements must have their benefit based on the following:					
	(a.) Allowable service in all covered plans are combined in order to determine eligibility for early retirement.					
	(b.) Average salary is based on the high five consecutive years during their entire service in all covered plans.					
Changes in plan provisions	None.					

### Plan Accounting Under GASB No. 25 (as amended by GASB No. 50)

Provided below is information required under GASB Statement No. 25 as amended by GASB Statement No. 50 - Financial Reporting for Defined Benefit Pension Plans and Note Disclosures for Defined Contribution Plans as amended by GASB Statement No. 50.

# **Schedule of Funding Progress**<sup>1</sup> (Dollars in Thousands)

Actuarial Valuation Date	Actuarial Value of Assets (a)	Actuarial Accrued Liability (AAL) (b)	Unfunded (Overfunded) AAL (UAAL) (b) - (a)	Funded Ratio (a)/(b)	ual Covered Payroll revious FY) (c)	UAAL as a Percentage of Covered Payroll [(b)-(a)]/(c)
7-1-1991	\$ 200,068	\$ 224,033	\$ 23,965	89.30%	\$ 32,365	74.05 %
7-1-1992	222,314	233,656	11,342	95.15	32,882	34.49
7-1-1993	244,352	258,202	13,850	94.64	35,765	38.73
7-1-1994	262,570	275,377	12,807	95.35	35,341	36.24
7-1-1995	284,918	283,078	(1,840)	100.65	37,518	(4.90)
7-1-1996	323,868	303,941	(19,927)	106.56	41,476	(48.04)
7-1-1997	375,650	332,427	(43,223)	113.00	41,996	(102.92)
7-1-1998	430,011	371,369	(58,642)	115.79	43,456	(134.95)
7-1-1999	472,687	406,215	(66,472)	116.36	45,333	(146.63)
7-1-2000	528,573	458,384	(70,189)	115.31	48,167	(145.72)
7-1-2001	572,815	489,483	(83,332)	117.02	48,935	(170.29)
7-1-2002	591,383	510,344	(81,039)	115.88	49,278	(164.45)
7-1-2003	591,521	538,980	(52,541)	109.75	54,175	(96.98)
7-1-2004	594,785	545,244	(49,542)	109.09	51,619	(95.98)
7-1-2005	601,220	566,764	(34,456)	106.08	55,142	(62.49)
7-1-2006	618,990	641,479	22,489	96.49	57,765	38.93
7-1-2007	617,901	673,444	55,543	91.75	61,498	90.32
7-1-2008	595,082	693,686	98,604	85.79	60,029	164.26
7-1-2009	584,501	725,334	140,833	80.58	61,511	228.96
7-1-2010	567,211	683,360	116,149	83.00	63,250	183.63
7-1-2011	563,046	700,898	137,852	80.33	63,250	217.95
7-1-2012	554,244	760,955	206,711	72.84	$62,524^{-2}$	330.61

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Information prior to 2012 provided by prior actuary. See prior reports for additional detail.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Assumed equal to actual member contributions divided by 12.4%.

### Plan Accounting Under GASB No. 25 (as amended by GASB No. 50)

Schedule of Contributions from the Employer and Other Contributing Entities<sup>1</sup> (Dollars in Thousands)

The GASB Statement No. 25 required and actual contributions are as follows:

	Actuarially		Actual		Actual	
Plan Year	Required	<b>Actual Covered</b>	Member	<b>Annual Required</b>	<b>Employer</b>	Percentage
Ended	<b>Contribution Rate</b>	Payroll	Contributions	Contributions	Contributions <sup>2</sup>	Contributed
June 30	(a)	(b)	(c)	[(a)x(b)] - (c) = (d)	(e)	(e)/(d)
1991	22.15%	\$ 32,365	\$ 2,751	\$ 4,418	\$ 4,825	109.21%
1992	22.58	32,882	2,795	4,630	4,893	105.68
1993	22.27	35,765	3,040	4,925	5,288	107.37
1994	21.94	35,341	3,004	4,750	5,159	108.61
1995	21.79	37,518	3,189	4,986	5,583	111.97
1996	21.34	41,476	3,484	5,367	5,742	106.99
1997	21.33	41,996	3,746	5,212	6,151	118.02
1998	15.67	43,456	3,634	3,176	5,475	172.39
1999	14.14	45,333	3,850	2,560	5,712	223.13
2000	15.17	48,167	4,044	3,263	6,069	185.99
2001	15.48	48,935	4,145	3,430	6,166	179.77
2002	14.00	49,278	4,215	2,684	6,209	231.33
2003	14.34	54,175	4,555	3,214	6,826	212.38
2004	17.81	51,619	4,493	4,700	6,504	138.39
2005	18.15	55,142	4,517	5,491	6,670	121.47
2006	19.84	57,765	4,719	6,741	7,055	104.66
2007	26.69	61,498	4,987	11,427	7,461	65.30
2008	29.90	60,029	5,594	12,355	8,279	67.01
2009	34.49	61,511	6,216	14,999	9,178	61.19
2010	38.16	63,250	6,726	17,410	10,104	58.04
2011	33.84	63,250	6,578	14,826	9,873	66.59
2012	36.25	62,524 <sup>3</sup>	7,753	14,912	11,620	77.92
2013	42.52	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Information prior to 2012 provided by prior actuary. See prior reports for additional detail.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> *Includes contributions from other sources (if applicable)* 

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Assumed equal to actual member contributions divided by 12.4%.

### **Glossary of Terms**

Accrued Benefit Funding Ratio

The ratio of assets to Current Benefit Obligations.

Accrued Liability Funding Ratio

The ratio of assets to Actuarial Accrued Liability.

Actuarial Accrued Liability (AAL)

The difference between the Actuarial Present Value of Future Benefits, and the Actuarial Present Value of Future Normal Costs.

**Actuarial Assumptions** 

Assumptions about future plan experience that affect costs or liabilities, such as: mortality, withdrawal, disablement, and retirement; future increases in salary; future rates of investment earnings; future investment and administrative expenses; characteristics of members not specified in the data, such as marital status; characteristics of future members; future elections made by members; and other items.

**Actuarial Cost Method** 

A procedure for allocating the Actuarial Present Value of Future Benefits between the Actuarial Present Value of future Normal Costs and the Actuarial Accrued Liability.

Actuarial Equivalent

Of equal Actuarial Present Value, determined as of a given date and based on a given set of Actuarial Assumptions.

Actuarial Present Value (APV)

The amount of funds required to provide a payment or series of payments in the future. It is determined by discounting the future payments with an assumed interest rate and with the assumed probability each payment will be made.

Actuarial Present Value of Projected Benefits

The Actuarial Present Value of amounts which are expected to be paid at various future times to active members, retired members, beneficiaries receiving benefits, and inactive, non-retired members entitled to either a refund or a future retirement benefit. Expressed another way, it is the value that would have to be invested on the valuation date so that the amount invested plus investment earnings would provide sufficient assets to pay all projected benefits and expenses when due.

**Actuarial Valuation** 

The determination, as of a valuation date, of the Normal Cost, Actuarial Accrued Liability, Actuarial Value of Assets, and related Actuarial Present Values for a plan. An Actuarial Valuation for a governmental retirement system typically also includes calculations of items needed for compliance with GASB No. 25, such as the Funded Ratio and the Annual Required Contribution (ARC).

Contribution (ARC)

### **Glossary of Terms (Continued)**

Actuarial Value of Assets The value of the assets as of a given date, used by the actuary for

valuation purposes. This may be the market or fair value of plan assets or a smoothed value in order to reduce the year-to-year volatility of calculated results, such as the funded ratio and the actuarially

required contribution (ARC).

Amortization Method A method for determining the Amortization Payment. Under the Level

Percentage of Pay method, the Amortization payment is one of a stream of increasing payments, whose Actuarial Present Value is equal to the UAAL. The stream of payments increases at the rate at which total

covered payroll of all active members is assumed to increase.

Amortization Payment That portion of the plan contribution or ARC which is designed to pay

interest on and to amortize the Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability.

Amortization Period The period used in calculating the Amortization Payment.

Annual Required The employer's periodic required contributions, expressed as a dollar

amount or a percentage of covered plan compensation, determined under GASB No. 25. The ARC consists of the Employer Normal Cost

and Amortization Payment.

**Augmentation** Annual increases to deferred benefits.

Closed Amortization Period A specific number of years that is reduced by one each year, and

declines to zero with the passage of time. For example if the amortization period is initially set at 30 years, it is 29 years at the end of

one year, 28 years at the end of two years, etc.

Current Benefit Obligations The present value of benefits earned to the valuation date, based on

current service and including future salary increases to retirement.

**Employer Normal Cost** The portion of the Normal Cost to be paid by the employer. This is

equal to the Normal Cost less expected member contributions.

Expected Assets The present value of anticipated future contributions intended to fund

benefits for current members.

### **Glossary of Terms (Concluded)**

Experience Gain/Loss

A measure of the difference between actual experience and that expected based upon a set of Actuarial Assumptions, during the period between two actuarial valuations. To the extent that actual experience differs from that assumed, Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liabilities emerge which may be larger or smaller than projected. Gains are due to favorable experience, e.g., the assets earn more than projected, salaries do not increase as fast as assumed, members retire later than assumed, etc. Favorable experience means actual results produce actuarial liabilities not as large as projected by the actuarial assumptions. On the other hand, losses are the result of unfavorable experience, i.e., actual results that produce Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liabilities which are larger than projected.

**GASB** 

Governmental Accounting Standards Board.

GASB No. 25 and GASB No. 27

These are the governmental accounting standards that set the accounting rules for public retirement systems and the employers that sponsor or contribute to them. Statement No. 27 sets the accounting rules for the employers that sponsor or contribute to public retirement systems, while Statement No. 25 sets the rules for the systems themselves.

GASB No. 50

The accounting standard governing a state or local governmental employer's accounting for pensions.

Normal Cost

The annual cost assigned, under the Actuarial Cost Method, to the current plan year.

Projected Benefit Funding Ratio

The ratio of the sum of Actuarial Value of Assets and Expected Assets to the Actuarial Present Value of Projected Benefits.

Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability

The difference between the Actuarial Accrued Liability and Actuarial Value of Assets.

Valuation Date

The date as of which the Actuarial Present Value of Future Benefits are determined. The benefits expected to be paid in the future are discounted to this date.