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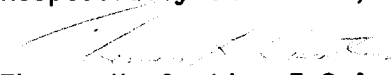
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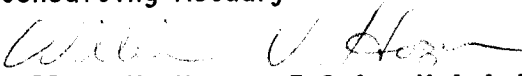
Pursuant to the terms of our Actuarial Services Contract, we have performed an actuarial valuation of the Fund as of July 1, 1992.

The results of our calculations are set forth in the following report, as are the actuarial assumptions upon which our calculations have been made. We have relied on the basic employee data and asset figures as submitted by the Minnesota State Retirement System.

On the basis of the foregoing, we hereby certify that, to the best of our knowledge and belief, this report is complete and accurate and has been prepared in accordance with the requirements of Section 356.215, Minnesota Statutes, and the requirements of the Standards for Actuarial Work, adopted by the Commission on September 20, 1989.

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REPORT HIGHLIGHTS (DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)

	07/01/91 <u>Valuation</u>	07/01/92 <u>Valuation</u>
A. CONTRIBUTIONS (Table 11)		
1. Statutory Contributions - Chapter 352 % of Payroll	8.44%	8.11%
2. Required Contributions - Chapter 356 % of Payroll	7.86%	8.27%
3. Sufficiency (Deficiency): (A.1. - A.2.)	0.58%	-0.16%
B. FUNDING RATIOS		
1. Accrued Benefit Funding Ratio		
a. Current Assets (Table 1)	\$2,304,311	\$2,613,472
b. Current Benefit Obligations (Table 8)	\$2,520,042	\$2,744,923
c. Funding Ratio: (a/b)	91.44%	95.21%
2. Accrued Liability Funding Ratio		
a. Current Assets (Table 1)	\$2,304,311	\$2,613,472
b. Actuarial Accrued Liability (Table 9)	\$2,883,603	\$3,125,299
c. Funding Ratio: (a/b)	79.91%	83.62%
3. Projected Benefit Funding Ratio (Table 8)		
a. Current and Expected Future Assets	\$3,863,379	\$3,875,377
b. Current and Expected Future Benefit Obligations	\$3,660,837	\$3,932,617
c. Funding Ratio: (a/b)	105.53%	98.54%
C. PLAN PARTICIPANTS		
1. Active Members		
a. Number (Table 3)	49,718	49,214
b. Projected Annual Earnings	\$1,612,238	\$1,658,792
c. Average Annual Earnings (Actual \$)	\$32,428	\$33,706
d. Average Age	41.3	41.6
e. Average Service	9.9	10.2
2. Others		
a. Service Retirements (Table 4)	12,335	12,835
b. Disability Retirements (Table 5)	726	743
c. Survivors (Table 6)	946	1,023
d. Deferred Retirements (Table 7)	2,216	2,769
e. Terminated Other Non-vested (Table 7)	4,152	4,256
f. Total	20,375	21,626

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COMMENTARY

Purpose

The purpose of this valuation is to determine the financial status of the Plan. In order to achieve this purpose, an actuarial valuation is made at the beginning of each fiscal year as required by Section 356.215 of Minnesota Statutes.

Report Highlights

The financial status of the Plan can be measured by three different funding ratios:

) The Accrued Benefit Funding Ratio is a measure of current funding status and, when viewed over a period of years, presents a view of the funding progress. It is based upon benefits which have been earned by service to the valuation date. This year's ratio is 95.21%. The corresponding ratio for the prior year was 91.44%.

The Accrued Liability Funding Ratio is also a measure of funding status and funding progress. It is based on the actuarial cost method that has historically been used by the State. For 1992 the ratio is 83.62%, which is an increase from the 1991 value of 79.91%.

The Projected Benefit Funding Ratio is a measure of the adequacy or deficiency in the contribution level. This year's ratio of 98.54% shows that the current statutory contributions are inadequate.

Asset Information (Tables 1 and 2)

Minnesota Statutes require that the asset value used for actuarial purposes

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) recognize only a third of the unrealized gains and losses. This requirement exists because market values (which include all unrealized gain and losses) are typically volatile and can produce erratic changes in the contribution requirements from year to year.

The calculation of the Actuarial Value of Assets is shown in Table 1 on lines F1 to F6. It combines the cost value of the Assets Available for Benefits and one-third of the difference between the market value and cost value of those assets.

The term "Actuarial Value of Assets" is used to indicate that the value was determined for use in this actuarial valuation. Since Minnesota Statutes refer to this value as "Current Assets", the latter phrase will be used in the remainder of this report.

) This Plan participates in the Minnesota Post Retirement Investment Fund (i.e. MPRIF). After the MPRIF liability has been calculated for each participating Plan, the State Board of Investments, (i.e. SBI), will determine each Plan's portion of the excess earnings for the January benefit increase as well as the Plan's allocated market share of MPRIF.

Actuarial Balance Sheet (Table 8)

An actuarial balance sheet provides a method for evaluating current and future levels of funding.

The Current Benefit Obligation used to measure current funding levels is calculated in accordance with Statement No. 5 of the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB). Those requirements are:

For Active Members - salary and service are projected to retirement to determine benefits for each member and the ratio of credited service to total service establishes the portion of the projected benefit to be used in calculating the current funding level.

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For Non-active Members - the discounted value of benefits, including augmentation in cases where benefits have not commenced.

GASB Disclosure

The Current Benefit Obligation amounts in Table 8 are required to be disclosed by Statement No. 5 of the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB). However, Statement No. 5 uses the terms "Actuarial Present Value of Credited Projected Benefits" and "Pension Benefit Obligation" rather than "Current Benefit Obligation".

The July 1, 1992 Pension Benefit Obligation reported in Table 8 is reformatted for GASB reporting purposes in the following table:

Retirees and beneficiaries currently receiving benefits and terminated employees not yet receiving benefits	\$1,043,184,313
Current Employees	
Accumulated employee contributions including allocated investment income	\$406,921,461
Employer-financed vested	1,278,882,656
Employer-financed nonvested	15,934,929

Total Pension Benefit Obligation	\$2,744,923,359
Net Assets Available for Benefits at Cost	\$2,576,920,000
Total Benefit Obligation less Assets	\$168,003,359
Funded Ratio	93.88%

) Actuarial Cost Method (Table 9)

The approach used by the State of Minnesota to determine contribution sufficiency is the Entry Age Normal Actuarial Cost Method. The primary characteristic of this method is that it allocates costs as a level percentage of payroll.

A comparison of this actuarial method (Table 9) to the actuarial balance sheet (Table 8) illustrates the two techniques for allocating liabilities of active Members to past and future. As noted in the prior section, the balance sheet allocates benefits and the corresponding liabilities, on the basis of service. The method used in Table 9 allocates liabilities so that the cost each year will be a constant percentage of payroll. Both approaches, however, calculate the value of all future benefits the same way (see line F of Table 8 and line A6, column 1, of Table 9).

) An Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability is computed under the Entry Age Normal Actuarial Cost Method by comparing the liabilities allocated to past service (Actuarial Accrued Liability) to the Current Assets. This amount, line B3, is funded over the remaining years to the amortization date by a series of payments that remain a constant percentage of payroll each year.

The payments will increase 6.5% each year because that is the assumed rate of increase in payroll. Although the payment schedule will be adequate to amortize the existing unfunded, the lower payments in the earlier years will not be sufficient to cover the interest on the unfunded liability. After a few years, the annual payment will cover the interest and also repay a portion of the unfunded.

Sources of Actuarial Gains and Losses (Table 10)

The assumptions used in making the calculations using the Entry Age Normal Actuarial Cost Method are based on long-term expectations. Each year the actual experience will deviate from the long-term expectation. For a detailed analysis of the major components, refer to Table 10.

) Contribution Sufficiency (Table 11)

This report determines the adequacy of Statutory Contributions by comparing the Statutory Contributions to the Required Contributions.

The Required Contributions, set forth in Chapter 356, consist of:

Normal costs based on the Entry Age Normal Actuarial Cost Method.

A Supplemental Contribution for amortizing any Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability.

An Allowance for Expenses.

Table 11 shows the Plan has a contribution deficiency since the Statutory Contribution Rate is 8.11% compared to the Required Contribution Rate of 8.27%.

) Changes in Actuarial Assumptions

The actuarial assumptions are the same as those used in the prior valuation.

Paragraph X.1.4 of the Actuarial Standards requires that the Actuarial Present Value of Compensation for purposes of determining the Normal Cost of the Fund be calculated assuming mid-year payments. Previously, beginning of year payments were assumed. This change in methodology results in an increase of 0.63% of payroll in the Normal Cost and a Contribution Deficiency of the Fund.

Changes in Plan Provisions

Member Contributions were decreased from 4.15% to 3.99% and Employer Contributions were decreased from 4.29% to 4.12%, contingent upon the funds being sufficient. Due to the change in actuarial assumptions noted above, a sufficiency was not realized so that these contribution rates should be adjusted slightly (upward by 0.08% each).

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TABLE 1

ACCOUNTING BALANCE SHEET
(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)

JULY 1, 1992

	<u>Market Value</u>	<u>Cost Value</u>
A. ASSETS		
1. Cash, Equivalents, Short-term Securities	\$25,873	\$25,873
2. Investments		
a. Fixed Income	487,503	474,482
b. Equity	1,112,684	1,008,994
c. Real Estate	75,930	82,984
3. Equity in Minnesota Post-Retirement Investment Fund (MPRIF)	981,047	981,047
4. Other	4,984	4,984
B. TOTAL ASSETS	<u>\$2,688,021</u>	<u>\$2,578,364</u>
C. AMOUNTS CURRENTLY PAYABLE	\$1,444	\$1,444
D. ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS		
1. Member Reserves	\$427,320	\$427,320
2. Employer Reserves	1,272,066	1,162,409
3. MPRIF Reserves	981,047	981,047
4. Non-MPRIF Reserves	6,144	6,144
5. Total Assets Available for Benefits	<u>\$2,686,577</u>	<u>\$2,576,920</u>
E. TOTAL AMOUNTS CURRENTLY PAYABLE AND ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS	<u>\$2,688,021</u>	<u>\$2,578,364</u>
F. DETERMINATION OF ACTUARIAL VALUE OF ASSETS		
1. Cost Value of Assets Available for Benefits (D5)		\$2,576,920
2. Market Value (D5)	\$2,686,577	
3. Cost Value (D5)	2,576,920	
4. Market Over Cost: (F2-F3)	<u>\$109,657</u>	
5. 1/3 of Market Over Cost: (F4)/3		36,552
6. Actuarial Value of Assets (F1+F5) (Same as "Current Assets")		<u>\$2,613,472</u>

TABLE 2

STATE EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT FUND
CHANGE IN ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS
(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1992

	<u>Market Value</u>	<u>Cost Value</u>
A. ASSETS AVAILABLE AT BEGINNING OF PERIOD	\$2,378,201	\$2,267,368
B. OPERATING REVENUES		
1. Member Contributions	\$58,478	\$58,478
2. Employer Contributions	59,244	59,244
3. Investment Income	179,453	179,453
4. MPRIF Income	81,437	81,437
5. Net Realized Gain (Loss)	36,989	36,989
6. Other	1,569	1,569
7. Net Change in Unrealized Gain (Loss)	(1,176)	0
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8. Total Revenue	\$415,994	\$417,170
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C. OPERATING EXPENSES		
1. Service Retirements	\$95,010	\$95,010
2. Disability Benefits	0	0
3. Survivor Benefits	0	0
4. Refunds	6,492	6,492
5. Expenses	3,664	3,664
6. Other	2,452	2,452
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7. Total Disbursements	\$107,618	\$107,618
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D. OTHER CHANGES IN RESERVES	0	0
E. ASSETS AVAILABLE AT END OF PERIOD	\$2,686,577	\$2,576,920
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TABLE 3

STATE EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT FUND

ACTIVE MEMBERS AS OF JUNE 30, 1992

AGE	YEARS OF SERVICE								ALL
	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30+	
<25	862	393	49						1,304
25-29	964	2,068	1,247	141					4,420
30-34	736	2,047	2,663	1,618	150				7,214
35-39	603	1,848	2,559	2,299	1,543	187			9,039
40-44	499	1,571	2,070	1,711	2,213	1,180	187		9,431
45-49	354	851	1,382	1,042	1,243	1,228	750	56	6,906
50-54	193	465	783	773	766	551	727	484	4,742
55-59	116	289	510	460	622	456	398	504	3,355
60-64	61	157	272	372	374	345	250	264	2,095
65+	44	53	96	128	148	102	64	73	708
ALL	4,432	9,742	11,631	8,544	7,059	4,049	2,376	1,381	49,214

AVERAGE ANNUAL EARNINGS

AGE	YEARS OF SERVICE								ALL
	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30+	
<25	15,360	20,113	17,893						16,888
25-29	19,527	25,365	28,496	25,768					24,988
30-34	18,769	26,810	30,781	30,398	29,098				28,308
35-39	19,967	28,224	31,851	33,634	33,519	32,879			31,076
40-44	20,979	28,805	32,837	34,527	37,419	37,132	35,952		33,519
45-49	20,948	29,640	32,542	34,740	38,197	41,082	40,235	42,544	35,375
50-54	19,433	27,648	32,606	33,397	36,866	39,280	40,810	43,153	35,511
55-59	17,908	26,927	32,316	33,072	34,530	37,129	39,725	44,043	35,163
60-64	12,344	26,965	29,639	31,525	34,741	35,954	36,706	44,518	33,939
65+	13,327	31,052	26,631	28,162	34,656	36,148	31,573	39,609	31,245
ALL	18,721	27,139	31,422	32,980	36,012	38,300	39,384	43,527	31,649

AGE	PRIOR FISCAL YEAR EARNINGS (IN MILLIONS) BY YEARS OF SERVICE								ALL
	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30+	
ALL	82	264	365	281	254	155	93	60	1,557

TABLE 4

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SERVICE RETIREMENTS AS OF JUNE 30, 1992

AGE	YEARS RETIRED							ALL
	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25+	
<50	1							1
50-54		3						3
55-59	193	203	1					397
60-64	435	703	332					1,470
65-69	319	1,368	1,299	49				3,035
70-74	41	254	1,714	871	11			2,891
75-79	4	13	289	1,630	452	11		2,399
80-84			13	89	1,285	102	10	1,499
85+				2	231	586	321	1,140
ALL	993	2,544	3,648	2,641	1,979	699	331	12,835

AVERAGE ANNUAL BENEFIT

AGE	YEARS RETIRED							ALL
	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25+	
<50	5,607							5,607
50-54		2,772						2,772
55-59	8,803	8,676	6,150					8,731
60-64	8,184	7,964	10,262					8,548
65-69	7,572	6,418	8,461	6,710				7,418
70-74	8,455	6,532	6,258	7,962	5,813			6,825
75-79	6,395	5,646	5,715	5,840	5,907	4,793		5,833
80-84			6,788	6,217	4,991	4,650	2,795	5,042
85+				3,701	6,262	4,030	4,019	4,479
ALL	8,109	7,029	7,366	6,567	5,353	4,133	3,982	6,618

TOTAL ANNUAL BENEFIT (IN THOUSANDS) BY YEARS RETIRED

AGE	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25+	ALL
ALL	8,052	17,881	26,871	17,343	10,593	2,888	1,318	84,942

TABLE 5

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SURVIVORS AS OF JUNE 30, 1992

AGE	YEARS SINCE DEATH							ALL
	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25+	
<50	10	17	12	1				40
50-54	7	12	6				1	26
55-59	10	28	20	2				60
60-64	18	62	36	12		1	1	130
65-69	10	64	58	45	9		2	188
70-74	26	56	40	67	14	1	2	206
75-79	16	36	11	40	48	3	6	160
80-84	10	9	2	9	56	17	18	121
85+	4	7	1		8	19	53	92
ALL	111	291	186	176	135	41	83	1,023

AVERAGE ANNUAL BENEFIT

AGE	YEARS SINCE DEATH							ALL
	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25+	
<50	2,929	4,223	3,735	2,974				3,722
50-54	7,516	6,171	5,772				3,381	6,334
55-59	6,080	5,769	4,747	4,783				5,447
60-64	6,641	6,568	4,763	5,345		2,103	4,265	5,913
65-69	7,168	6,276	6,801	6,397	4,076		1,707	6,361
70-74	5,752	6,085	5,931	6,025	4,082	2,408	2,933	5,809
75-79	4,867	5,640	6,383	6,352	5,039	4,783	2,655	5,484
80-84	3,903	4,488	3,831	3,372	6,201	3,962	2,991	4,842
85+	6,138	6,156	1,484		4,985	3,787	3,751	4,128
ALL	5,630	5,992	5,682	5,981	5,354	3,858	3,440	5,518

AGE	TOTAL ANNUAL BENEFIT (IN THOUSANDS) BY YEARS SINCE DEATH							ALL
	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25+	
ALL	624	1,743	1,056	1,052	722	158	285	5,644

TABLE 6

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DISABILITY RETIREMENTS AS OF JUNE 30, 1992

AGE	YEARS DISABLED							ALL
	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25+	
<50	23	30	9	4				66
50-54	9	22	9	2	2			44
55-59	12	34	18	7	2			73
60-64	28	47	27	15	1			118
65-69	3	24	58	38	20	4	2	149
70-74			18	86	28	5	2	139
75-79				26	70	8	2	106
80-84				1	12	11	7	31
85+						4	13	17
ALL	75	157	139	179	135	32	26	743

AVERAGE ANNUAL BENEFIT

AGE	YEARS DISABLED							ALL
	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25+	
<50	4,453	4,099	3,563	5,106				4,210
50-54	6,447	5,810	4,753	5,608	3,211			5,597
55-59	7,476	5,731	5,497	3,784	1,849			5,667
60-64	5,719	4,974	4,695	5,697	2,448			5,157
65-69	4,649	4,564	4,268	6,080	3,642	3,352	4,801	4,684
70-74			4,176	5,194	4,186	3,739	2,867	4,773
75-79				3,428	4,510	3,620	3,434	4,157
80-84				3,418	3,974	3,808	5,159	4,165
85+						3,743	3,439	3,511
ALL	5,656	5,025	4,484	5,105	4,193	3,685	3,963	4,761

TOTAL ANNUAL BENEFIT (IN THOUSANDS) BY YEARS DISABLED								
AGE	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25+	ALL
ALL	424	788	623	913	566	117	103	3,537

TABLE 7

STATE EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT FUND
RECONCILIATION OF MEMBERS

		<u>Terminated</u>	
		<u>Deferred Retirement</u>	<u>Other Non-Vested</u>
	<u>Actives</u>		
A. ON JUNE 30, 1991	49,718	2,216	4,152
B. ADDITIONS	4,017	856	1,302
C. DELETIONS			
1. Service Retirement	(847)	(115)	(11)
2. Disability	(72)	(5)	0
3. Death	(70)	(8)	(4)
4. Terminated - Deferred	(701)	0	(40)
5. Terminated - Refund	(2,080)	(88)	(339)
6. Terminated - Other Non-Vested	(1,085)	0	0
7. Returned as Active	0	(83)	(139)
8. Transferred to Other Fund	0	0	(644)
D. DATA ADJUSTMENTS	334	(4)	(21)
Vested	38,274		
Non-Vested	10,940		
E. TOTAL ON JUNE 30, 1992	49,214	2,769	4,256

		<u>Recipients</u>	
		<u>Retirement Annuitants</u>	<u>Disabled</u>
			<u>Survivors</u>
A. ON JUNE 30, 1991	12,335	726	946
B. ADDITIONS	995	82	121
C. DELETIONS			
1. Service Retirement	0	0	0
2. Death	(476)	(57)	(34)
3. Annuity Expired	0	0	0
4. Returned as Active	0	0	0
D. DATA ADJUSTMENTS	(19)	(8)	(10)
E. TOTAL ON JUNE 30, 1992	12,835	743	1,023

TABLE 8

STATE EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT FUND

ACTUARIAL BALANCE SHEET
(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)

JULY 1, 1992

A.	CURRENT ASSETS (TABLE 1, F6)			\$2,613,472
B.	EXPECTED FUTURE ASSETS			
1.	Present Value of Expected Future Statutory Supplemental Contributions			\$454,587
2.	Present Value of Future Normal Costs			807,318
3.	Total Expected Future Assets			<u>\$1,261,905</u>
C.	TOTAL CURRENT AND EXPECTED FUTURE ASSETS			<u>\$3,875,377</u>
D.	CURRENT BENEFIT OBLIGATIONS	<u>Non-Vested</u>	<u>Vested</u>	<u>Total</u>
1.	Benefit Recipients			
a.	Retirement Annuities		\$892,784	\$892,784
b.	Disability Benefits		34,519	34,519
c.	Surviving Spouse and Child Benefits		59,888	59,888
2.	Deferred Retirements With Future Augmentation		53,420	53,420
3.	Former Members Without Vested Rights		2,573	2,573
4.	Active Members			
a.	Retirement Annuities	11,290	1,286,213	1,297,503
b.	Disability Benefits	46,718	0	46,718
c.	Survivor's Benefits	53,629	0	53,629
d.	Deferred Retirements	3,379	241,628	245,007
e.	Refund Liability Due to Death or Withdrawal	0	58,882	58,882
5.	Total Current Benefit Obligations	<u>\$115,016</u>	<u>\$2,629,907</u>	<u>\$2,744,923</u>
E.	EXPECTED FUTURE BENEFIT OBLIGATIONS			<u>\$1,187,694</u>
F.	TOTAL CURRENT AND EXPECTED FUTURE BENEFIT OBLIGATIONS			<u>\$3,932,617</u>
G.	CURRENT UNFUNDED ACTUARIAL LIABILITY (D5-A)			<u>\$131,451</u>
H.	CURRENT AND FUTURE UNFUNDED ACTUARIAL LIABILITY (F-C)			\$57,240

TABLE 9

STATE EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT FUND

DETERMINATION OF UNFUNDED ACTUARIAL ACCRUED LIABILITY (UAAL)
AND SUPPLEMENTAL CONTRIBUTION RATE
(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)

JULY 1, 1992

	Actuarial Present Value of Projected Benefits (1)	Actuarial Present Value of Future Normal Costs (2)	Actuarial Accrued Liability (3)=(1)-(2)
A. DETERMINATION OF ACTUARIAL ACCRUED LIABILITY (AAL)			
1. Active Members			
a. Retirement Annuities	\$2,228,242	\$477,146	\$1,751,096
b. Disability Benefits	80,503	22,779	57,724
c. Survivor's Benefit	90,329	23,113	67,216
d. Deferred Retirements	383,410	128,713	254,697
e. Refunds Due to Death or Withdrawal	106,949	155,567	(48,618)
f. Total	<u>\$2,889,433</u>	<u>\$807,318</u>	<u>\$2,082,115</u>
2. Deferred Retirements With Future Augmentation	53,420		53,420
3. Former Members Without Vested Rights	2,573		2,573
4. Annuitants in MPRIF	981,047		981,047
5. Recipients Not in MPRIF	6,144		6,144
6. Total	<u>\$3,932,617</u> =====	<u>\$807,318</u> =====	<u>\$3,125,299</u> =====
B. DETERMINATION OF UNFUNDED ACTUARIAL ACCRUED LIABILITY (UAAL)			
1. AAL (A6)			\$3,125,299
2. Current Assets (Table 1, F6)			2,613,472
3. UAAL (B1-B2)			<u>\$511,827</u> =====
C. DETERMINATION OF SUPPLEMENTAL CONTRIBUTION RATE			
1. Present Value of Future Payrolls Through the Amortization Date of July 1, 2020			\$34,968,224
2. Supplemental Contribution Rate (B3/C1)			1.46%

TABLE 10

STATE EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT FUND

CHANGES IN UNFUNDED ACTUARIAL ACCRUED LIABILITY (UAAL)
(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1992

A.	UAAL AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	\$579,291
B.	CHANGE DUE TO INTEREST REQUIREMENTS AND CURRENT RATE OF FUNDING	
1.	Normal Cost and Expenses	\$100,101
2.	Contribution	(117,721)
3.	Interest on A, B1 and B2	48,491
4.	Total (B1+B2+B3)	\$30,871
C.	EXPECTED UAAL AT END OF YEAR (A+B4)	\$610,162
D.	INCREASE (DECREASE) DUE TO ACTUARIAL LOSSES (GAINS) BECAUSE OF EXPERIENCE DEVIATIONS FROM EXPECTED	
1.	Salary Increases	(\$53,359)
2.	Investment Return	(95,187)
3.	MPRIF Mortality	578
4.	Mortality of Other Benefit Recipients	51
5.	Other Items	49,582
6.	Total	(\$98,335)
E.	UAAL AT END OF YEAR BEFORE PLAN AMENDMENTS AND CHANGES IN ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTION (C+D5)	\$511,827
F.	CHANGE IN ACTUARIAL ACCRUED LIABILITY DUE TO PLAN AMENDMENTS	0
G.	CHANGE IN ACTUARIAL ACCRUED LIABILITY DUE TO CHANGES IN ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS	0
H.	UAAL AT END OF YEAR (E+F+G)	\$511,827

STATE EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT FUND
DETERMINATION OF CONTRIBUTION SUFFICIENCY
(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)

JULY 1, 1992

	<u>Percent of Payroll</u>	<u>Dollar Amount</u>
A. STATUTORY CONTRIBUTIONS - CHAPTER 352		
1. Employee Contributions	3.99%	\$66,186
2. Employer Contributions	4.12%	68,342
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3. Total	8.11%	\$134,528
	=====	=====
 B. REQUIRED CONTRIBUTIONS - CHAPTER 356		
1. Normal Cost		
a. Retirement Benefits	3.97%	\$65,919
b. Disability benefits	0.18%	3,042
c. Survivors	0.18%	3,064
d. Deferred Retirement Benefits	1.02%	16,991
e. Refunds Due to Death or Withdrawal	1.23%	20,332
	-----	-----
f. Total	6.58%	\$109,348
	-----	-----
2. Supplemental Contribution Amortization by July 1, 2020 of UAAL	1.46%	24,218
3. Allowance for Expenses	0.23%	3,815
	-----	-----
4. Total	8.27%	\$137,381
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C. CONTRIBUTION SUFFICIENCY (DEFICIENCY) [A3-B4]	-0.16%	(\$2,853)

Note: Projected Annual Payroll for Fiscal Year Beginning on July 1, 1992
is \$1,658,792.

STATE EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT FUND
SUMMARY OF ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS AND METHODS

Interest:	Pre-Retirement: 8.5% per annum Post-Retirement: 5.0% per annum
Salary Increases:	Reported salary at valuation date increased 6.5% to current fiscal year and 6.5% annually for each future year. Prior fiscal year salary is annualized for new Members.
Mortality:	Pre-Retirement: Male - 1971 Group Annuity Mortality Table Female - 1971 Group Annuity Mortality Table male rates set back eight years Post-Retirement: Male - Same as above Female - Same as above Post-Disability: Male - Combined Annuity Mortality Table Female - Combined Annuity Mortality Table
Retirement Age:	Graded rates beginning at age 58 as shown in rate table. Members who have attained the highest assumed retirement age will retire in one year. In addition, 25% of Members are assumed to retire each year that they are eligible for the Rule of 90.
Separation:	Graded rates based on actual experience developed by the June 30, 1971 experience analysis. Rates are shown in rate table.
Disability:	Rates adopted by MSRS as shown in rate table.
Expenses:	Prior year expenses expressed as a percentage of prior year payroll.
Return 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.

TABLE 12
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STATE EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT FUND
SUMMARY OF ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS AND METHODS

Family Composition:	85% of Members are assumed to be married. Female is three years younger than male.
Social Security:	N/A
Benefit Increases After Retirement:	Payment of earnings on retired reserves in excess of 5% accounted for by 5% post-retirement assumptions.
Special Consideration:	Married Members assumed to elect subsidized joint and survivor form of annuity as follows: Males - 25% elect 50% J&S option 45% elect 100% J&S option Females - 5% elect 50% J&S option 5% elect 100% J&S option
Actuarial Cost Method:	Entry Age Normal Actuarial Cost Method with normal costs expressed as a level percentage of earnings. Under this method, Actuarial Gains (Losses) reduce (increase) the Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability.
Asset Valuation Method:	Cost Value plus one-third Unrealized Gains or Losses.
Payment on the Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability:	A level percentage of payroll each year to the statutory amortization date assuming payroll increases of 6.5% per annum.

TABLE 12
(Continued)

STATE EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT FUND

SUMMARY OF ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS AND METHODS

Separation Expressed as Number of Occurrences Per 10,000:

Age	Death		Withdrawal		Disability		Retirement	
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
20	5	4	2,400	3,700	0	0	0	0
21	5	4	2,250	3,550	0	0	0	0
22	5	4	2,080	3,390	0	0	0	0
23	6	4	1,920	3,230	0	0	0	0
24	6	4	1,760	3,070	0	0	0	0
25	6	5	1,600	2,910	0	0	0	0
26	7	5	1,470	2,750	0	0	0	0
27	7	5	1,340	2,600	0	0	0	0
28	7	5	1,230	2,430	0	0	0	0
29	8	5	1,130	2,270	0	0	0	0
30	8	5	1,040	2,120	2	0	0	0
31	9	6	950	1,970	2	0	0	0
32	9	6	890	1,820	2	0	0	0
33	10	6	830	1,680	2	0	0	0
34	10	7	770	1,540	2	0	0	0
35	11	7	720	1,410	2	1	0	0
36	12	7	680	1,300	2	1	0	0
37	13	8	640	1,190	2	1	0	0
38	14	8	600	1,090	2	1	0	0
39	15	9	560	1,000	2	2	0	0
40	16	9	530	920	2	2	0	0
41	18	10	500	850	2	2	0	0
42	20	10	480	780	2	4	0	0
43	23	11	460	720	3	4	0	0
44	26	12	430	680	3	4	0	0
45	29	13	410	630	3	5	0	0
46	33	14	390	590	5	6	0	0
47	38	15	370	560	7	7	0	0
48	42	16	350	530	9	7	0	0
49	47	18	340	500	11	10	0	0

TABLE 12
(Continued)

STATE EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT FUND
SUMMARY OF ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS AND METHODS

Separation Expressed as Number of Occurrences Per 10,000:

Age	Death		Withdrawal		Disability		Retirement	
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
50	53	20	320	470	14	10	0	0
51	59	23	300	440	16	12	0	0
52	65	26	280	410	20	14	0	0
53	71	29	260	390	24	16	0	0
54	78	33	240	360	28	20	0	0
55	85	38	210	330	34	24	0	0
56	93	42	170	290	40	30	0	0
57	100	47	140	230	46	36	0	0
58	109	53	90	170	56	44	50	50
59	119	59	40	90	66	52	50	50
60	131	65	0	0	76	62	150	150
61	144	71	0	0	90	74	150	150
62	159	78	0	0	110	88	500	200
63	174	85	0	0	136	104	350	350
64	192	93	0	0	174	122	1,100	1,100
65	213	100	0	0	0	0	10,000	10,000
66	236	109	0	0	0	0	0	0
67	263	119	0	0	0	0	0	0
68	292	131	0	0	0	0	0	0
69	324	144	0	0	0	0	0	0
70	361	159	0	0	0	0	0	0

STATE EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT FUND

SUMMARY OF PLAN PROVISIONS

Eligibility:	State employees, non-academic staff of the University of Minnesota and employees of certain Metro level governmental units, unless excluded by law.
Contributions	
Member:	3.99% of salary unless there is a deficiency. (Amended 1992)
Employer:	4.12% of salary unless there is a deficiency. (Amended 1992)
Allowable Service:	Service during which Member contributions were made. May also include certain leaves of absence, military service and periods while temporary Worker's Compensation is paid.
Salary:	Includes wages, allowances and fees. Excludes lump-sum payments at separation.
Average Salary:	Average of the five highest successive years (60 successive months) of salary. Average salary is based on all Allowable Service if less than five years.

RETIREMENT

Normal Retirement Benefit

Eligibility:	<p>First hired before July 1, 1989: Age 65 and three years of Allowable Service. Proportionate Retirement Annuity is available at age 65 and one year of Allowable Service.</p> <p>First hired after June 30, 1989: The greater of age 65 or the age eligible for full Social Security retirement benefits and three years of Allowable Service. Proportionate Retirement Annuity is available at normal retirement age and one year of Allowable Service.</p>
Amount:	1.5% of average salary for each year of Allowable Service.

STATE EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT FUND

SUMMARY OF PLAN PROVISIONS

Early Retirement Benefit

Eligibility:

First hired before July 1, 1989:

Age 55 and three years of Allowable Service.

Any age with 30 years of Allowable Service.

Rule of 90: Age plus Allowable Service totals 90.

First hired after June 30, 1989:

Age 55 with three years of Allowable Service.

Amount:

First hired before July 1, 1989:

The greater of

1% of average salary for each of the first 10 years of Allowable Service and 1.5% of average salary for each subsequent year with reduction of 0.25% for each month the Member is under age 65 at time of retirement or age 62 if 30 years of Allowable Service. No reduction if age plus years of Allowable Service totals 90;

OR

1.5% of average salary for each year of Allowable Service assuming augmentation to age 65 at 3% per year and actuarial reduction for each month the Member is under age 65.

First hired after June 30, 1989:

1.5% of average salary for each year of Allowable Service assuming augmentation to the age eligible for full Social Security retirement benefit at 3% per year and actuarial reduction for each month the Member is under the Social Security retirement age.

Form of Payment:

Life annuity with return on death of any balance of contributions over aggregate monthly payments. Actuarially equivalent options are:

50% or 100% joint and survivor with bounce back feature without additional reduction.
15 year certain and life thereafter.

STATE EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT FUND

SUMMARY OF PLAN PROVISIONS

Benefit Increases:

Benefits may be increased each January 1 depending on the investment performance of the Minnesota Post Retirement Investment Fund (MPRIF). A benefit recipient who has been receiving a benefit for at least 12 full months as of June 30 will receive a full increase. Benefit recipients receiving benefits for at least one full month but less than 12 full months will receive a partial increase.

Members retired under laws in effect before July 1, 1973 receive an additional lump-sum payment each year. In 1989, this lump-sum payment is the greater of \$25 times each full year of Allowable Service or \$400 per full year of service less any Social Security benefits received or annuity from a Minnesota public employee pension plan. In each following year, the lump-sum payment will increase by the same percentage increase that is applied to regular annuities paid from MPRIF.

DISABILITY

Disability Benefit

Eligibility:

Total and permanent disability before normal retirement age with three years of Allowable Service.

Amount:

Normal Retirement Benefit based on Allowable Service and average salary at disability without reduction for commencement before normal retirement age.

Payments stop if disability ceases or death occurs. Payments revert to a retirement annuity at normal retirement age. Benefits may be reduced on resumption of partial employment.

STATE EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT FUND

SUMMARY OF PLAN PROVISIONS

Form of Payment: Same as for retirement.

Benefit Increases: Same as for retirement.

Retirement After Disability

Eligibility: Normal retirement age with continued disability.

Amount: Any optional annuity continues. Otherwise, a normal retirement benefit equal to the disability benefit paid before normal retirement age, or an actuarially equivalent optional annuity.

Benefit Increases: Same as for retirement.

DEATH

Surviving Spouse
Optional Benefit

Eligibility: Member or former Member who dies before retirement or disability benefits commence, if age 50 with three years of Allowable Service or any age with 30 years of Allowable Service. If the Member dies before age 55 and has less than 30 years of Allowable Service, benefits commence when Member would have been age 55.

Amount: Surviving spouse receives the 100% joint and survivor benefit the Member could have elected if terminated. In lieu of this benefit, the surviving spouse may elect a refund of contributions with interest.

Benefit Increases: Same as for retirement.

STATE EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT FUND

SUMMARY OF PLAN PROVISIONS

Refund of Contributions

Eligibility: Active employee dies and survivor benefits are not payable, or a former employee dies before annuity begins, or a former employee who is not entitled to an annuity dies.

Amount: The Member's contributions with 5% interest if death occurred before May 16, 1989, and 6% interest if death occurred on or after May 16, 1989.

Eligibility: Retired or disabled annuitant who did not select an optional annuity dies, or the remaining recipient of an option dies.

Amount: The excess of the Member's contributions over all benefits paid.

TERMINATION

Refund of Contributions

Eligibility: Termination of state service.

Amount: Member's contributions with 5% interest compounded annually if termination occurred before May 16, 1989 and 6% interest compounded annually if termination occurred on or after May 16, 1989. A deferred annuity may be elected in lieu of a refund.

Deferred Benefit

Eligibility: Three years of Allowable Service.

Amount: Benefit computed under law in effect at termination and increased by the following annual percentage: 0% before 7/1/71; 5% from 7/1/71 to 1/1/81; and 3% thereafter until January 1 of the year following attainment of age 55 and 5% thereafter until the annuity begins. Amount is payable as a normal or early retirement.

TABLE 13
(Continued)

STATE EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT FUND

SUMMARY OF PLAN PROVISIONS

SIGNIFICANT CHANGES

Member and employer contributions reduced from 4.15% and 4.29% of Salary to 3.99% and 4.12%, respectively, unless there is a deficiency in which case the contributions will be increased to eliminate the deficiency.

STATE EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT FUND
MILITARY AFFAIRS CALCULATION

Section 352.85 of Chapter 352 of Minnesota Statutes provides that certain military affairs personnel may retire, with an unreduced benefit, at age 60. In addition, they may receive disability benefits upon being found disqualified for retention in active military duty. To fund these special benefits, employees and employer contribute an extra 1.6% of payroll.

To recognize the effect of the unreduced early retirement benefit available at age 60, we have assumed that all military affairs personnel will retire at age 60 or, if over age 60, one year from the valuation date.

The results of our calculations are as follows:

1.	Number of Active Members	3
2.	Projected Annual Earnings	\$108,215
3.	Normal Cost	
a.	Dollar Amount	\$ 11,575
b.	Percent of Payroll	10.69%

STATE EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT FUND

PILOTS CALCULATION

Section 352.86 of chapter 352 of Minnesota Statutes provides that certain transportation department pilots may retire, with an unreduced benefit, at age 62. In addition, they may receive disability benefits upon being found disqualified for retention as pilots. To fund these special benefits, employees and employer contribute an extra 1.6% of payroll.

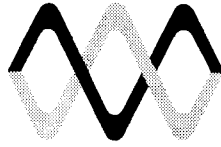
To recognize the effect of the unreduced early retirement benefit available at age 62, we have assumed that all pilots will retire at age 62 or, if over age 62, one year from the valuation date.

The results of our calculations are as follows:

1.	Number of Active Members	4
2.	Projected Annual Earnings	\$218,964
3.	Normal Cost	
a.	Dollar Amount	\$ 22,565
b.	Percent of Payroll	10.31%

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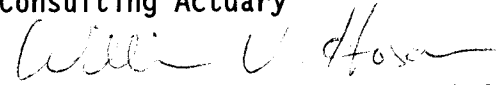
Pursuant to the terms of our Actuarial Services Contract, we have performed an actuarial valuation of the Fund as of July 1, 1992.

The results of our calculations are set forth in the following report, as are the actuarial assumptions upon which our calculations have been made. We have relied on the basic employee data and asset figures as submitted by the Minnesota State Retirement System.

On the basis of the foregoing, we hereby certify that, to the best of our knowledge and belief, this report is complete and accurate and has been prepared in accordance with the requirements of Section 356.215, Minnesota Statutes, and the requirements of the Standards for Actuarial Work, adopted by the Commission on September 20, 1989.

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REPORT HIGHLIGHTS (DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)

	<u>07/01/91 Valuation</u>	<u>07/01/92 Valuation</u>
A. CONTRIBUTIONS (Table 11)		
1. Statutory Contributions - Chapter 352B % of Payroll	23.38%	23.38%
2. Required Contributions - Chapter 356 % of Payroll	22.58%	22.27%
3. Sufficiency (Deficiency): (A.1. - A.2.)	0.80%	1.11%
B. FUNDING RATIOS		
1. Accrued Benefit Funding Ratio		
a. Current Assets (Table 1)	\$200,068	\$222,314
b. Current Benefit Obligations (Table 8)	\$214,626	\$224,479
c. Funding Ratio: (a/b)	93.22%	99.04%
2. Accrued Liability Funding Ratio		
a. Current Assets (Table 1)	\$200,068	\$222,314
b. Actuarial Accrued Liability (Table 9)	\$224,033	\$233,656
c. Funding Ratio: (a/b)	89.30%	95.15%
3. Projected Benefit Funding Ratio (Table 8)		
a. Current and Expected Future Assets	\$317,076	\$326,142
b. Current and Expected Future Benefit Obligations	\$310,536	\$317,456
c. Funding Ratio: (a/b)	102.11%	102.74%
C. PLAN PARTICIPANTS		
1. Active Members		
a. Number (Table 3)	809	795
b. Projected Annual Earnings	\$37,777	\$37,113
c. Average Annual Earnings (Actual \$)	\$46,696	\$46,683
d. Average Age	40.7	41.1
e. Average Service	13.6	14.0
2. Others		
a. Service Retirements (Table 4)	363	373
b. Disability Retirements (Table 5)	15	15
c. Survivors (Table 6)	109	109
d. Deferred Retirements (Table 7)	15	19
e. Terminated Other Non-vested (Table 7)	0	3
f. Total	502	519

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STATE PATROL RETIREMENT FUND

COMMENTARY

Purpose

The purpose of this valuation is to determine the financial status of the Plan. In order to achieve this purpose, an actuarial valuation is made at the beginning of each fiscal year as required by Section 356.215 of Minnesota Statutes.

Report Highlights

The financial status of the Plan can be measured by three different funding ratios:

) The Accrued Benefit Funding Ratio is a measure of current funding status and, when viewed over a period of years, presents a view of the funding progress. It is based upon benefits which have been earned by service to the valuation date. This year's ratio is 99.04%. The corresponding ratio for the prior year was 93.22%.

The Accrued Liability Funding Ratio is also a measure of funding status and funding progress. It is based on the actuarial cost method that has historically been used by the State. For 1992 the ratio is 95.15%, which is an increase from the 1991 value of 89.30%.

The Projected Benefit Funding Ratio is a measure of the adequacy or deficiency in the contribution level. This year's ratio of 102.74% verifies that the current statutory contributions are sufficient.

Asset Information (Tables 1 and 2)

Minnesota Statutes require that the asset value used for actuarial purposes

-) recognize only a third of the unrealized gains and losses. This requirement exists because market values (which include all unrealized gain and losses) are typically volatile and can produce erratic changes in the contribution requirements from year to year.

The calculation of the Actuarial Value of Assets is shown in Table 1 on lines F1 to F6. It combines the cost value of the Assets Available for Benefits and one-third of the difference between the market value and cost value of those assets.

The term "Actuarial Value of Assets" is used to indicate that the value was determined for use in this actuarial valuation. Since Minnesota Statutes refer to this value as "Current Assets", the latter phrase will be used in the remainder of this report.

- This Plan participates in the Minnesota Post Retirement Investment Fund (i.e. MPRIF). After the MPRIF liability has been calculated for each participating Plan, the State Board of Investments, (i.e. SBI), will determine each Plan's portion of the excess earnings for the January benefit increase as well as the Plan's allocated market share of MPRIF.
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Actuarial Balance Sheet (Table 8)

An actuarial balance sheet provides a method for evaluating current and future levels of funding.

The Current Benefit Obligation used to measure current funding levels is calculated in accordance with Statement No. 5 of the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB). Those requirements are:

For Active Members - salary and service are projected to retirement to determine benefits for each member and the ratio of credited service to total service establishes the portion of the projected benefit to be used in calculating the current funding level.

) For Non-active Members - the discounted value of benefits, including augmentation in cases where benefits have not commenced.

GASB Disclosure

The Current Benefit Obligation amounts in Table 8 are required to be disclosed by Statement No. 5 of the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB). However, Statement No. 5 uses the terms "Actuarial Present Value of Credited Projected Benefits" and "Pension Benefit Obligation" rather than "Current Benefit Obligation".

The July 1, 1992 Pension Benefit Obligation reported in Table 8 is reformatted for GASB reporting purposes in the following table:

Retirees and beneficiaries currently receiving benefits and terminated employees not yet receiving benefits	\$110,937,391
Current Employees	
Accumulated employee contributions including allocated investment income	\$24,126,625
Employer-financed vested	87,957,201
Employer-financed nonvested	1,457,025

Total Pension Benefit Obligation	\$224,478,242
Net Assets Available for Benefits at Cost	\$219,764,000
Total Benefit Obligation less Assets	\$4,714,242
Funded Ratio	97.90%

) Actuarial Cost Method (Table 9)

The approach used by the State of Minnesota to determine contribution sufficiency is the Entry Age Normal Actuarial Cost Method. The primary characteristic of this method is that it allocates costs as a level percentage of payroll.

A comparison of this actuarial method (Table 9) to the actuarial balance sheet (Table 8) illustrates the two techniques for allocating liabilities of active Members to past and future. As noted in the prior section, the balance sheet allocates benefits and the corresponding liabilities, on the basis of service. The method used in Table 9 allocates liabilities so that the cost each year will be a constant percentage of payroll. Both approaches, however, calculate the value of all future benefits the same way (see line F of Table 8 and line A6, column 1, of Table 9).

An Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability is computed under the Entry Age Normal Actuarial Cost Method by comparing the liabilities allocated to past service (Actuarial Accrued Liability) to the Current Assets. This amount, line B3, is funded over the remaining years to the amortization date by a series of payments that remain a constant percentage of payroll each year.

The payments will increase 6.5% each year because that is the assumed rate of increase in payroll. Although the payment schedule will be adequate to amortize the existing unfunded, the lower payments in the earlier years will not be sufficient to cover the interest on the unfunded liability. After a few years, the annual payment will cover the interest and also repay a portion of the unfunded.

Sources of Actuarial Gains and Losses (Table 10)

The assumptions used in making the calculations using the Entry Age Normal Actuarial Cost Method are based on long-term expectations. Each year the actual experience will deviate from the long-term expectation. For a detailed analysis of the major components, refer to Table 10.

) Contribution Sufficiency (Table 11)

This report determines the adequacy of Statutory Contributions by comparing the Statutory Contributions to the Required Contributions.

The Required Contributions, set forth in Chapter 356, consist of:

Normal costs based on the Entry Age Normal Actuarial Cost Method.

A Supplemental Contribution for amortizing any Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability.

An Allowance for Expenses.

Table 11 shows the Plan has a contribution sufficiency since the Statutory Contribution Rate is 23.38% compared to the Required Contribution Rate of 22.27%.

) Changes in Actuarial Assumptions

The actuarial assumptions are the same as those used in the prior valuation.

Paragraph X.1.4 of the Actuarial Standards requires that the Actuarial Present Value of Compensation for purposes of determining the Normal Cost of the Fund be calculated assuming mid-year payments. Previously, beginning of year payments were assumed. This change in methodology results in an increase of 0.99% of payroll in the Normal Cost and a decrease in the Contribution Sufficiency of the Fund.

Changes in Plan Provisions

There were no changes in plan provisions since the prior valuation which impacted funding costs.

TABLE 1

STATE PATROL RETIREMENT FUND

ACCOUNTING BALANCE SHEET
(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)

JULY 1, 1992

	<u>Market Value</u>	<u>Cost Value</u>
A. ASSETS		
1. Cash, Equivalents, Short-term Securities	\$2,744	\$2,744
2. Investments		
a. Fixed Income	35,882	34,993
b. Equity	81,897	74,861
c. Real Estate	5,589	5,864
3. Equity in Minnesota Post-Retirement Investment Fund (MPRIF)	101,509	101,509
4. Other	287	287
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B. TOTAL ASSETS	\$227,908	\$220,258
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C. AMOUNTS CURRENTLY PAYABLE	\$494	\$494
D. ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS		
1. Member Reserves	\$24,742	\$24,742
2. Employer Reserves	94,082	86,432
3. MPRIF Reserves	101,509	101,509
4. Non-MPRIF Reserves	7,081	7,081
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5. Total Assets Available for Benefits	\$227,414	\$219,764
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E. TOTAL AMOUNTS CURRENTLY PAYABLE AND ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS	\$227,908	\$220,258
	=====	=====
F. DETERMINATION OF ACTUARIAL VALUE OF ASSETS		
1. Cost Value of Assets Available for Benefits (D5)		\$219,764
2. Market Value (D5)	\$227,414	
3. Cost Value (D5)	219,764	

4. Market Over Cost: (F2-F3)	\$7,650	
5. 1/3 of Market Over Cost: (F4)/3		2,550

6. Actuarial Value of Assets (F1+F5) (Same as "Current Assets")		\$222,314
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TABLE 2

STATE PATROL RETIREMENT FUND
CHANGE IN ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS
(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1992

	<u>Market Value</u>	<u>Cost Value</u>
A. ASSETS AVAILABLE AT BEGINNING OF PERIOD	\$205,198	\$197,503
B. OPERATING REVENUES		
1. Member Contributions	\$2,795	\$2,795
2. Employer Contributions	4,893	4,893
3. Investment Income	13,197	13,197
4. MPRIF Income	8,675	8,675
5. Net Realized Gain (Loss)	2,697	2,697
6. Other	0	0
7. Net Change in Unrealized Gain (Loss)	(45)	0
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8. Total Revenue	\$32,212	\$32,257
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C. OPERATING EXPENSES		
1. Service Retirements	\$9,603	\$9,603
2. Disability Benefits	0	0
3. Survivor Benefits	0	0
4. Refunds	74	74
5. Expenses	238	238
6. Other	81	81
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7. Total Disbursements	\$9,996	\$9,996
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D. OTHER CHANGES IN RESERVES	0	0
E. ASSETS AVAILABLE AT END OF PERIOD	\$227,414	\$219,764
	=====	=====

TABLE 3

STATE PATROL RETIREMENT FUND

ACTIVE MEMBERS AS OF JUNE 30, 1992

AGE	YEARS OF SERVICE								ALL
	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30+	
<25	3	7							10
25-29	6	48	14						68
30-34	3	31	62	26	1				123
35-39		25	32	73	20				150
40-44	1	13	11	31	55	28			139
45-49	1	6	3	10	28	80	33		161
50-54		1		2	5	43	50	8	109
55-59	1	1		1	1	4	8	9	25
60-64					1	1		4	6
65+							1	3	4
ALL	15	132	122	143	111	156	92	24	795

AVERAGE ANNUAL EARNINGS

AGE	YEARS OF SERVICE								ALL
	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30+	
<25	27,506	34,854							32,650
25-29	32,163	35,736	40,289						36,358
30-34	37,935	34,411	40,513	45,003	65,230				40,062
35-39		38,329	40,846	44,075	47,333				42,863
40-44	39,927	41,721	42,678	44,820	47,419	49,345			46,265
45-49	39,927	42,184	39,021	45,795	48,770	47,083	45,529		46,601
50-54		41,460		44,148	46,806	47,676	46,398	48,247	46,970
55-59	39,927	45,327		40,694	53,895	51,002	50,324	45,771	47,935
60-64					43,259	44,769		45,786	45,195
65+							43,454	41,987	42,354
ALL	33,939	36,868	40,733	44,503	47,898	47,738	46,396	46,126	43,834

AGE	PRIOR FISCAL YEAR EARNINGS (IN THOUSANDS) BY YEARS OF SERVICE								ALL
	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30+	
ALL	509	4,866	4,969	6,363	5,316	7,447	4,268	1,107	34,848

TABLE 4

STATE PATROL RETIREMENT FUND

SERVICE RETIREMENTS AS OF JUNE 30, 1992

AGE	YEARS RETIRED							ALL
	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25+	
<50								
50-54	2	1						3
55-59	14	46						60
60-64	2	28	60					90
65-69		6	42	54	1			103
70-74		1	10	31	18			60
75-79			1	12	13	11		37
80-84					1	5	6	12
85+					1		7	8
ALL	18	82	113	97	34	16	13	373

AVERAGE ANNUAL BENEFIT

AGE	YEARS RETIRED							ALL
	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25+	
<50								
50-54	21,726	16,896						20,116
55-59	26,545	25,038						25,390
60-64	23,514	27,113	21,707					23,429
65-69		15,954	24,567	22,660	14,512			22,968
70-74		17,175	22,050	23,562	16,604			21,116
75-79			19,479	16,978	18,465	14,727		16,899
80-84					19,536	22,257	13,921	17,862
85+					11,674		15,392	14,927
ALL	25,673	24,887	22,781	22,245	17,195	17,080	14,713	22,209

TOTAL ANNUAL BENEFIT (IN THOUSANDS) BY YEARS RETIRED

AGE	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25+	ALL
ALL	462	2,040	2,574	2,157	584	273	191	8,283

TABLE 5

STATE PATROL RETIREMENT FUND

SURVIVORS AS OF JUNE 30, 1992

AGE	YEARS SINCE DEATH							ALL
	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25+	
<50		1			1			2
50-54		2						2
55-59		2		2				4
60-64	1	3	1	3	3		2	13
65-69	1	2	1	5	4	1		14
70-74		3	1	4	4	1	3	16
75-79	1	4			2	4	5	16
80-84	1	3			1	4	12	21
85+		3			1	3	14	21
ALL	4	23	3	14	16	13	36	109

AVERAGE ANNUAL BENEFIT

AGE	YEARS SINCE DEATH							ALL
	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25+	
<50		6,767			4,325			5,546
50-54		3,803						3,803
55-59		12,454		20,437				16,446
60-64	5,746	10,138	19,699	18,289	8,550		7,377	11,625
65-69	13,603	10,725	20,967	21,579	14,217	11,309		16,578
70-74		15,163	16,483	15,836	9,857	17,099	8,250	12,912
75-79	14,158	8,968			10,809	14,738	8,422	10,794
80-84	7,747	12,196			12,816	13,912	9,428	10,759
85+		10,266			7,305	10,448	9,876	9,891
ALL	10,314	10,430	19,050	19,070	10,501	13,412	9,250	11,749

TOTAL ANNUAL BENEFIT (IN THOUSANDS) BY YEARS SINCE DEATH

AGE	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25+	ALL
ALL	41	239	57	266	168	174	333	1,280

TABLE 6

STATE PATROL RETIREMENT FUND

DISABILITY RETIREMENTS AS OF JUNE 30, 1992

AGE	YEARS DISABLED							ALL
	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25+	
<50	1	1						2
50-54			1	1				2
55-59		2	1					3
60-64				1	2			3
65-69				2	3			5
70-74								
75-79								
80-84								
85+								
ALL	1	3	2	4	5			15

AVERAGE ANNUAL BENEFIT

AGE	YEARS DISABLED							ALL
	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25+	
<50	14,736	4,998						9,867
50-54			18,443	11,544				14,994
55-59		22,484	25,581					23,516
60-64				16,990	12,892			14,258
65-69				19,660	15,550			17,194
70-74								
75-79								
80-84								
85+								
ALL	14,736	16,655	22,012	16,964	14,487			16,601

TOTAL ANNUAL BENEFIT (ACTUAL DOLLARS) BY YEARS DISABLED								
AGE	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25+	ALL
ALL	14,736	49,965	44,024	67,856	72,435			249,015

TABLE 7

STATE PATROL RETIREMENT FUND
RECONCILIATION OF MEMBERS

		<u>Terminated</u>	
		<u>Deferred Retirement</u>	<u>Other Non-Vested</u>
	<u>Actives</u>		
A. ON JUNE 30, 1991	809	15	0
B. ADDITIONS	15	5	1
C. DELETIONS			
1. Service Retirement	(18)	0	0
2. Disability	0	(1)	0
3. Death	(2)	0	0
4. Terminated - Deferred	(5)	0	0
5. Terminated - Refund	(2)	0	0
6. Terminated - Other Non-Vested	(1)	0	0
7. Returned as Active	0	0	0
8. Transferred to Other Fund	0	0	0
D. DATA ADJUSTMENTS	(1)	0	2
Vested	694		
Non-Vested	101		
E. TOTAL ON JUNE 30, 1992	795	19	3

		<u>Recipients</u>	
		<u>Retirement Annuitants</u>	<u>Disabled</u>
			<u>Survivors</u>
A. ON JUNE 30, 1991	363	15	109
B. ADDITIONS	20	2	5
C. DELETIONS			
1. Service Retirement	0	0	0
2. Death	(9)	(2)	(3)
3. Annuity Expired	0	0	0
4. Returned as Active	0	0	0
D. DATA ADJUSTMENTS	(1)	0	(2)
E. TOTAL ON JUNE 30, 1992	373	15	109

TABLE 8

STATE PATROL RETIREMENT FUND

ACTUARIAL BALANCE SHEET
(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)

JULY 1, 1992

A.	CURRENT ASSETS (TABLE 1, F6)			\$222,314
B.	EXPECTED FUTURE ASSETS			
1.	Present Value of Expected Future Statutory Supplemental Contributions			\$20,028
2.	Present Value of Future Normal Costs			83,800
3.	Total Expected Future Assets			<u>\$103,828</u>
C.	TOTAL CURRENT AND EXPECTED FUTURE ASSETS			<u>\$326,142</u>
D.	CURRENT BENEFIT OBLIGATIONS	<u>Non-Vested</u>	<u>Vested</u>	<u>Total</u>
1.	Benefit Recipients			
a.	Retirement Annuities		\$91,670	\$91,670
b.	Disability Benefits		3,132	3,132
c.	Surviving Spouse and Child Benefits		13,788	13,788
2.	Deferred Retirements With Future Augmentation		2,241	2,241
3.	Former Members Without Vested Rights		107	107
4.	Active Members			
a.	Retirement Annuities	794	85,253	86,047
b.	Disability Benefits	10,104	0	10,104
c.	Survivor's Benefits	9,485	0	9,485
d.	Deferred Retirements	115	7,440	7,555
e.	Refund Liability Due to Death or Withdrawal	0	350	350
5.	Total Current Benefit Obligations	<u>\$20,498</u>	<u>\$203,981</u>	<u>\$224,479</u>
E.	EXPECTED FUTURE BENEFIT OBLIGATIONS			<u>\$92,977</u>
F.	TOTAL CURRENT AND EXPECTED FUTURE BENEFIT OBLIGATIONS			<u>\$317,456</u>
G.	CURRENT UNFUNDED ACTUARIAL LIABILITY (D5-A)			<u>\$2,165</u>
H.	CURRENT AND FUTURE UNFUNDED ACTUARIAL LIABILITY (F-C)			(\$8,686)

TABLE 9

STATE PATROL RETIREMENT FUND

DETERMINATION OF UNFUNDED ACTUARIAL ACCRUED LIABILITY (UAAL)
AND SUPPLEMENTAL CONTRIBUTION RATE
(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)

JULY 1, 1992

	Actuarial Present Value of Projected Benefits (1)	Actuarial Present Value of Future Normal Costs (2)	Actuarial Accrued Liability (3)=(1)-(2)
A. DETERMINATION OF ACTUARIAL ACCRUED LIABILITY (AAL)			
1. Active Members			
a. Retirement Annuities	\$159,033	\$56,758	\$102,275
b. Disability Benefits	17,595	9,655	7,940
c. Survivor's Benefit	16,402	9,727	6,675
d. Deferred Retirements	12,905	6,327	6,578
e. Refunds Due to Death or Withdrawal	583	1,333	(750)
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f. Total	\$206,518	\$83,800	\$122,718
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2. Deferred Retirements With Future Augmentation	2,241		2,241
3. Former Members Without Vested Rights	107		107
4. Annuitants in MPRIF	101,509		101,509
5. Recipients Not in MPRIF	7,081		7,081
	-----	-----	-----
6. Total	\$317,456	\$83,800	\$233,656
	=====	=====	=====
B. DETERMINATION OF UNFUNDED ACTUARIAL ACCRUED LIABILITY (UAAL)			
1. AAL (A6)			\$233,656
2. Current Assets (Table 1, F6)			222,314

3. UAAL (B1-B2)			\$11,342
			=====
C. DETERMINATION OF SUPPLEMENTAL CONTRIBUTION RATE			
1. Present Value of Future Payrolls Through the Amortization Date of July 1, 2020			\$782,358
2. Supplemental Contribution Rate (B3/C1)			1.45%

TABLE 9
(Continued)

STATE PATROL RETIREMENT FUND
DETERMINATION OF UNFUNDED ACTUARIAL ACCRUED LIABILITY (UAAL)
AND SUPPLEMENTAL CONTRIBUTION RATE
(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)

JULY 1, 1992

D. BREAKDOWN OF PRESENT VALUE OF BENEFITS FOR RECIPIENTS NOT IN MPRIF

1.	Disabilities	\$ 845
2.	6% Payments (Pre-73)	5,491
3.	Lump Sum (Pre-73)	<u>745</u>
4.	Total	<u><u>\$7,081</u></u>

Percent of Future Payroll Through July 1, 2020 Necessary to Support 6% Payments (D2/C1)	.70%
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TABLE 10

STATE PATROL RETIREMENT FUND

CHANGES IN UNFUNDED ACTUARIAL ACCRUED LIABILITY (UAAL)
(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1992

A.	UAAL AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	\$23,965
B.	CHANGE DUE TO INTEREST REQUIREMENTS AND CURRENT RATE OF FUNDING	
1.	Normal Cost and Expenses	\$7,422
2.	Contribution	(7,688)
3.	Interest on A, B1 and B2	2,026

4.	Total (B1+B2+B3)	\$1,760

C.	EXPECTED UAAL AT END OF YEAR (A+B4)	\$25,725
D.	INCREASE (DECREASE) DUE TO ACTUARIAL LOSSES (GAINS) BECAUSE OF EXPERIENCE DEVIATIONS FROM EXPECTED	
1.	Salary Increases	(\$8,498)
2.	Investment Return	(6,922)
3.	MPRIF Mortality	368
4.	Mortality of Other Benefit Recipients	(2)
5.	Other Items	671

6.	Total	(\$14,383)

E.	UAAL AT END OF YEAR BEFORE PLAN AMENDMENTS AND CHANGES IN ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTION (C+D5)	\$11,342
F.	CHANGE IN ACTUARIAL ACCRUED LIABILITY DUE TO PLAN AMENDMENTS	0
G.	CHANGE IN ACTUARIAL ACCRUED LIABILITY DUE TO CHANGES IN ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS	0

H.	UAAL AT END OF YEAR (E+F+G)	\$11,342
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STATE PATROL RETIREMENT FUND
DETERMINATION OF CONTRIBUTION SUFFICIENCY
(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)

JULY 1, 1992

	<u>Percent of Payroll</u>	<u>Dollar Amount</u>
A. STATUTORY CONTRIBUTIONS - CHAPTER 352B		
1. Employee Contributions	8.50%	\$3,155
2. Employer Contributions	14.88%	5,522
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3. Total	23.38%	\$8,677
	=====	=====
 B. REQUIRED CONTRIBUTIONS - CHAPTER 356		
1. Normal Cost		
a. Retirement Benefits	13.64%	\$5,061
b. Disability benefits	2.36%	876
c. Survivors	2.41%	895
d. Deferred Retirement Benefits	1.51%	561
e. Refunds Due to Death or Withdrawal	0.27%	99
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f. Total	20.19%	\$7,492
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2. Supplemental Contribution Amortization by July 1, 2020 of UAAL	1.45%	538
3. Allowance for Expenses	0.63%	234
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4. Total	22.27%	\$8,264
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C. CONTRIBUTION SUFFICIENCY (DEFICIENCY) [A3-B4]	1.11%	\$413

Note: Projected Annual Payroll for Fiscal Year Beginning on July 1, 1992
is \$37,113.

STATE PATROL RETIREMENT FUND
SUMMARY OF ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS AND METHODS

Interest:	Pre-Retirement: 8.5% per annum
	Post-Retirement: 5.0% per annum
Salary Increases:	Reported salary at Valuation Date increased 6.5% to current fiscal year and 6.5% annually for each future year.
Mortality:	Pre-Retirement:
	Male - 1971 Group Annuity Mortality Table
	Female - 1971 Group Annuity Mortality Table
	male rates set back eight years
	Post-Retirement:
	Male - Same as above
	Female - Same as above
	Post-Disability:
	Male - Same as above
	Female - Same as above
Retirement Age:	Age 58 for State Troopers and for State Police Officers hired after June 30, 1961 or age 63 for State Police Officers hired before July 1, 1961. If over assumed retirement age, one year from the valuation date.
Separation:	Graded rates starting at .03 at age 20 and decreasing to .005 at age 45-49 and .02 for ages 50-54. Adopted 1984.
Disability:	Rates adopted by MSRS as shown in rate table.
Administrative and Investment Expenses:	Prior year expenses expressed as percentage of prior year payroll.
Return 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.

TABLE 12
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STATE PATROL RETIREMENT FUND

SUMMARY OF ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS AND METHODS

Family Composition:	100% of Members are married. Female is three years younger than male. Each Member is assumed to have two children whose ages are dependent upon the Member's age. Assumed first child is born at Member's age 28 and second child is born at Member's age 31.
Social Security:	N/A
Benefit Increases After Retirement:	Payment of earnings on retired reserves in excess of 5% accounted for by 5% post-retirement assumptions.
Special Consideration:	Married Members assumed to elect subsidized joint and survivor form of annuity as follows: Males - 25% elect 50% J&S option 25% elect 100% J&S option Females - 5% elect 50% J&S option 5% elect 100% J&S option
Actuarial Cost Method:	Entry Age Normal Actuarial Cost Method based on earnings and the date the employee entered the plan is applied to all plan benefits. Under this method, Actuarial Gains (Losses) reduce (increase) the Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability.
Asset Valuation Method:	Cost Value plus one-third Unrealized Gains or Losses.
Payment on the Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability:	A level percentage of payroll each year to the statutory amortization date assuming payroll increases of 6.5% per annum.

TABLE 12
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STATE PATROL RETIREMENT FUND
SUMMARY ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS AND METHODS

Separation Expressed as Number of Occurrences Per 10,000:

Age	<u>Death</u>		<u>Withdrawal</u>		<u>Disability</u>		<u>Retirement</u>	
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
20	5	4	300	300	4	4	0	0
21	5	4	290	289	4	4	0	0
22	5	4	280	280	5	5	0	0
23	6	4	270	270	5	5	0	0
24	6	4	260	260	6	6	0	0
25	6	5	250	250	6	6	0	0
26	7	5	240	240	6	6	0	0
27	7	5	230	230	7	7	0	0
28	7	5	220	220	7	7	0	0
29	8	5	210	210	8	8	0	0
30	8	5	200	200	8	8	0	0
31	9	6	190	190	9	9	0	0
32	9	6	180	180	9	9	0	0
33	10	6	170	170	10	10	0	0
34	10	7	160	160	10	10	0	0
35	11	7	150	150	11	11	0	0
36	12	7	140	140	12	12	0	0
37	13	8	130	130	13	13	0	0
38	14	8	120	120	15	15	0	0
39	15	9	110	110	16	16	0	0
40	16	9	100	100	18	18	0	0
41	18	10	90	90	20	20	0	0
42	20	10	80	80	22	22	0	0
43	23	11	70	70	24	24	0	0
44	26	12	60	60	26	26	0	0
45	29	13	50	50	29	29	0	0
46	33	14	50	50	32	32	0	0
47	38	15	50	50	36	36	0	0
48	42	16	50	50	41	41	0	0
49	47	18	50	50	46	46	0	0

TABLE 12
(Continued)

STATE PATROL RETIREMENT FUND
SUMMARY ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS AND METHODS

Separation Expressed as Number of Occurrences Per 10,000:

Age	Death		Withdrawal		Disability		Retirement	
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
50	53	20	200	200	50	50	0	0
51	59	23	200	200	57	57	0	0
52	65	26	200	200	64	64	0	0
53	71	29	200	200	72	72	0	0
54	78	33	200	200	80	80	0	0
55	85	38	0	0	88	88	0	0
56	93	42	0	0	98	98	0	0
57	100	47	0	0	108	108	0	0
58	109	53	0	0	118	118	10,000	10,000
59	119	59	0	0	129	129	0	0
60	131	65	0	0	141	141	0	0
61	144	71	0	0	154	154	0	0
62	159	78	0	0	167	167	0	0
63	174	85	0	0	0	0	0	0
64	192	93	0	0	0	0	0	0
65	213	100	0	0	0	0	0	0
66	236	109	0	0	0	0	0	0
67	163	119	0	0	0	0	0	0
68	292	131	0	0	0	0	0	0
69	324	144	0	0	0	0	0	0
70	361	159	0	0	0	0	0	0

STATE PATROL RETIREMENT FUND
SUMMARY OF PLAN PROVISIONS

Eligibility:	State trooper, conservation officers and certain crime bureau officers.
Contributions	
Member:	8.50% of salary.
Employer:	14.88% of salary. (Amended 1990)
Allowable Service:	Service during which Member contributions were deducted. Includes period receiving temporary Workers' Compensation. Allowable Service for benefit purposes stops at age 60 for new Members and most of the current Members.
Salary:	Salaries excluding lump-sum payments at separation.
Average Salary:	Average of the five highest successive years of salary. Average Salary is based on all Allowable Service if less than five years.

RETIREMENT

Normal Retirement Benefit

Eligibility:	Age 55 and three years of Allowable Service.
Amount:	2.5% of Average Salary for each year of Allowable Service.

Early Retirement Benefit

Eligibility:	Age 50 and five years of Allowable Service.
Amount:	Normal Retirement Benefit based on Allowable Service and Average Salary at retirement reduced to the actuarial equivalent of the benefit that would be payable if the Member deferred the benefit until age 55.

STATE PATROL RETIREMENT FUND

SUMMARY OF PLAN PROVISIONS

Form of Payment: Life annuity.

Actuarially equivalent options are:

50% or 100% joint and survivor with bounce back feature without additional reduction.

Benefit Increases: Benefits may be increased each January 1 depending on the investment performance of the Minnesota Post Retirement Investment Fund (MPRIF). A benefit recipient who has been receiving a benefit for at least 12 full months as of June 30 will receive a full increase. Benefit recipients receiving benefits for at least one full month but less than 12 full months will receive a partial increase.

Members retired under laws in effect before June 1, 1973 receive an additional 6% supplement. Each year the supplement increases by 6% of the total annuity which includes both MPRIF and supplemental amounts.

Members retired under law in effect before June 1, 1973 receive an additional lump-sum payment each year. In 1989, this lump-sum payment is \$25 times each full year of Allowable Service or \$400 per year of service less any Social Security benefits received or annuity from a Minnesota public employee pension plan. In each following year, the lump-sum payment will increase by the same percentage increase that is applied to regular annuities paid from MPRIF.

DISABILITY

Occupational Disability Benefit

Eligibility: Member under age 55 who cannot perform his duties because of a disability directly resulting from an act of duty.

STATE PATROL RETIREMENT FUND

SUMMARY OF PLAN PROVISIONS

Amount: Normal Retirement Benefit based on Allowable Service (minimum of 20 years) and Average Salary at disability without reduction for commencement before age 55.

Payments cease at age 55 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

Eligibility: Under age 55 with 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 55 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.

Form of Payment: Same as for retirement.

Benefit Increases: Adjusted by MSRS to provide same increase as MPRIF.

Retirement After Disability

Eligibility: Age 55 with continued disability.

Amount: Optional annuity continues. Otherwise, a normal retirement annuity equal to disability benefit paid, or an actuarially equivalent option.

Form of Payment: Same as for retirement.

Benefit Increases: Same as for retirement.

STATE PATROL RETIREMENT FUND

SUMMARY OF PLAN PROVISIONS

DEATH

Surviving Spouse Benefit

Eligibility: Member who is active or receiving a disability benefit.

Amount: 50% of Annual Salary if member was active or occupational disability and either had less than three years of Allowable Service or was under age 55. Payment 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 of Allowable Service. A spouse who had been receiving the 50% benefit shall be entitled to the larger of the two. Payment for life.

Benefit Increases: Adjusted by MSRS to provide same increase as MPRIF.

Surviving Dependent
Children's Benefit

Eligibility: 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.

Refund of Contributions

Eligibility: Member dies before receiving any retirement benefits and survivor benefits are not payable.

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SUMMARY OF PLAN PROVISIONS

Amount: Member's contributions with 5% interest if death occurred before May 16, 1989 and 6% interest if death occurred on or after May 16, 1989.

TERMINATION

Refund of Contributions

Eligibility: Termination of state service.

Amount: Member's contributions with 5% interest compounded annually if termination occurred before May 16, 1989 and 6% interest if termination occurred on or after May 16, 1989.

Deferred Benefit

Eligibility: Three years of Allowable Service.

Amount: Benefit computed under law in effect at termination and increased by the following annual percentage: 0% before 7/1/71; 5% from 7/1/71 to 1/1/81; and 3% thereafter until the annuity begins. Amount is payable as a normal or early retirement.

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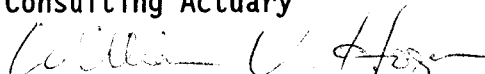
Pursuant to the terms of our Actuarial Services Contract, we have performed an actuarial valuation of the Fund as of July 1, 1992.

The results of our calculations are set forth in the following report, as are the actuarial assumptions upon which our calculations have been made. We have relied on the basic employee data and asset figures as submitted by the Minnesota State Retirement System.

On the basis of the foregoing, we hereby certify that, to the best of our knowledge and belief, this report is complete and accurate and has been prepared in accordance with the requirements of Section 356.215, Minnesota Statutes, and the requirements of the Standards for Actuarial Work, adopted by the Commission on September 20, 1989.

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REPORT HIGHLIGHTS (DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)

	<u>07/01/91 Valuation</u>	<u>07/01/92 Valuation</u>
A. CONTRIBUTIONS (Table 11)		
1. Statutory Contributions - Chapter 352 % of Payroll	11.17%	11.17%
2. Required Contributions - Chapter 356 % of Payroll	10.82%	11.41%
3. Sufficiency (Deficiency): (A.1. - A.2.)	0.35%	-0.24%
B. FUNDING RATIOS		
1. Accrued Benefit Funding Ratio		
a. Current Assets (Table 1)	\$105,925	\$121,051
b. Current Benefit Obligations (Table 8)	\$95,097	\$105,605
c. Funding Ratio: (a/b)	111.39%	114.63%
2. Accrued Liability Funding Ratio		
a. Current Assets (Table 1)	\$105,925	\$121,051
b. Actuarial Accrued Liability (Table 9)	\$112,171	\$123,515
c. Funding Ratio: (a/b)	94.43%	98.01%
3. Projected Benefit Funding Ratio (Table 8)		
a. Current and Expected Future Assets	\$160,099	\$170,534
b. Current and Expected Future Benefit Obligations	\$156,222	\$172,998
c. Funding Ratio: (a/b)	102.48%	98.58%
C. PLAN PARTICIPANTS		
1. Active Members		
a. Number (Table 3)	1,467	1,573
b. Projected Annual Earnings	\$50,821	\$56,044
c. Average Annual Earnings (Actual \$)	\$34,643	\$35,629
d. Average Age	37.7	38.2
e. Average Service	8.0	8.1
2. Others		
a. Service Retirements (Table 4)	358	363
b. Disability Retirements (Table 5)	12	17
c. Survivors (Table 6)	13	14
d. Deferred Retirements (Table 7)	157	181
e. Terminated Other Non-vested (Table 7)	48	44
f. Total	588	619

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CORRECTIONAL EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT FUND

COMMENTARY

Purpose

The purpose of this valuation is to determine the financial status of the Plan. In order to achieve this purpose, an actuarial valuation is made at the beginning of each fiscal year as required by Section 356.215 of Minnesota Statutes.

Report Highlights

The financial status of the Plan can be measured by three different funding ratios:

) The Accrued Benefit Funding Ratio is a measure of current funding status and, when viewed over a period of years, presents a view of the funding progress. It is based upon benefits which have been earned by service to the valuation date. This year's ratio is 114.63%. The corresponding ratio for the prior year was 111.39%.

The Accrued Liability Funding Ratio is also a measure of funding status and funding progress. It is based on the actuarial cost method that has historically been used by the State. For 1992 the ratio is 98.01%, which is an increase from the 1991 value of 94.43%.

The Projected Benefit Funding Ratio is a measure of the adequacy or deficiency in the contribution level. This year's ratio of 98.58% shows that the current statutory contributions are inadequate.

Asset Information (Tables 1 and 2)

) Minnesota Statutes require that the asset value used for actuarial purposes

) recognize only a third of the unrealized gains and losses. This requirement exists because market values (which include all unrealized gain and losses) are typically volatile and can produce erratic changes in the contribution requirements from year to year.

The calculation of the Actuarial Value of Assets is shown in Table 1 on lines F1 to F6. It combines the cost value of the Assets Available for Benefits and one-third of the difference between the market value and cost value of those assets.

The term "Actuarial Value of Assets" is used to indicate that the value was determined for use in this actuarial valuation. Since Minnesota Statutes refer to this value as "Current Assets", the latter phrase will be used in the remainder of this report.

) This Plan participates in the Minnesota Post Retirement Investment Fund (i.e. MPRIF). After the MPRIF liability has been calculated for each participating Plan, the State Board of Investments, (i.e. SBI), will determine each Plan's portion of the excess earnings for the January benefit increase as well as the Plan's allocated market share of MPRIF.

Actuarial Balance Sheet (Table 8)

An actuarial balance sheet provides a method for evaluating current and future levels of funding.

The Current Benefit Obligation used to measure current funding levels is calculated in accordance with Statement No. 5 of the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB). Those requirements are:

For Active Members - salary and service are projected to retirement to determine benefits for each member and the ratio of credited service to total service establishes the portion of the projected benefit to be used in calculating the current funding level.

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For Non-active Members - the discounted value of benefits, including augmentation in cases where benefits have not commenced.

GASB Disclosure

The Current Benefit Obligation amounts in Table 8 are required to be disclosed by Statement No. 5 of the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB). However, Statement No. 5 uses the terms "Actuarial Present Value of Credited Projected Benefits" and "Pension Benefit Obligation" rather than "Current Benefit Obligation".

The July 1, 1992 Pension Benefit Obligation reported in Table 8 is reformatted for GASB reporting purposes in the following table:

Retirees and beneficiaries currently receiving benefits and terminated employees not yet receiving benefits	\$43,501,342
Current Employees	
Accumulated employee contributions including allocated investment income	\$15,305,290
Employer-financed vested	45,062,394
Employer-financed nonvested	1,734,731

Total Pension Benefit Obligation	\$105,603,757
Net Assets Available for Benefits at Cost	\$119,122,000
Total Benefit Obligation less Assets	(\$13,518,243)
Funded Ratio	112.80%

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Actuarial Cost Method (Table 9)

The approach used by the State of Minnesota to determine contribution sufficiency is the Entry Age Normal Actuarial Cost Method. The primary characteristic of this method is that it allocates costs as a level percentage of payroll.

A comparison of this actuarial method (Table 9) to the actuarial balance sheet (Table 8) illustrates the two techniques for allocating liabilities of active Members to past and future. As noted in the prior section, the balance sheet allocates benefits and the corresponding liabilities, on the basis of service. The method used in Table 9 allocates liabilities so that the cost each year will be a constant percentage of payroll. Both approaches, however, calculate the value of all future benefits the same way (see line F of Table 8 and line A6, column 1, of Table 9).

) An Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability is computed under the Entry Age Normal Actuarial Cost Method by comparing the liabilities allocated to past service (Actuarial Accrued Liability) to the Current Assets. This amount, line B3, is funded over the remaining years to the amortization date by a series of payments that remain a constant percentage of payroll each year.

The payments will increase 6.5% each year because that is the assumed rate of increase in payroll. Although the payment schedule will be adequate to amortize the existing unfunded, the lower payments in the earlier years will not be sufficient to cover the interest on the unfunded liability. After a few years, the annual payment will cover the interest and also repay a portion of the unfunded.

Sources of Actuarial Gains and Losses (Table 10)

) The assumptions used in making the calculations using the Entry Age Normal Actuarial Cost Method are based on long-term expectations. Each year the actual experience will deviate from the long-term expectation. For a detailed analysis of the major components, refer to Table 10.

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Contribution Sufficiency (Table 11)

This report determines the adequacy of Statutory Contributions by comparing the Statutory Contributions to the Required Contributions.

The Required Contributions, set forth in Chapter 356, consist of:

Normal costs based on the Entry Age Normal Actuarial Cost Method.

A Supplemental Contribution for amortizing any Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability.

An Allowance for Expenses.

Table 11 shows the Plan has a contribution deficiency since the Statutory Contribution Rate is 11.17% compared to the Required Contribution Rate of 11.41%.

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Changes in Actuarial Assumptions

The actuarial assumptions are the same as those used in the prior valuation.

Paragraph X.1.4 of the Actuarial Standards requires that the Actuarial Present Value of Compensation for purposes of determining the Normal Cost of the Fund be calculated assuming mid-year payments. Previously, beginning of year payments were assumed. This change in methodology results in an increase of 0.86% of payroll in the Normal Cost and a Contribution Deficiency of the Fund.

Changes in Plan Provisions

There were no changes in plan provisions since the prior valuation which impacted funding costs.

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TABLE 1

**ACCOUNTING BALANCE SHEET
(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)**

JULY 1, 1992

	<u>Market Value</u>	<u>Cost Value</u>
A. ASSETS		
1. Cash, Equivalents, Short-term Securities	\$1,458	\$1,458
2. Investments		
a. Fixed Income	25,312	24,625
b. Equity	57,772	52,574
c. Real Estate	3,943	4,040
3. Equity in Minnesota Post-Retirement Investment Fund (MPRIF)	36,728	36,728
4. Other	224	224
	-----	-----
B. TOTAL ASSETS	\$125,437	\$119,649
	=====	=====
C. AMOUNTS CURRENTLY PAYABLE	\$527	\$527
D. ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS		
1. Member Reserves	\$16,729	\$16,729
2. Employer Reserves	71,453	65,665
3. MPRIF Reserves	36,728	36,728
4. Non-MPRIF Reserves	0	0
	-----	-----
5. Total Assets Available for Benefits	\$124,910	\$119,122
	-----	-----
E. TOTAL AMOUNTS CURRENTLY PAYABLE AND ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS	\$125,437	\$119,649
	=====	=====
F. DETERMINATION OF ACTUARIAL VALUE OF ASSETS		
1. Cost Value of Assets Available for Benefits (D5)		\$119,122
2. Market Value (D5)	\$124,910	
3. Cost Value (D5)	119,122	

4. Market Over Cost: (F2-F3)	\$5,788	
5. 1/3 of Market Over Cost: (F4)/3		1,929

6. Actuarial Value of Assets (F1+F5) (Same as "Current Assets")		\$121,051
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TABLE 2

CORRECTIONAL EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT FUND
CHANGE IN ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS
(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)
YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1992

	<u>Market Value</u>	<u>Cost Value</u>
A. ASSETS AVAILABLE AT BEGINNING OF PERIOD	\$109,813	\$103,982
B. OPERATING REVENUES		
1. Member Contributions	\$2,332	\$2,332
2. Employer Contributions	2,955	2,955
3. Investment Income	9,206	9,206
4. MPRIF Income	3,107	3,107
5. Net Realized Gain (Loss)	1,808	1,808
6. Other	45	45
7. Net Change in Unrealized Gain (Loss)	(43)	0
8. Total Revenue	----- \$19,410 -----	----- \$19,453 -----
C. OPERATING EXPENSES		
1. Service Retirements	\$3,773	\$3,773
2. Disability Benefits	0	0
3. Survivor Benefits	0	0
4. Refunds	220	220
5. Expenses	236	236
6. Other	84	84
7. Total Disbursements	----- \$4,313 -----	----- \$4,313 -----
D. OTHER CHANGES IN RESERVES	0	0
E. ASSETS AVAILABLE AT END OF PERIOD	=====	=====

TABLE 3

CORRECTIONAL EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT FUND

ACTIVE MEMBERS AS OF JUNE 30, 1992

AGE	YEARS OF SERVICE								ALL
	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30+	
<25	14	19							33
25-29	44	136	47	2					229
30-34	36	124	112	52	1				325
35-39	30	61	71	105	42				309
40-44	28	48	59	66	89	16			306
45-49	10	23	36	44	54	32	7	1	207
50-54	7	8	14	24	27	12	17	3	112
55-59	3	4	7	8	11	7	2	2	44
60-64				1	4	1	1	1	8
65+									
ALL	172	423	346	302	228	68	27	7	1,573

AVERAGE ANNUAL EARNINGS

AGE	YEARS OF SERVICE								ALL
	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30+	
<25	25,533	29,019							27,540
25-29	19,138	29,449	32,284	34,961					28,098
30-34	22,438	30,861	32,487	35,845	34,985				31,299
35-39	24,932	31,145	33,836	36,649	38,956				34,092
40-44	24,534	30,340	32,939	36,055	38,751	41,351			34,565
45-49	22,927	31,054	36,061	37,026	40,041	41,795	39,395	32,765	37,097
50-54	31,480	34,291	38,084	38,951	37,759	42,204	41,603	31,979	38,320
55-59	25,942	33,362	39,485	39,791	41,544	41,805	30,262	33,886	38,271
60-64				39,220	40,247	58,048	57,887	26,771	42,864
65+									
ALL	23,080	30,405	33,553	36,699	39,121	42,003	40,794	31,892	33,454

AGE	PRIOR FISCAL YEAR EARNINGS (IN THOUSANDS) BY YEARS OF SERVICE								ALL
	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30+	
ALL	3,969	12,861	11,609	11,083	8,919	2,856	1,101	223	52,623

TABLE 4

CORRECTIONAL EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT FUND

SERVICE RETIREMENTS AS OF JUNE 30, 1992

AGE	YEARS RETIRED							ALL
	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25+	
<50								
50-54		1						1
55-59	8	50						58
60-64	7	18	49					74
65-69		3	25	51				79
70-74			5	19	52			76
75-79				8	48			56
80-84					19			19
85+								
ALL	15	72	79	78	119			363

AVERAGE ANNUAL BENEFIT

AGE	YEARS RETIRED							ALL
	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25+	
<50								
50-54		7,284						7,284
55-59	14,351	15,446						15,295
60-64	12,149	12,442	12,998					12,782
65-69		8,639	9,132	10,396				9,929
70-74			8,450	6,831	6,942			7,014
75-79				8,726	5,042			5,568
80-84					5,990			5,990
85+								
ALL	13,323	14,298	11,487	9,356	6,024			9,871

TOTAL ANNUAL BENEFIT (IN THOUSANDS) BY YEARS RETIRED								
AGE	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25+	ALL
ALL	199	1,029	907	729	716			3,583

TABLE 5

CORRECTIONAL EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT FUND

SURVIVORS AS OF JUNE 30, 1992

AGE	YEARS SINCE DEATH							ALL
	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25+	
<50		1	2					3
50-54								
55-59		2	1	1				4
60-64			1					1
65-69		1						1
70-74					2			2
75-79					1			1
80-84		1			1			2
85+								
ALL		5	4	1	4			14

AVERAGE ANNUAL BENEFIT

AGE	YEARS SINCE DEATH							ALL
	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25+	
<50		5,707	8,451					7,536
50-54								
55-59		7,451	15,899	6,297				9,275
60-64			2,364					2,364
65-69		3,157						3,157
70-74					5,257			5,257
75-79					4,067			4,067
80-84		318			5,407			2,863
85+								
ALL		4,817	8,791	6,297	4,997			6,110

TOTAL ANNUAL BENEFIT (ACTUAL DOLLARS) BY YEARS SINCE DEATH								
AGE	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25+	ALL
ALL		24,085	35,164	6,297	19,988			85,540

TABLE 6

CORRECTIONAL EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT FUND

DISABILITY RETIREMENTS AS OF JUNE 30, 1992

AGE	YEARS DISABLED							ALL
	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25+	
<50	5	3						8
50-54		1		1				2
55-59		1	2	1				4
60-64								
65-69				1	1			2
70-74				1				1
75-79								
80-84								
85+								
ALL	5	5	2	4	1			17

AVERAGE ANNUAL BENEFIT

AGE	YEARS DISABLED							ALL
	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25+	
<50	11,915	9,189						10,893
50-54		12,183		8,885				10,534
55-59		8,067	11,336	12,209				10,737
60-64								
65-69				14,519	3,258			8,889
70-74				2,254				2,254
75-79								
80-84								
85+								
ALL	11,915	9,563	11,336	9,467	3,258			10,070

AGE	TOTAL ANNUAL BENEFIT (ACTUAL DOLLARS) BY YEARS DISABLED							ALL
	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25+	
ALL	59,575	47,815	22,672	37,868	3,258			171,190

TABLE 7

CORRECTIONAL EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT FUND
RECONCILIATION OF MEMBERS

		<u>Terminated</u>	
		<u>Deferred Retirement</u>	<u>Other Non-Vested</u>
	<u>Actives</u>		
A. ON JUNE 30, 1991	1,467	157	48
B. ADDITIONS	200	39	14
C. DELETIONS			
1. Service Retirement	(13)	(3)	0
2. Disability	(4)	(1)	0
3. Death	(2)	0	0
4. Terminated - Deferred	(25)	0	(7)
5. Terminated - Refund	(38)	(5)	(2)
6. Terminated - Other Non-Vested	(12)	0	0
7. Returned as Active	0	(6)	(4)
8. Transferred to Other Fund	0	0	(4)
D. DATA ADJUSTMENTS	0	0	(1)
Vested	1,085		
Non-Vested	488		
E. TOTAL ON JUNE 30, 1992	1,573	181	44

		<u>Recipients</u>	
		<u>Retirement Annuitants</u>	<u>Survivors</u>
		<u>Disabled</u>	
A. ON JUNE 30, 1991	358	12	13
B. ADDITIONS	17	5	0
C. DELETIONS			
1. Service Retirement	0	0	0
2. Death	(10)	0	0
3. Annuity Expired	0	0	0
4. Returned as Active	0	0	0
D. DATA ADJUSTMENTS	(2)	0	1
E. TOTAL ON JUNE 30, 1992	363	17	14

TABLE 8

CORRECTIONAL EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT FUND

ACTUARIAL BALANCE SHEET
(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)

JULY 1, 1992

A.	CURRENT ASSETS (TABLE 1, F6)			\$121,051
B.	EXPECTED FUTURE ASSETS			\$0
1.	Present Value of Expected Future Statutory Supplemental Contributions (See Table 11)			49,483
2.	Present Value of Future Normal Costs			----- \$49,483
3.	Total Expected Future Assets			----- \$170,534
C.	TOTAL CURRENT AND EXPECTED FUTURE ASSETS			=====
D.	CURRENT BENEFIT OBLIGATIONS	<u>Non-Vested</u>	<u>Vested</u>	<u>Total</u>
1.	Benefit Recipients		\$33,691	\$33,691
a.	Retirement Annuities		2,007	2,007
b.	Disability Benefits		1,030	1,030
c.	Surviving Spouse and Child Benefits			
			6,656	6,656
2.	Deferred Retirements With Future Augmentation			
			118	118
3.	Former Members Without Vested Rights			
4.	Active Members	889	42,626	43,515
a.	Retirement Annuities	1,410	0	1,410
b.	Disability Benefits	1,684	0	1,684
c.	Survivor's Benefits	752	14,284	15,036
d.	Deferred Retirements	0	458	458
e.	Refund Liability Due to Death or Withdrawal			
		----- \$4,735	----- \$100,870	----- \$105,605
5.	Total Current Benefit Obligations			
E.	EXPECTED FUTURE BENEFIT OBLIGATIONS			\$67,393
F.	TOTAL CURRENT AND EXPECTED FUTURE BENEFIT OBLIGATIONS			----- \$172,998
G.	CURRENT UNFUNDED ACTUARIAL LIABILITY (D5-A)			=====
				(\$15,446)
H.	CURRENT AND FUTURE UNFUNDED ACTUARIAL LIABILITY (F-C)			\$2,464

TABLE 9

CORRECTIONAL EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT FUND

**DETERMINATION OF UNFUNDED ACTUARIAL ACCRUED LIABILITY (UAAL)
AND SUPPLEMENTAL CONTRIBUTION RATE
(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)**

JULY 1, 1992

	Actuarial Present Value of Projected Benefits	Actuarial Present Value of Future Normal Costs	Actuarial Accrued Liability
	(1)	(2)	(3)=(1)-(2)
A. DETERMINATION OF ACTUARIAL ACCRUED LIABILITY (AAL)			
1. Active Members			
a. Retirement Annuities	\$94,094	\$31,032	\$63,062
b. Disability Benefits	2,775	1,162	1,613
c. Survivor's Benefit	3,358	1,151	2,207
d. Deferred Retirements	27,832	14,450	13,382
e. Refunds Due to Death or Withdrawal	1,437	1,688	(251)
	-----	-----	-----
f. Total	\$129,496	\$49,483	\$80,013
	-----	-----	-----
2. Deferred Retirements With Future Augmentation	6,656		6,656
3. Former Members Without Vested Rights	118		118
4. Annuitants in MPRIF	36,728		36,728
5. Recipients Not in MPRIF	0		0
	-----	-----	-----
6. Total	\$172,998	\$49,483	\$123,515
	=====	=====	=====
B. DETERMINATION OF UNFUNDED ACTUARIAL ACCRUED LIABILITY (UAAL)			
1. AAL (A6)			\$123,515
2. Current Assets (Table 1, F6)			121,051

3. UAAL (B1-B2)			\$2,464
			=====
C. DETERMINATION OF SUPPLEMENTAL CONTRIBUTION RATE			
1. Present Value of Future Payrolls Through the Amortization Date of July 1, 2020			\$1,181,430
2. Supplemental Contribution Rate (B3/C1)			0.21%

TABLE 10

CORRECTIONAL EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT FUND
CHANGES IN UNFUNDED ACTUARIAL ACCRUED LIABILITY (UAAL)
(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)
YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1992

A.	UAAL AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	\$6,245
B.	CHANGE DUE TO INTEREST REQUIREMENTS AND CURRENT RATE OF FUNDING	
1.	Normal Cost and Expenses	\$5,211
2.	Contribution	(5,287)
3.	Interest on A, B1 and B2	528

4.	Total (B1+B2+B3)	\$452

C.	EXPECTED UAAL AT END OF YEAR (A+B4)	\$6,697
D.	INCREASE (DECREASE) DUE TO ACTUARIAL LOSSES (GAINS) BECAUSE OF EXPERIENCE DEVIATIONS FROM EXPECTED	
1.	Salary Increases	(\$2,903)
2.	Investment Return	(4,801)
3.	MPRIF Mortality	370
4.	Mortality of Other Benefit Recipients	0
5.	Other Items	3,101

6.	Total	(\$4,233)

E.	UAAL AT END OF YEAR BEFORE PLAN AMENDMENTS AND CHANGES IN ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTION (C+D5)	\$2,464
F.	CHANGE IN ACTUARIAL ACCRUED LIABILITY DUE TO PLAN AMENDMENTS	0
G.	CHANGE IN ACTUARIAL ACCRUED LIABILITY DUE TO CHANGES IN ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS	0

H.	UAAL AT END OF YEAR (E+F+G)	\$2,464
		=====

TABLE 11

CORRECTIONAL EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT FUND
DETERMINATION OF CONTRIBUTION SUFFICIENCY
(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)

JULY 1, 1992

	<u>Percent of Payroll</u>	<u>Dollar Amount</u>
A. STATUTORY CONTRIBUTIONS - CHAPTER 352		
1. Employee Contributions	4.90%	\$2,746
2. Employer Contributions	6.27%	3,514
	-----	-----
3. Total	11.17%	\$6,260
	=====	=====
 B. REQUIRED CONTRIBUTIONS - CHAPTER 356		
1. Normal Cost		
a. Retirement Benefits	6.81%	\$3,817
b. Disability benefits	0.26%	147
c. Survivors	0.25%	138
d. Deferred Retirement Benefits	3.04%	1,704
e. Refunds Due to Death or Withdrawal	0.38%	215
	-----	-----
f. Total	10.74%	\$6,021
	-----	-----
2. Supplemental Contribution Amortization by July 1, 2020 of UAAL	0.21%	118
3. Allowance for Expenses	0.46%	258
	-----	-----
4. Total	11.41%	\$6,397
	-----	-----
C. CONTRIBUTION SUFFICIENCY (DEFICIENCY) [A3-B4]	-0.24%	(\$137)

Note: Projected Annual Payroll for Fiscal Year Beginning on July 1, 1992
is \$56,044.

CORRECTIONAL EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT FUND
SUMMARY OF ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS AND METHODS

Interest:	<p>Pre-Retirement: 8.5% per annum</p> <p>Post-Retirement: 5.0% per annum</p>
Salary Increases:	Reported salary at valuation date increased 6.5% to current fiscal year and 6.5% annually for each future year. Prior fiscal year salary is annualized for new Members.
Mortality:	<p>Pre-Retirement:</p> <p>Male - 1971 Group Annuity Mortality Table</p> <p>Female - 1971 Group Annuity Mortality Table</p> <p style="padding-left: 100px;">male rates set back 8 years</p> <p>Post-Retirement:</p> <p>Male - Same as above</p> <p>Female - Same as above</p> <p>Post-Disability:</p> <p>Male - Combined Annuity Mortality Table</p> <p>Female - Combined Annuity Mortality Table</p>
Retirement Age:	Age 58 or if over age 58, one year from valuation date.
Separation:	Graded rates based on actual experience developed by the June 30, 1971 experience analysis. Rates are shown in rate table.
Disability:	Rates adopted by MSRS as shown in rate table.
Administrative and Investment Expenses:	Prior year expenses expressed as percentage of prior year payroll.
Return 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.

TABLE 12
(Continued)

CORRECTIONAL EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT FUND
SUMMARY OF ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS AND METHODS

Family Composition:	85% of Members are assumed to be married. Female is three years younger than male.
Social Security:	Based on the present law and 6.5% salary scale. Only earnings history while in state service is used. Future Social Security benefits replace the same proportion of salary as at present.
Benefit Increases After Retirement:	Payment of earnings on retired reserves in excess of 5% accounted for by 5% post-retirement assumptions.
Special Consideration:	Married Members assumed to elect subsidized joint and survivor form of annuity as follows: Males - 25% elect 50% J&S option 25% elect 100% J&S option Females - 5% elect 50% J&S option 5% elect 100% J&S option
Actuarial Cost Method:	Entry Age Normal Actuarial Cost Method with normal costs expressed as a level percentage of earnings. Under this method, Actuarial Gains (Losses) reduce (increase) the Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability.
Asset Valuation Method:	Cost Value plus one-third Unrealized Gains or Losses.
Payment on the Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability:	A level percentage of payroll each year to the statutory amortization date assuming payroll increases of 6.5% per annum.

TABLE 12
(Continued)

CORRECTIONAL EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT FUND
SUMMARY OF ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS AND METHODS

Separation Expressed as Number of Occurrences Per 10,000:

Age	Death		Withdrawal		Disability		Retirement	
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
20	5	4	2,400	3,700	0	0	0	0
21	5	4	2,250	3,550	0	0	0	0
22	5	4	2,080	3,390	0	0	0	0
23	6	4	1,920	3,230	0	0	0	0
24	6	4	1,760	3,070	0	0	0	0
25	6	5	1,600	2,910	0	0	0	0
26	7	5	1,470	2,750	0	0	0	0
27	7	5	1,340	2,600	0	0	0	0
28	7	5	1,230	2,430	0	0	0	0
29	8	5	1,130	2,270	0	0	0	0
30	8	5	1,040	2,120	2	0	0	0
31	9	6	950	1,970	2	0	0	0
32	9	6	890	1,820	2	0	0	0
33	10	6	830	1,680	2	0	0	0
34	10	7	770	1,540	2	0	0	0
35	11	7	720	1,410	2	1	0	0
36	12	7	680	1,300	2	1	0	0
37	13	8	640	1,190	2	1	0	0
38	14	9	600	1,090	2	1	0	0
39	15	9	560	1,000	2	2	0	0
40	16	9	530	920	2	2	0	0
41	18	10	500	850	2	2	0	0
42	20	10	480	780	2	4	0	0
43	23	11	460	720	3	4	0	0
44	26	12	430	680	3	4	0	0
45	29	13	410	630	3	5	0	0
46	33	14	390	590	5	6	0	0
47	38	15	370	560	7	7	0	0
48	42	16	350	530	9	7	0	0
49	47	18	340	500	11	10	0	0

TABLE 12
(Continued)

CORRECTIONAL EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT FUND
SUMMARY OF ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS AND METHODS

Separation Expressed as Number of Occurrences Per 10,000:

Age	Death		Withdrawal		Disability		Retirement	
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
50	53	20	320	470	14	10	0	0
51	59	23	300	440	16	12	0	0
52	65	26	280	410	20	14	0	0
53	71	29	260	390	24	16	0	0
54	78	33	240	360	28	20	0	0
55	85	38	210	330	34	24	0	0
56	93	42	170	290	40	30	0	0
57	100	47	140	230	46	36	0	0
58	109	53	90	170	56	44	10,000	10,000
59	119	59	40	90	66	52	0	0
60	131	65	0	0	76	62	0	0
61	144	71	0	0	90	74	0	0
62	159	78	0	0	110	88	0	0
63	174	85	0	0	136	104	0	0
64	192	93	0	0	174	122	0	0
65	213	100	0	0	0	0	0	0
66	236	109	0	0	0	0	0	0
67	263	119	0	0	0	0	0	0
68	292	131	0	0	0	0	0	0
69	324	144	0	0	0	0	0	0
70	361	159	0	0	0	0	0	0

CORRECTIONAL EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT FUND**SUMMARY OF PLAN PROVISIONS**

Eligibility:	State employees in covered correctional service.
Contributions	
Member:	4.90% of salary.
Employer:	6.27% of salary. (Amended 1990)
Allowable Service:	Service during which Member contributions were made. May also include certain leaves of absence, military service and periods while temporary Worker's Compensation is paid.
Salary:	Includes wages, allowances and fees. Excludes lump-sum payments at separation and reduced salary while receiving Worker's Compensation benefits.
Average Salary:	Average of the five highest successive years of salary. Average Salary is based on all Allowable Service if less than five years.

RETIREMENT**Normal Retirement Benefit**

Eligibility:	Age 55 and three years of Allowable Service under the Correctional and General Plans. Proportionate Retirement Annuity is available at age 65 and one year of Allowable Service.
Amount:	<p>2.5% of average salary for each year of Allowable Service, pro rata for completed months. Maximum of 75% of Average Salary.</p> <p>After 84 months or normal retirement age if earlier, benefit changes to unreduced General Plan benefit. For Members hired prior to July 1, 1989, normal retirement age is 65; for Members hired after June 30, 1989, normal retirement age is the age first eligible for nonreduced Social Security benefits. If combined General Plan benefit and Social security (based on State service) are less than the Correctional benefit, an additional benefit will be paid to prevent a decrease.</p>

TABLE 13
(Continued)

CORRECTIONAL EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT FUND

SUMMARY OF PLAN PROVISIONS

Early Retirement Benefit

Eligibility: Age 50 and three years of Allowable Service.

Amount: Normal Retirement Benefit based on Allowable Service and Average Salary at retirement date reduced to the actuarial equivalent of the benefit that would be payable if the Member deferred the benefit until age 55.

Form of Payment: Life annuity with return on death of any balance of contributions over aggregate monthly payments. Actuarially equivalent options are:

50% or 100% joint and survivor with bounce back feature without additional reduction.
15 year certain and life benefits.

Benefit Increases: Benefits may be increased each January 1 depending on the investment performance of the Minnesota Post Retirement Investment Fund (MPRIF). 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 full month but less than 12 full months will receive a partial increase.

DISABILITY

Occupational Disability

Eligibility: Member under age 55 who cannot perform his duties as a direct result of a disability related to an act of duty.

TABLE 13
(Continued)

CORRECTIONAL EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT FUND

SUMMARY OF PLAN PROVISIONS

Amount: 50% of Average Salary plus 2.5% of Average Salary for each year in excess of 20 years of Allowable Service pro rata for completed months. Maximum of 75% of Average Salary.

Payment begins at disability and stops at age 62 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-Occupational Disability

Eligibility: Under age 55 with at least one year of Correctional 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.

Payment begins at disability and ends at age 62 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.

Form of Payment: Same as for retirement.

Benefit Increases: Adjusted by MSRS to provide same increase as MPRIF.

Retirement Benefits

Eligibility: Age 62 with continued disability.

Amount: Benefit computed as a normal retirement benefit under General Plan based on same Allowable Service and without reduction for age.

Form of Payment: Same as for retirement.

Benefit Increases: Same as for retirement.

CORRECTIONAL EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT FUND

SUMMARY OF PLAN PROVISIONS

DEATH

Surviving Spouse Benefit

Eligibility: Member or former Member who dies before retirement or disability benefits commence, if age 50 with three years of Allowable Service or any age with 30 years of Allowable Service. If the Member dies before age 55, benefits commence when Member would have been 55.

Amount: Surviving spouse receives the General Plan 100% joint and survivor benefit the Member could have elected if terminated. In lieu of this benefit, the surviving spouse may elect a refund of contributions with interest.

Benefit Increases: Adjusted by MSRS to provide same income as MPRIF.

Refund of Contributions With Interest

Eligibility: Active employee dies and survivor benefits are not payable or a former employee dies before annuity begins.

Amount: The Member's contributions with 5% interest if death occurred before May 16, 1989 and 6% interest if death occurred on or after May 16, 1989.

TERMINATION

Refund of Contributions

Eligibility: Termination of state service.

Amount: Member's contributions with 5% interest compounded annually if termination occurred before May 16, 1989 and 6% interest if termination occurred on or after May 16, 1989. A deferred annuity may be elected in lieu of a refund if three or more years of Allowable Service.

TABLE 13
(Continued)

CORRECTIONAL EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT FUND

SUMMARY OF PLAN PROVISIONS

Deferred Annuity

Eligibility: Three years of Correctional and General Service.

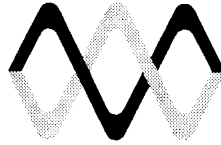
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ACTUARIAL VALUATION REPORT
JULY 1, 1992

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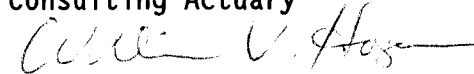
Pursuant to the terms of our Actuarial Services Contract, we have performed an actuarial valuation of the Fund as of July 1, 1992.

The results of our calculations are set forth in the following report, as are the actuarial assumptions upon which our calculations have been made. We have relied on the basic employee data and asset figures as submitted by the Minnesota State Retirement System.

On the basis of the foregoing, we hereby certify that, to the best of our knowledge and belief, this report is complete and accurate and has been prepared in accordance with the requirements of Section 356.215, Minnesota Statutes, and the requirements of the Standards for Actuarial Work, adopted by the Commission on September 20, 1989.

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REPORT HIGHLIGHTS (DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)

	<u>07/01/91 Valuation</u>	<u>07/01/92 Valuation</u>
A. CONTRIBUTIONS (Table 11)		
1. Statutory Contributions - Chapter 3A % of Payroll	9.00%	9.00%
2. Required Contributions - Chapter 356 % of Payroll	27.67%	30.49%
3. Sufficiency (Deficiency): (A.1. - A.2.)	-18.67%	-21.49%
B. FUNDING RATIOS		
1. Accrued Benefit Funding Ratio		
a. Current Assets (Table 1)	\$14,694	\$15,160
b. Current Benefit Obligations (Table 8)	\$29,641	\$32,272
c. Funding Ratio: (a/b)	49.57%	46.97%
2. Accrued Liability Funding Ratio		
a. Current Assets (Table 1)	\$14,694	\$15,160
b. Actuarial Accrued Liability (Table 9)	\$30,403	\$33,224
c. Funding Ratio: (a/b)	48.33%	45.63%
3. Projected Benefit Funding Ratio (Table 8)		
a. Current and Expected Future Assets	\$22,700	\$23,427
b. Current and Expected Future Benefit Obligations	\$38,409	\$41,491
c. Funding Ratio: (a/b)	59.10%	56.46%
C. PLAN PARTICIPANTS		
1. Active Members		
a. Number (Table 3)	201	200
b. Projected Annual Earnings	\$6,589	\$6,753
c. Average Annual Earnings (Actual \$)	\$32,779	\$33,765
d. Average Age	49.2	50.1
e. Average Service	7.6	8.6
2. Others		
a. Service Retirements (Table 4)	134	132
b. Disability Retirements (Table 5)	NA	NA
c. Survivors (Table 6)	43	46
d. Deferred Retirements (Table 7)	123	120
e. Terminated Other Non-vested (Table 7)	3	2
f. Total	303	300

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COMMENTARY

Purpose

The purpose of this valuation is to determine the financial status of the Plan. In order to achieve this purpose, an actuarial valuation is made at the beginning of each fiscal year as required by Section 356.215 of Minnesota Statutes.

Report Highlights

The financial status of the Plan can be measured by three different funding ratios:

- The Accrued Benefit Funding Ratio is a measure of current funding status and, when viewed over a period of years, presents a view of the funding progress. It is based upon benefits which have been earned by service to the valuation date. This year's ratio is 46.97%. The corresponding ratio for the prior year was 49.57%.
- The Accrued Liability Funding Ratio is also a measure of funding status and funding progress. It is based on the actuarial cost method that has historically been used by the State. For 1992 the ratio is 45.63%, which is a decrease from the 1991 value of 48.33%.
- The Projected Benefit Funding Ratio is a measure of the adequacy or deficiency in the contribution level. This year's ratio of 56.46% shows that the current statutory contributions are inadequate.

Under current law, the state is required to fund the remaining full liability for retirements as they occur. The funding ratios shown here do not reflect the anticipated contributions arising from this requirement.

) Asset Information (Tables 1 and 2)

Minnesota Statutes require that the asset value used for actuarial purposes recognize only a third of the unrealized gains and losses. This requirement exists because market values (which include all unrealized gain and losses) are typically volatile and can produce erratic changes in the contribution requirements from year to year.

The calculation of the Actuarial Value of Assets is shown in Table 1 on lines F1 to F6. It combines the cost value of the Assets Available for Benefits and one-third of the difference between the market value and cost value of those assets. Both the market value and cost value of assets shown in Tables 1 and 2 include the value of member deposits with accumulated interest. Since these "Other Assets" are not separately held apart from the State's general fund it may be argued that these amounts are not assets.

The term "Actuarial Value of Assets" is used to indicate that the value was determined for use in this actuarial valuation. Since Minnesota Statutes refer to this value as "Current Assets", the latter phrase will be used in the remainder of this report.

This Plan participates in the Minnesota Post Retirement Investment Fund (i.e. MPRIF). After the MPRIF liability has been calculated for each participating Plan, the State Board of Investments, (i.e. SBI), will determine each Plan's portion of the excess earnings for the January benefit increase as well as the Plan's allocated market share of MPRIF.

Actuarial Balance Sheet (Table 8)

An actuarial balance sheet provides a method for evaluating current and future levels of funding.

The Current Benefit Obligation used to measure current funding levels is calculated in accordance with Statement No. 5 of the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB). Those requirements are:

- For Active Members - salary and service are projected to retirement to determine benefits for each member and the ratio of credited service to total service establishes the portion of the projected benefit to be used in calculating the current funding level.
- For Non-active Members - the discounted value of benefits, including augmentation in cases where benefits have not commenced.

GASB Disclosure

The Current Benefit Obligation amounts in Table 8 are required to be disclosed by Statement No. 5 of the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB). However, Statement No. 5 uses the terms "Actuarial Present Value of Credited Projected Benefits" and "Pension Benefit Obligation" rather than "Current Benefit Obligation".

The July 1, 1992 Pension Benefit Obligation reported in Table 8 is reformatted for GASB reporting purposes in the following table:

Retirees and beneficiaries currently receiving benefits and terminated employees not yet receiving benefits	\$19,785,212
Current Employees	
Accumulated employee contributions including allocated investment income	\$3,604,776
Employer-financed vested	7,439,300
Employer-financed nonvested	1,442,753

Total Pension Benefit Obligation	\$32,272,041
Net Assets Available for Benefits at Cost	\$15,160,000

Total Benefit Obligation less Assets	\$17,112,041
Funded Ratio	46.98%

) Actuarial Cost Method (Table 9)

The approach used by the State of Minnesota to determine contribution sufficiency is the Entry Age Normal Actuarial Cost Method. The primary characteristic of this method is that it allocates costs as a level percentage of payroll.

A comparison of this actuarial method (Table 9) to the actuarial balance sheet (Table 8) illustrates the two techniques for allocating liabilities of active Members to past and future. As noted in the prior section, the balance sheet allocates benefits and the corresponding liabilities, on the basis of service. The method used in Table 9 allocates liabilities so that the cost each year will be a constant percentage of payroll. Both approaches, however, calculate the value of all future benefits the same way (see line F of Table 8 and line A6, column 1, of Table 9).

An Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability is computed under the Entry Age Normal Actuarial Cost Method by comparing the liabilities allocated to past service (Actuarial Accrued Liability) to the Current Assets. This amount, line B3, is funded over the remaining years to the amortization date by a series of payments that remain a constant percentage of payroll each year.

The payments will increase 6.5% each year because that is the assumed rate of increase in payroll. Although the payment schedule will be adequate to amortize the existing unfunded, the lower payments in the earlier years will not be sufficient to cover the interest on the unfunded liability. After a few years, the annual payment will cover the interest and also repay a portion of the unfunded.

Sources of Actuarial Gains and Losses (Table 10)

The assumptions used in making the calculations using the Entry Age Normal Actuarial Cost Method are based on long-term expectations. Each year the actual experience will deviate from the long-term expectation. For a detailed analysis of the major components, refer to Table 10.

) **Contribution Sufficiency (Table 11)**

This report determines the adequacy of Statutory Contributions by comparing the Statutory Contributions to the Required Contributions.

The Required Contributions, set forth in Chapter 356, consist of:

- Normal costs based on the Entry Age Normal Actuarial Cost Method.
- A Supplemental Contribution for amortizing any Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability.
- An Allowance for Expenses.

Table 11 shows the Plan has a contribution deficiency since the Statutory Contribution Rate is 9.00% compared to the Required Contribution Rate of 30.49%. Under current law, the state is required to fund the remaining full liability for retirements as they occur. Therefore, this deficiency is theoretical only; technically, no deficiency exists under a terminal funding structure as long as current requirements are met.

) It should be noted that if the "Other Assets" of Tables 1 and 2 are excluded from the Actuarial Value of Assets, the contribution deficiency would be larger.

Changes in Actuarial Assumptions

The actuarial assumptions are the same as those used in the prior valuation.

Paragraph X.1.4 of the Actuarial Standards requires that the Actuarial Present Value of Compensation for purposes of determining the Normal Cost of the Fund be calculated assuming mid-year payments. Previously, beginning of year payments were assumed. This change in methodology results in an increase of 1.13% of payroll in the Normal Cost and Contribution Deficiency of the Fund.

Changes in Plan Provisions

There were no changes in plan provisions since the prior valuation which impacted funding costs.

TABLE 1

LEGISLATORS RETIREMENT FUND

ACCOUNTING BALANCE SHEET
(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)

JULY 1, 1992

	<u>Market Value</u>	<u>Cost Value</u>
A. ASSETS		
1. Cash, Equivalents, Short-term Securities	\$0	\$0
2. Investments		
a. Fixed Income	0	0
b. Equity	0	0
c. Real Estate	0	0
3. Equity in Minnesota Post-Retirement Investment Fund (MPRIF)	10,305	10,305
4. Other *	5,015	5,015
	-----	-----
B. TOTAL ASSETS	\$15,320	\$15,320
	=====	=====
C. AMOUNTS CURRENTLY PAYABLE	\$160	\$160
D. ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS		
1. Member Reserves *	\$4,975	\$4,975
2. Employer Reserves	(2,371)	(2,371)
3. MPRIF Reserves	10,305	10,305
4. Non-MPRIF Reserves	2,251	2,251
	-----	-----
5. Total Assets Available for Benefits	\$15,160	\$15,160
	-----	-----
E. TOTAL AMOUNTS CURRENTLY PAYABLE AND ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS	\$15,320	\$15,320
	=====	=====
F. DETERMINATION OF ACTUARIAL VALUE OF ASSETS		
1. Cost Value of Assets Available for Benefits (D5)		\$15,160
2. Market Value (D5)	\$15,160	
3. Cost Value (D5)	15,160	

4. Market Over Cost: (F2-F3)	\$0	
5. 1/3 of Market Over Cost: (F4)/3		0

6. Actuarial Value of Assets (F1+F5) (Same as "Current Assets")		\$15,160
		=====

* Includes \$4,975 of Member Reserves not segregated from general funds.

TABLE 2

LEGISLATORS RETIREMENT FUND
CHANGE IN ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS
(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1992

	<u>Market Value</u>	<u>Cost Value</u>
A. ASSETS AVAILABLE AT BEGINNING OF PERIOD	\$14,694	\$14,694
B. OPERATING REVENUES		
1. Member Contributions	\$590	\$590
2. Employer Contributions	0	0
3. Investment Income	0	0
4. MPRIF Income	872	872
5. Net Realized Gain (Loss)	0	0
6. Other	601	601
7. Net Change in Unrealized Gain (Loss)	0	0
	-----	-----
8. Total Revenue	\$2,063	\$2,063
	-----	-----
C. OPERATING EXPENSES		
1. Service Retirements	\$1,500	\$1,500
2. Disability Benefits	0	0
3. Survivor Benefits	0	0
4. Refunds	34	34
5. Expenses	40	40
6. Other	23	23
	-----	-----
7. Total Disbursements	\$1,597	\$1,597
	-----	-----
D. OTHER CHANGES IN RESERVES	0	0
E. ASSETS AVAILABLE AT END OF PERIOD	\$15,160	\$15,160
	=====	=====

TABLE 3

LEGISLATORS RETIREMENT PLAN

ACTIVE MEMBERS AS OF JUNE 30, 1992

AGE	YEARS OF SERVICE								ALL
	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30+	
<25									
25-29		1	1						2
30-34		7	3	2					12
35-39		6	4	6					16
40-44	1	12	9	10	2	2			36
45-49		11	15	7	5	5			43
50-54	1	7	4	11	5	3			31
55-59		4	3	9	4	5			25
60-64		3	6	7	5	5	1		27
65+		2	2	2		1	1		8
ALL	2	53	47	54	21	21	2		200

AVERAGE ANNUAL EARNINGS

AGE	YEARS OF SERVICE								ALL
	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30+	
<25									
25-29		32,780	32,780						32,780
30-34		32,780	32,780	32,780					32,780
35-39		32,780	32,780	32,780					32,780
40-44	32,780	32,780	32,780	32,780	32,780	32,780			32,780
45-49		32,780	32,780	32,780	32,780	32,780			32,780
50-54	32,780	32,780	32,780	32,780	32,780	32,780			32,780
55-59		32,780	32,780	32,780	32,780	32,780			32,780
60-64		32,780	32,780	32,780	32,780	32,780	32,780		32,780
65+		32,780	32,780	32,780		32,780	32,780		32,780
ALL	32,780	32,780	32,780	32,780	32,780	32,780	32,780		32,780

PRIOR FISCAL YEAR EARNINGS (IN THOUSANDS) BY YEARS OF SERVICE

AGE	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30+	ALL
ALL	66	1,737	1,541	1,770	688	688	66		6,556

TABLE 4

LEGISTATORS RETIREMENT PLAN
SERVICE RETIREMENTS AS OF JUNE 30, 1992

<u>AGE</u>	<u>YEARS RETIRED</u>							<u>ALL</u>
	<u><1</u>	<u>1-4</u>	<u>5-9</u>	<u>10-14</u>	<u>15-19</u>	<u>20-24</u>	<u>25+</u>	
<50								
50-54								
55-59								
60-64	5	18						23
65-69		4	34					38
70-74		3	8	21				32
75-79		1	1	5	12			19
80-84				1	8	1		10
85+					1	9		10
ALL	5	26	43	27	21	10		132

AVERAGE ANNUAL BENEFIT

<u>AGE</u>	<u>YEARS RETIRED</u>							<u>ALL</u>
	<u><1</u>	<u>1-4</u>	<u>5-9</u>	<u>10-14</u>	<u>15-19</u>	<u>20-24</u>	<u>25+</u>	
<50								
50-54								
55-59								
60-64	11,275	8,712						9,269
65-69		5,296	8,862					8,487
70-74		11,695	9,783	11,397				11,021
75-79		5,370	16,898	20,646	8,372			11,893
80-84				12,494	7,173	7,731		7,761
85+					19,491	8,437		9,542
ALL	11,275	8,402	9,220	13,150	8,445	8,366		9,753

<u>TOTAL ANNUAL BENEFIT (IN THOUSANDS) BY YEARS RETIRED</u>								
<u>AGE</u>	<u><1</u>	<u>1-4</u>	<u>5-9</u>	<u>10-14</u>	<u>15-19</u>	<u>20-24</u>	<u>25+</u>	<u>ALL</u>
ALL	56	218	396	355	177	83		1,287

TABLE 5

LEGISTATORS RETIREMENT PLAN

SURVIVORS AS OF JUNE 30, 1992

AGE	YEARS SINCE DEATH							ALL
	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25+	
<50								
50-54	1		1	1				3
55-59		1						1
60-64		1	1		1	1		4
65-69	2	2		1	1			6
70-74	1	2	2		2			7
75-79	1	8		1	2	3		15
80-84					1	6		7
85+	1	2						3
ALL	6	16	4	3	7	10		46

AVERAGE ANNUAL BENEFIT

AGE	YEARS SINCE DEATH							ALL
	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25+	
<50								
50-54	3,381		19,815	6,136				9,777
55-59		4,743						4,743
60-64		7,544	2,676		5,105	2,546		4,468
65-69	2,050	2,683		1,558	4,641			2,611
70-74	941	6,779	6,582		2,040			4,535
75-79	8,265	5,115		8,120	5,801	3,879		5,370
80-84					5,122	3,733		3,931
85+	1,818	7,151						5,373
ALL	3,084	5,402	8,914	5,271	4,364	3,658		4,860

TOTAL ANNUAL BENEFIT (ACTUAL DOLLARS) BY YEARS SINCE DEATH								
AGE	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25+	ALL
ALL	18,504	86,432	35,656	15,813	30,548	36,580		223,560

TABLE 7

LEGISLATORS RETIREMENT FUND
RECONCILIATION OF MEMBERS

		<u>Terminated</u>	
		<u>Deferred Retirement</u>	<u>Other Non-Vested</u>
	<u>Actives</u>		
A. ON JUNE 30, 1991	201	123	3
B. ADDITIONS	3	4	0
C. DELETIONS			
1. Service Retirement	0	(6)	0
2. Disability	0	0	0
3. Death	0	0	0
4. Terminated - Deferred	(4)	0	0
5. Terminated - Refund	0	(2)	0
6. Terminated - Other Non-Vested	0	0	0
7. Returned as Active	0	0	0
8. Transferred to Other Fund	0	0	(1)
D. DATA ADJUSTMENTS	0	1	0
Vested	112		
Non-Vested	88		
E. TOTAL ON JUNE 30, 1992	200	120	2

		<u>Recipients</u>	
		<u>Retirement Annuitants</u>	<u>Disabled</u>
			<u>Survivors</u>
A. ON JUNE 30, 1991	134	NA	43
B. ADDITIONS	6	0	6
C. DELETIONS			
1. Service Retirement	0	0	0
2. Death	(11)	0	(1)
3. Annuity Expired	0	0	0
4. Returned as Active	0	0	0
D. DATA ADJUSTMENTS	3	0	(2)
E. TOTAL ON JUNE 30, 1992	132	NA	46

TABLE 8

LEGISLATORS RETIREMENT FUND

ACTUARIAL BALANCE SHEET
(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)

JULY 1, 1992

A.	CURRENT ASSETS (TABLE 1, F6)			\$15,160
B.	EXPECTED FUTURE ASSETS			
1.	Present Value of Expected Future Statutory Supplemental Contributions (See Table 11)			\$0
2.	Present Value of Future Normal Costs			8,267
3.	Total Expected Future Assets			----- \$8,267
C.	TOTAL CURRENT AND EXPECTED FUTURE ASSETS			----- \$23,427
D.	CURRENT BENEFIT OBLIGATIONS	<u>Non-Vested</u>	<u>Vested</u>	<u>Total</u>
1.	Benefit Recipients			
a.	Retirement Annuities		\$10,305	\$10,305
b.	Disability Benefits		0	0
c.	Surviving Spouse and Child Benefits		2,251	2,251
2.	Deferred Retirements With Future Augmentation		7,211	7,211
3.	Former Members Without Vested Rights		18	18
4.	Active Members			
a.	Retirement Annuities	1,089	9,351	10,440
b.	Disability Benefits	0	0	0
c.	Survivor's Benefits	419	0	419
d.	Deferred Retirements	283	1,214	1,497
e.	Refund Liability Due to Death or Withdrawal	0	131	131
5.	Total Current Benefit Obligations	----- \$1,791	----- \$30,481	----- \$32,272
E.	EXPECTED FUTURE BENEFIT OBLIGATIONS			----- \$9,219
F.	TOTAL CURRENT AND EXPECTED FUTURE BENEFIT OBLIGATIONS			----- \$41,491
G.	CURRENT UNFUNDED ACTUARIAL LIABILITY (D5-A)			----- \$17,112
H.	CURRENT AND FUTURE UNFUNDED ACTUARIAL LIABILITY (F-C)			\$18,064

TABLE 9

LEGISLATORS RETIREMENT FUND

DETERMINATION OF UNFUNDED ACTUARIAL ACCRUED LIABILITY (UAAL)
AND SUPPLEMENTAL CONTRIBUTION RATE
(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)

JULY 1, 1992

	Actuarial Present Value of Projected Benefits (1)	Actuarial Present Value of Future Normal Costs (2)	Actuarial Accrued Liability (3)=(1)-(2)
A. DETERMINATION OF ACTUARIAL ACCURED LIABILITY (AAL)			
1. Active Members			
a. Retirement Annuities	\$17,998	\$5,853	\$12,145
b. Disability Benefits	0	0	0
c. Survivor's Benefit	730	410	320
d. Deferred Retirements	2,669	1,509	1,160
e. Refunds Due to Death or Withdrawal	309	495	(186)
f. Total	<u>\$21,706</u>	<u>\$8,267</u>	<u>\$13,439</u>
2. Deferred Retirements With Future Augmentation	7,211		7,211
3. Former Members Without Vested Rights	18		18
4. Annuitants in MPRIF	10,305		10,305
5. Recipients Not in MPRIF	2,251		2,251
6. Total	<u>\$41,491</u> =====	<u>\$8,267</u> =====	<u>\$33,224</u> =====
B. DETERMINATION OF UNFUNDED ACTUARIAL ACCRUED LIABILITY (UAAL)			
1. AAL (A6)			\$33,224
2. Current Assets (Table 1, F6)			15,160
3. UAAL (B1-B2)			<u>\$18,064</u> =====
C. DETERMINATION OF SUPPLEMENTAL CONTRIBUTION RATE			
1. Present Value of Future Payrolls Through the Amortization Date of July 1, 2020			\$147,194
2. Supplemental Contribution Rate (B3/C1)			12.27%

* If non-segregated member reserves were not counted as assets, the UAAL would be \$23,039, resulting in a Supplemental Contribution Rate of 15.65%.

TABLE 10

LEGISLATORS RETIREMENT FUND

CHANGES IN UNFUNDED ACTUARIAL ACCRUED LIABILITY (UAAL)
(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1992

A.	UAAL AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	\$15,709
B.	CHANGE DUE TO INTEREST REQUIREMENTS AND CURRENT RATE OF FUNDING	
1.	Normal Cost and Expenses	\$1,142
2.	Contribution	(590)
3.	Interest on A, B1 and B2	1,359
4.	Total (B1+B2+B3)	\$1,911
C.	EXPECTED UAAL AT END OF YEAR (A+B4)	\$17,620
D.	INCREASE (DECREASE) DUE TO ACTUARIAL LOSSES (GAINS) BECAUSE OF EXPERIENCE DEVIATIONS FROM EXPECTED	
1.	Salary Increases	\$0
2.	Investment Return	416
3.	MPRIF Mortality	120
4.	Mortality of Other Benefit Recipients	119
5.	Other Items	(211)
6.	Total	\$444
E.	UAAL AT END OF YEAR BEFORE PLAN AMENDMENTS AND CHANGES IN ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTION (C+D5)	\$18,064
F.	CHANGE IN ACTUARIAL ACCRUED LIABILITY DUE TO PLAN AMENDMENTS	0
G.	CHANGE IN ACTUARIAL ACCRUED LIABILITY DUE TO CHANGES IN ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS	0
H.	UAAL AT END OF YEAR (E+F+G)	\$18,064

LEGISLATORS RETIREMENT FUND
DETERMINATION OF CONTRIBUTION SUFFICIENCY
(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)

JULY 1, 1992

	<u>Percent of Payroll</u>	<u>Dollar Amount</u>
A. STATUTORY CONTRIBUTIONS - CHAPTER 3A		
1. Employee Contributions	9.00%	\$608
2. Employer Contributions	0.00%*	0 *
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3. Total	9.00%	\$608
	=====	=====
* Employer contributions are required to cover the portion of the benefit liabilities which are not funded by the member's accumulated contribution at the time of benefit commencement.		
B. REQUIRED CONTRIBUTIONS - CHAPTER 356		
1. Normal Cost		
a. Retirement Benefits	13.30%	\$898
b. Disability benefits	0.00%	0
c. Survivors	0.84%	57
d. Deferred Retirement Benefits	2.55%	172
e. Refunds Due to Death or Withdrawal	0.92%	62
	-----	-----
f. Total	17.61%	\$1,189
	-----	-----
2. Supplemental Contribution Amortization by July 1, 2020 of UAAL	12.27%	829
3. Allowance for Expenses	0.61%	41
	-----	-----
4. Total	30.49%	\$2,059
C. CONTRIBUTION SUFFICIENCY (DEFICIENCY) [A3-B4]	-21.49%	(\$1,451)

Note: Projected Annual Payroll for Fiscal Year Beginning on July 1, 1992 is \$5,793 in salaries and \$960 in per diem payments.

The deficiency amount shown above is calculated based on reported assets which include a receivable of \$4,975 for member contributions that are held in the State's general fund. If this amount was not considered as an asset of the fund in these calculations, the deficiency would be 24.87%.

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SUMMARY OF ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS AND METHODS

Interest:	Pre-Retirement: 8.5% per annum																											
	Post-Retirement: 5.0% per annum																											
Salary Increases:	The statutory salary rate as prescribed in Chapter 345, Article I, Sec. 28, with a 3% increase for the 1992-93 fiscal year and 6.5% per year thereafter. Per diem payments were assumed to remain constant each year in the future.																											
Mortality:	Pre-Retirement: Male - 1971 Group Annuity Mortality Table Female - 1971 Group Annuity Mortality Table male rates set back eight years																											
	Post-Retirement: Male - Same as above Female - Same as above																											
	Post-Disability: Male - N/A Female - N/A																											
Retirement Age:	Age 62 or if over age 62, one year from valuation date.																											
Separation:	Rates based on years of service.																											
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Disability:	None																											
Expenses:	Prior year expenses expressed as percentage of prior year payroll.																											

TABLE 12
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LEGISLATORS RETIREMENT PLAN

SUMMARY OF ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS AND METHODS

Return of Contributions:	All employees withdrawing after becoming eligible for a deferred benefit were assumed to take the larger of their contributions accumulated with interest or the value of their deferred benefit.
Family Composition:	85% of Members are assumed to be married. Female is three years younger than male. Each Member may have up to two dependent children depending on Member's age. Assumed first child born at Member's age 28 and second child born at member's age 31.
Social Security:	N/A
Benefit Increases After Retirement:	Payment of earnings on retired reserves in excess of 5% accounted for by 5% post-retirement assumptions.
Special Consideration:	Per diem payments for regular and special sessions were included in salary. The annual amount of per diem that is recognized in this valuation is \$4,800 per Member. This is based on \$48 per day times an average session of 100 days.
Actuarial Cost Method:	Entry Age Normal Actuarial Cost Method based on earnings and the date the employee entered the plan is applied to all plan benefits. Under this method, actuarial Gains (Losses) reduce (increase) the Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability.
Asset Valuation Method:	Cost Value plus one-third Unrealized Gains or Losses.
Payment on the Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability:	A level percentage of payroll each year to the statutory amortization date assuming payroll increases of 6.5% per annum.

LEGISLATORS RETIREMENT PLAN**SUMMARY OF PLAN PROVISIONS**

Eligibility:	Members of the State Legislature. A Member of PERA who is elected to the Legislature may elect to remain a Member of PERA and receive credit under PERA for service as a legislator.
Contributions	
Member:	9% of salary.
Employer:	No specified statutory contribution rate. State must contribute an amount equal to the full annuity value at benefit commencement less accumulated member contributions.
Service:	Granted for the full term unless termination occurs before the end of the term. Service during all or part of four regular legislative sessions is deemed to be eight years of service.
Salary:	Compensation received for service as a Member of the legislature. Salary includes the monthly compensation paid to a legislator and the per diem payments paid during a regular or special session. Salary does not include additional compensation attributable to a leadership position.
Average Salary:	Average of the five highest successive years of salary.

RETIREMENT**Normal Retirement Benefit**

Eligibility:	Age 62 and either six full years of service or service during all or part of four regular legislative sessions. For eligibility purposes, service does not include credit for time not served when a Member does not serve a full term of office.						
Amount:	A percentage of Average Salary for each year of service as follows: <table> <tr> <td>Prior to 1/1/79</td><td>- 5% for the first eight years</td></tr> <tr> <td></td><td>- 2.5% for subsequent years</td></tr> <tr> <td>After 12/31/78</td><td>- 2.5%</td></tr> </table>	Prior to 1/1/79	- 5% for the first eight years		- 2.5% for subsequent years	After 12/31/78	- 2.5%
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	- 2.5% for subsequent years						
After 12/31/78	- 2.5%						

LEGISLATORS RETIREMENT PLAN

SUMMARY OF PLAN PROVISIONS

Early Retirement Benefit

Eligibility:	Age 60 and either six full years of Service or Service during all or part of four regular legislative sessions.
Amount:	Normal Retirement Benefit based on service and Average Salary at retirement date assuming augmentation to age 62 at 3% per year and actuarial reduction for each month the Member is under age 62.
Form of Payment:	Paid as a joint and survivor annuity to Member, spouse and dependent children.
Benefit Increases:	Benefits may be increased each January 1 depending on the investment performance of the Minnesota Post Retirement Investment Fund (MPRIF).

DISABILITY

None

DEATH BENEFITS

Surviving Spouse Benefit

Eligibility:	Death while active, or after termination if service requirements for a Normal Retirement Benefit are met but payments have not begun.
Amount:	Survivor's payments of 50% of the retirement benefit of the Member assuming the Member had attained normal retirement age and had a minimum of eight years of service. Benefit is paid for life. A former Member's benefit is augmented as a Deferred Annuity to date of death before determining the portion payable to the spouse.

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SUMMARY OF PLAN PROVISIONS

Surviving Dependent
Children's Benefit

Eligibility: Same as spouse's benefit.

Amount: Benefit for first child is 25% of the retirement benefit (computed as for surviving spouse) with 12.5% for each additional child. Maximum payable (including spouse) is 100% of the retirement benefit. Benefits cease when a child marries or attains age 18 (22 if a full-time student).

Benefit Increases: Adjusted by MSRS to provide same increase as MPRIF.

Refund of Contributions

Eligibility: Member dies before receiving any retirement benefits and survivor benefits are not payable.

Amount: Member's contributions without interest.

TERMINATION

Refund of Contributions

Eligibility: Termination of service.

Amount: Member's contributions with 5% interest compounded annually if termination occurred before May 16, 1989 and 6% interest if termination occurred on or after May 16, 1989. A deferred annuity may be elected in lieu of a refund.

Deferred Benefit

Eligibility: Same service requirement as for Normal Retirement.

TABLE 13
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SUMMARY OF PLAN PROVISIONS

Amount:

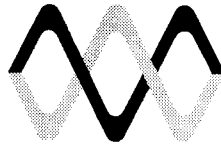
Benefit computed under law in effect at termination and increased by the following annual percentage: 0% before 7/1/73; 5% from 7/1/73 to 1/1/81; and 5% thereafter until the annuity begins. Amount is payable as a normal or early retirement.

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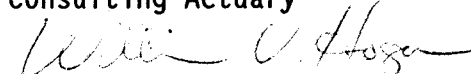
Pursuant to the terms of our Actuarial Services Contract, we have performed an actuarial valuation of the Fund as of July 1, 1992.

The results of our calculations are set forth in the following report, as are the actuarial assumptions upon which our calculations have been made. We have relied on the basic employee data and asset figures as submitted by the Minnesota State Retirement System.

On the basis of the foregoing, we hereby certify that, to the best of our knowledge and belief, this report is complete and accurate and has been prepared in accordance with the requirements of Section 356.215, Minnesota Statutes, and the requirements of the Standards for Actuarial Work, adopted by the Commission on September 20, 1989.

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REPORT HIGHLIGHTS (DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)

	<u>07/01/91 Valuation</u>	<u>07/01/92 Valuation</u>
A. CONTRIBUTIONS (Table 11)		
1. Statutory Contributions - Chapter 352C % of Payroll	9.00%	9.00%
2. Required Contributions - Chapter 356 % of Payroll	33.28%	36.23%
3. Sufficiency (Deficiency): (A.1. - A.2.)	-24.28%	-27.23%
B. FUNDING RATIOS		
1. Accrued Benefit Funding Ratio		
a. Current Assets (Table 1)	\$308	\$334
b. Current Benefit Obligations (Table 8)	\$2,160	\$2,269
c. Funding Ratio: (a/b)	14.26%	14.72%
2. Accrued Liability Funding Ratio		
a. Current Assets (Table 1)	\$308	\$334
b. Actuarial Accrued Liability (Table 9)	\$2,249	\$2,380
c. Funding Ratio: (a/b)	13.70%	14.03%
3. Projected Benefit Funding Ratio (Table 8)		
a. Current and Expected Future Assets	\$634	\$675
b. Current and Expected Future Benefit Obligations	\$2,575	\$2,721
c. Funding Ratio: (a/b)	24.62%	24.81%
C. PLAN PARTICIPANTS		
1. Active Members		
a. Number (Table 3)	6	6
b. Projected Annual Earnings	\$440	\$451
c. Average Annual Earnings (Actual \$)	\$73,271	\$75,167
d. Average Age	50.7	51.7
e. Average Service	7.0	8.0
2. Others		
a. Service Retirements (Table 4)	3	4
b. Disability Retirements (Table 5)	NA	NA
c. Survivors (Table 6)	4	4
d. Deferred Retirements (Table 7)	7	6
e. Terminated Other Non-vested (Table 7)	0	0
f. Total	14	14

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ELECTIVE STATE OFFICERS RETIREMENT FUND

COMMENTARY

Purpose

The purpose of this valuation is to determine the financial status of the Plan. In order to achieve this purpose, an actuarial valuation is made at the beginning of each fiscal year as required by Section 356.215 of Minnesota Statutes.

Report Highlights

The financial status of the Plan can be measured by three different funding ratios:

- The Accrued Benefit Funding Ratio is a measure of current funding status and, when viewed over a period of years, presents a view of the funding progress. It is based upon benefits which have been earned by service to the valuation date. This year's ratio is 14.72%. The corresponding ratio for the prior year was 14.26%.
- The Accrued Liability Funding Ratio is also a measure of funding status and funding progress. It is based on the actuarial cost method that has historically been used by the State. For 1992 the ratio is 14.03%, which is an increase from the 1991 value of 13.69%.
- The Projected Benefit Funding Ratio is a measure of the adequacy or deficiency in the contribution level. This year's ratio of 24.81% shows that the current statutory contributions are inadequate.

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Under current law, the state is required to fund the remaining full liability for retirements as they occur. The funding ratios shown here do not reflect the anticipated contributions arising from this requirement.

) **Asset Information (Tables 1 and 2)**

Minnesota Statutes require that the asset value used for actuarial purposes recognize only a third of the unrealized gains and losses. This requirement exists because market values (which include all unrealized gain and losses) are typically volatile and can produce erratic changes in the contribution requirements from year to year.

The calculation of the Actuarial Value of Assets is shown in Table 1 on lines F1 to F6. It combines the cost value of the Assets Available for Benefits and one-third of the difference between the market value and cost value of those assets. Both the market value and cost value of assets shown in Tables 1 and 2 include the value of member deposits with accumulated interest. Since these "Other Assets" are not separately held apart from the State's general fund it may be argued that these amounts are not assets.

The term "Actuarial Value of Assets" is used to indicate that the value was determined for use in this actuarial valuation. Since Minnesota Statutes refer to this value as "Current Assets", the latter phrase will be used in the remainder of this report.

) This Plan participates in the Minnesota Post Retirement Investment Fund (i.e. MPRIF). After the MPRIF liability has been calculated for each participating Plan, the State Board of Investments, (i.e. SBI), will determine each Plan's portion of the excess earnings for the January benefit increase as well as the Plan's allocated market share of MPRIF.

Actuarial Balance Sheet (Table 8)

An actuarial balance sheet provides a method for evaluating current and future levels of funding.

The Current Benefit Obligation used to measure current funding levels is calculated in accordance with Statement No. 5 of the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB). Those requirements are:

- For Active Members - salary and service are projected to retirement to determine benefits for each member and the ratio of credited service to total service establishes the portion of the projected benefit to be used in calculating the current funding level.
- For Non-active Members - the discounted value of benefits, including augmentation in cases where benefits have not commenced.

GASB Disclosure

The Current Benefit Obligation amounts in Table 8 are required to be disclosed by Statement No. 5 of the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB). However, Statement No. 5 uses the terms "Actuarial Present Value of Credited Projected Benefits" and "Pension Benefit Obligation" rather than "Current Benefit Obligation".

The July 1, 1992 Pension Benefit Obligation reported in Table 8 is reformatted for GASB reporting purposes in the following table:

Retirees and beneficiaries currently receiving benefits and terminated employees not yet receiving benefits	\$1,457,310
Current Employees	
Accumulated employee contributions including allocated investment income	\$227,286
Employer-financed vested	516,065
Employer-financed nonvested	67,321

Total Pension Benefit Obligation	\$2,267,982
Net Assets Available for Benefits at Cost	\$334,000

Total Benefit Obligation less Assets	\$1,933,982
Funded Ratio	14.73%

) Actuarial Cost Method (Table 9)

The approach used by the State of Minnesota to determine contribution sufficiency is the Entry Age Normal Actuarial Cost Method. The primary characteristic of this method is that it allocates costs as a level percentage of payroll.

A comparison of this actuarial method (Table 9) to the actuarial balance sheet (Table 8) illustrates the two techniques for allocating liabilities of active Members to past and future. As noted in the prior section, the balance sheet allocates benefits and the corresponding liabilities, on the basis of service. The method used in Table 9 allocates liabilities so that the cost each year will be a constant percentage of payroll. Both approaches, however, calculate the value of all future benefits the same way (see line F of Table 8 and line A6, column 1, of Table 9).

An Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability is computed under the Entry Age Normal Actuarial Cost Method by comparing the liabilities allocated to past service (Actuarial Accrued Liability) to the Current Assets. This amount, line B3, is funded over the remaining years to the amortization date by a series of payments that remain a constant percentage of payroll each year.

The payments will increase 6.5% each year because that is the assumed rate of increase in payroll. Although the payment schedule will be adequate to amortize the existing unfunded, the lower payments in the earlier years will not be sufficient to cover the interest on the unfunded liability. After a few years, the annual payment will cover the interest and also repay a portion of the unfunded.

Sources of Actuarial Gains and Losses (Table 10)

The assumptions used in making the calculations using the Entry Age Normal Actuarial Cost Method are based on long-term expectations. Each year the actual experience will deviate from the long-term expectation. For a detailed analysis of the major components, refer to Table 10.

) Contribution Sufficiency (Table 11)

This report determines the adequacy of Statutory Contributions by comparing the Statutory Contributions to the Required Contributions.

The Required Contributions, set forth in Chapter 356, consist of:

- Normal costs based on the Entry Age Normal Actuarial Cost Method.
- A Supplemental Contribution for amortizing any Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability.
- An Allowance for Expenses.

Table 11 shows the Plan has a contribution deficiency since the Statutory Contribution Rate is 9.00% compared to the Required Contribution Rate of 36.23%. Under current law, the state is required to fund the remaining full liability for retirements as they occur. Therefore, this deficiency is theoretical only; technically, no deficiency exists under a terminal funding structure as long as current requirements are met.

-) It should be noted that if the "Other Assets" of Tables 1 and 2 are excluded from the Actuarial Value of Assets, the contribution deficiency would be larger.

Changes in Actuarial Assumptions

The actuarial assumptions are the same as those used in the prior valuation.

Paragraph X.1.4 of the Actuarial Standards requires that the Actuarial Present Value of Compensation for purposes of determining the Normal Cost of the Fund be calculated assuming mid-year payments. Previously, beginning of year payments were assumed. This change in methodology results in an increase of 1.33% of payroll in the Normal Cost and Contribution Deficiency of the Fund.

Changes in Plan Provisions

There were no changes in plan provisions since the prior valuation which impacted funding costs.

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TABLE 1

ELECTIVE STATE OFFICERS RETIREMENT FUND

ACCOUNTING BALANCE SHEET
(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)

JULY 1, 1992

	<u>Market Value</u>	<u>Cost Value</u>
A. ASSETS		
1. Cash, Equivalents, Short-term Securities	\$0	\$0
2. Investments		
a. Fixed Income	0	0
b. Equity	0	0
c. Real Estate	0	0
3. Equity in Minnesota Post-Retirement Investment Fund (MPRIF)	0	0
4. Other *	336	336
	-----	-----
B. TOTAL ASSETS	\$336	\$336
	=====	=====
C. AMOUNTS CURRENTLY PAYABLE	\$2	\$2
D. ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS		
1. Member Reserves *	\$334	\$334
2. Employer Reserves	(982)	(982)
3. MPRIF Reserves	0	0
4. Non-MPRIF Reserves	982	982
	-----	-----
5. Total Assets Available for Benefits	\$334	\$334
	-----	-----
E. TOTAL AMOUNTS CURRENTLY PAYABLE AND ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS	\$336	\$336
	=====	=====
F. DETERMINATION OF ACTUARIAL VALUE OF ASSETS		
1. Cost Value of Assets Available for Benefits (D5)		\$334
2. Market Value (D5)	\$334	
3. Cost Value (D5)	334	

4. Market Over Cost: (F2-F3)	\$0	
5. 1/3 of Market Over Cost: (F4)/3		0

6. Actuarial Value of Assets (F1+F5) (Same as "Current Assets")		\$334
		=====

* Includes \$333 of Member Reserves not segregated from general funds.

TABLE 2

ELECTIVE STATE OFFICERS RETIREMENT FUND
CHANGE IN ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS
(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1992

	<u>Market Value</u>	<u>Cost Value</u>
A. ASSETS AVAILABLE AT BEGINNING OF PERIOD	\$308	\$308
B. OPERATING REVENUES		
1. Member Contributions	\$34	\$34
2. Employer Contributions	0	0
3. Investment Income	0	0
4. MPRIF Income	0	0
5. Net Realized Gain (Loss)	0	0
6. Other	111	111
7. Net Change in Unrealized Gain (Loss)	0	0
	-----	-----
8. Total Revenue	\$145	\$145
	-----	-----
C. OPERATING EXPENSES		
1. Service Retirements	\$117	\$117
2. Disability Benefits	0	0
3. Survivor Benefits	0	0
4. Refunds	0	0
5. Expenses	2	2
6. Other	0	0
	-----	-----
7. Total Disbursements	\$119	\$119
	-----	-----
D. OTHER CHANGES IN RESERVES	0	0
E. ASSETS AVAILABLE AT END OF PERIOD	\$334	\$334
	=====	=====

TABLE 3

ELECTIVE STATE OFFICERS RETIREMENT PLAN

ACTIVE MEMBERS AS OF JUNE 30, 1992

AGE	YEARS OF SERVICE								ALL
	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30+	
<25									
25-29									
30-34									
35-39									
40-44	1								1
45-49		1	1	1					3
50-54									
55-59				1	1				2
60-64									
65+									
ALL	1	1	1	2	1				6

AVERAGE ANNUAL EARNINGS

AGE	YEARS OF SERVICE								ALL
	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30+	
<25									
25-29									
30-34									
35-39									
40-44	65,438								65,438
45-49		59,982	59,982	85,195					68,386
50-54									
55-59				109,054	59,982				84,518
60-64									
65+									
ALL	65,438	59,982	59,982	97,125	59,982				73,272

PRIOR FISCAL YEAR EARNINGS (ACTUAL DOLLARS) BY YEARS OF SERVICE									
AGE	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30+	ALL
ALL	65,438	59,982	59,982	194,250	59,982				439,632

TABLE 4

ELECTIVE STATE OFFICERS RETIREMENT PLAN

SERVICE RETIREMENTS AS OF JUNE 30, 1992

AGE	YEARS RETIRED							ALL
	<u><1</u>	<u>1-4</u>	<u>5-9</u>	<u>10-14</u>	<u>15-19</u>	<u>20-24</u>	<u>25+</u>	
<50								
50-54								
55-59								
60-64	1	1						2
65-69								
70-74								
75-79				1				1
80-84					1			1
85+								
ALL	1	1		1	1			4

AVERAGE ANNUAL BENEFIT								
AGE	YEARS RETIRED							
	<u><1</u>	<u>1-4</u>	<u>5-9</u>	<u>10-14</u>	<u>15-19</u>	<u>20-24</u>	<u>25+</u>	<u>ALL</u>
<50								
50-54								
55-59								
60-64	2,566	38,805						20,686
65-69								
70-74								
75-79				18,748				18,748
80-84					15,522			15,522
85+								
ALL	2,566	38,805		18,748	15,522			18,911

AGE	TOTAL ANNUAL BENEFIT (ACTUAL DOLLARS) BY YEARS RETIRED							ALL
	<u><1</u>	<u>1-4</u>	<u>5-9</u>	<u>10-14</u>	<u>15-19</u>	<u>20-24</u>	<u>25+</u>	
ALL	2,566	38,805		18,748	15,522			75,644

TABLE 5

ELECTIVE STATE OFFICERS RETIREMENT PLAN

SURVIVORS AS OF JUNE 30, 1992

AGE	YEARS SINCE DEATH							ALL
	<u><1</u>	<u>1-4</u>	<u>5-9</u>	<u>10-14</u>	<u>15-19</u>	<u>20-24</u>	<u>25+</u>	
<50								
50-54								
55-59								
60-64								
65-69								
70-74								
75-79		1			2			3
80-84								
85+						1		1
ALL		1			2	1		4

AVERAGE ANNUAL BENEFIT

AGE	YEARS SINCE DEATH							ALL
	<u><1</u>	<u>1-4</u>	<u>5-9</u>	<u>10-14</u>	<u>15-19</u>	<u>20-24</u>	<u>25+</u>	
<50								
50-54								
55-59								
60-64								
65-69								
70-74								
75-79		17,408			9,615			12,213
80-84								
85+						8,470		8,470
ALL		17,408			9,615	8,470		11,277

TOTAL ANNUAL BENEFIT (ACTUAL DOLLARS) BY YEARS SINCE DEATH

AGE	<u><1</u>	<u>1-4</u>	<u>5-9</u>	<u>10-14</u>	<u>15-19</u>	<u>20-24</u>	<u>25+</u>	ALL
ALL		17,408			19,230	8,470		45,108

TABLE 7

ELECTIVE STATE OFFICERS RETIREMENT FUND
RECONCILIATION OF MEMBERS

		<u>Terminated</u>	
		<u>Deferred Retirement</u>	<u>Other Non-Vested</u>
	<u>Actives</u>		
A. ON JUNE 30, 1991	6	7	0
B. ADDITIONS	0	0	0
C. DELETIONS			
1. Service Retirement	0	(1)	0
2. Disability	0	0	0
3. Death	0	0	0
4. Terminated - Deferred	0	0	0
5. Terminated - Refund	0	0	0
6. Terminated - Other Non-Vested	0	0	0
7. Returned as Active	0	0	0
8. Transferred to Other Fund	0	0	0
D. DATA ADJUSTMENTS	0	0	0
Vested	3		
Non-Vested	3		
E. TOTAL ON JUNE 30, 1992	6	6	0

		<u>Recipients</u>	
		<u>Retirement Annuitants</u>	<u>Survivors</u>
		<u>Disabled</u>	
A. ON JUNE 30, 1991	3	NA	4
B. ADDITIONS	1	0	0
C. DELETIONS			
1. Service Retirement	0	0	0
2. Death	0	0	0
3. Annuity Expired	0	0	0
4. Returned as Active	0	0	0
D. DATA ADJUSTMENTS	0	0	0
E. TOTAL ON JUNE 30, 1992	4	NA	4

TABLE 8

ELECTIVE STATE OFFICERS RETIREMENT FUND

ACTUARIAL BALANCE SHEET
(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)

JULY 1, 1992

A.	CURRENT ASSETS (TABLE 1, F6)			\$334
B.	EXPECTED FUTURE ASSETS			
1.	Present Value of Expected Future Statutory Supplemental Contributions (See Table 11)			\$0
2.	Present Value of Future Normal Costs			341
3.	Total Expected Future Assets			----- \$341
C.	TOTAL CURRENT AND EXPECTED FUTURE ASSETS			----- \$675
D.	CURRENT BENEFIT OBLIGATIONS	<u>Non-Vested</u>	<u>Vested</u>	<u>Total</u>
1.	Benefit Recipients			
a.	Retirement Annuities		\$638	\$638
b.	Disability Benefits		0	0
c.	Surviving Spouse and Child Benefits		345	345
2.	Deferred Retirements With Future Augmentation		475	475
3.	Former Members Without Vested Rights		0	0
4.	Active Members			
a.	Retirement Annuities	21	511	532
b.	Disability Benefits	0	0	0
c.	Survivor's Benefits	19	0	19
d.	Deferred Retirements	43	210	253
e.	Refund Liability Due to Death or Withdrawal	0	7	7
5.	Total Current Benefit Obligations	----- \$83	----- \$2,186	----- \$2,269
E.	EXPECTED FUTURE BENEFIT OBLIGATIONS			----- \$452
F.	TOTAL CURRENT AND EXPECTED FUTURE BENEFIT OBLIGATIONS			----- \$2,721
G.	CURRENT UNFUNDED ACTUARIAL LIABILITY (D5-A)			=====
H.	CURRENT AND FUTURE UNFUNDED ACTUARIAL LIABILITY (F-C)			\$1,935
				\$2,046

TABLE 9

ELECTIVE STATE OFFICERS RETIREMENT FUND

**DETERMINATION OF UNFUNDED ACTUARIAL ACCRUED LIABILITY (UAAL)
AND SUPPLEMENTAL CONTRIBUTION RATE
(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)**

JULY 1, 1992

	Actuarial Present Value of Projected Benefits (1)	Actuarial Present Value of Future Normal Costs (2)	Actuarial Accrued Liability (3)=(1)-(2)
A. DETERMINATION OF ACTUARIAL ACCRUED LIABILITY (AAL)			
1. Active Members			
a. Retirement Annuities	\$818	\$113	\$705
b. Disability Benefits	0	0	0
c. Survivor's Benefit	27	13	14
d. Deferred Retirements	392	155	237
e. Refunds Due to Death or Withdrawal	27	60	(33)
	-----	-----	-----
f. Total	\$1,264	\$341	\$923
	-----	-----	-----
2. Deferred Retirements With Future Augmentation	475		475
3. Former Members Without Vested Rights	0		0
4. Annuitants in MPRIF	0		0
5. Recipients Not in MPRIF	982		982
	-----	-----	-----
6. Total	\$2,721	\$341	\$2,380
	=====	=====	=====
B. DETERMINATION OF UNFUNDED ACTUARIAL ACCRUED LIABILITY (UAAL)			
1. AAL (A6)			\$2,380
2. Current Assets (Table 1, F6)			334

3. UAAL (B1-B2)			\$2,046
			=====
C. DETERMINATION OF SUPPLEMENTAL CONTRIBUTION RATE			
1. Present Value of Future Payrolls Through the Amortization Date of July 1, 2020			\$9,878
2. Supplemental Contribution Rate (B3/C1)			20.71%

* If non-segregated member reserves were not counted as assets, the UAAL would be \$2,379, resulting in a Supplemental Contribution Rate of 24.08%.

ELECTIVE STATE OFFICERS RETIREMENT FUND
CHANGES IN UNFUNDED ACTUARIAL ACCRUED LIABILITY (UAAL)
(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1992

A.	UAAL AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	\$1,941
B.	CHANGE DUE TO INTEREST REQUIREMENTS AND CURRENT RATE OF FUNDING	
1.	Normal Cost and Expenses	\$62
2.	Contribution	(34)
3.	Interest on A, B1 and B2	166

4.	Total (B1+B2+B3)	\$194

C.	EXPECTED UAAL AT END OF YEAR (A+B4)	\$2,135
D.	INCREASE (DECREASE) DUE TO ACTUARIAL LOSSES (GAINS) BECAUSE OF EXPERIENCE DEVIATIONS FROM EXPECTED	
1.	Salary Increases	\$0
2.	Investment Return	27
3.	MPRIF Mortality	0
4.	Mortality of Other Benefit Recipients	56
5.	Other Items	(172)

6.	Total	(\$89)

E.	UAAL AT END OF YEAR BEFORE PLAN AMENDMENTS AND CHANGES IN ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTION (C+D5)	\$2,046
F.	CHANGE IN ACTUARIAL ACCRUED LIABILITY DUE TO PLAN AMENDMENTS	0
G.	CHANGE IN ACTUARIAL ACCRUED LIABILITY DUE TO CHANGES IN ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS	0

H.	UAAL AT END OF YEAR (E+F+G)	\$2,046
		=====

TABLE 11

ELECTIVE STATE OFFICERS RETIREMENT FUND
DETERMINATION OF CONTRIBUTION SUFFICIENCY
(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)

JULY 1, 1992

	<u>Percent of Payroll</u>	<u>Dollar Amount</u>
A. STATUTORY CONTRIBUTIONS - CHAPTER 352C		
1. Employee Contributions	9.00%	\$41
2. Employer Contributions	0.00%*	0 *
	-----	-----
3. Total	9.00%	\$41
	=====	=====
* Employer contributions are required to cover the portion of the benefit liabilities which are not funded by the member's accumulated contribution at the time of benefit commencement.		
B. REQUIRED CONTRIBUTIONS - CHAPTER 356		
1. Normal Cost		
a. Retirement Benefits	4.88%	\$22
b. Disability benefits	0.00%	0
c. Survivors	0.67%	3
d. Deferred Retirement Benefits	6.87%	31
e. Refunds Due to Death or Withdrawal	2.66%	12
	-----	-----
f. Total	15.08%	\$68
	-----	-----
2. Supplemental Contribution Amortization by July 1, 2020 of UAAL	20.71%	93
3. Allowance for Expenses	0.44%	2
	-----	-----
4. Total	36.23%	\$163
C. CONTRIBUTION SUFFICIENCY (DEFICIENCY) [A3-B4]	-27.23%	(\$122)

Note: Projected Annual Payroll for Fiscal Year Beginning on July 1, 1992 is \$451.

The deficiency amount shown above is calculated based on reported assets which include a receivable of \$333 for member contributions that are held in the State's general fund. If this amount was not considered as an asset of the fund in these calculations, the deficiency would be 30.60%.

ELECTIVE STATE OFFICERS RETIREMENT PLAN
SUMMARY OF ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS AND METHODS

Interest:	Pre-Retirement: 8.5% per annum Post-Retirement: 5.0% per annum																		
Salary Increases:	The statutory salary rate as prescribed in Chapter 345, Article I, Sec. 28, with a 2.5% increase for the 1992-93 fiscal year and 6.5% per year thereafter.																		
Mortality:	Pre-Retirement: Male - 1971 Group Annuity Mortality Table Female - 1971 Group Annuity Mortality Table male rates set back 8 years Post-Retirement: Male - Same as above Female - Same as above Post-Disability: Male - N/A Female - N/A																		
Retirement Age:	Age 62 or if over age 62, one year from valuation date.																		
Separation:	Rates based on years of service: <table> <tr> <th><u>Year</u></th><th><u>Rate</u></th></tr> <tr><td>1</td><td>0%</td></tr> <tr><td>2</td><td>0</td></tr> <tr><td>3</td><td>0</td></tr> <tr><td>4</td><td>50</td></tr> <tr><td>5</td><td>0</td></tr> <tr><td>6</td><td>0</td></tr> <tr><td>7</td><td>0</td></tr> <tr><td>8</td><td>50</td></tr> </table>	<u>Year</u>	<u>Rate</u>	1	0%	2	0	3	0	4	50	5	0	6	0	7	0	8	50
<u>Year</u>	<u>Rate</u>																		
1	0%																		
2	0																		
3	0																		
4	50																		
5	0																		
6	0																		
7	0																		
8	50																		
Disability:	None																		
Expenses:	Prior year expenses expressed as percentage of prior year payroll.																		
Return of Contributions:	All employees withdrawing after eight years of service were assumed to leave their contributions on deposit and receive a deferred annuitant benefit.																		

TABLE 12
(Continued)

ELECTIVE STATE OFFICERS RETIREMENT PLAN
SUMMARY OF ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS AND METHODS

Family Composition:	85% of Members are assumed to be married. Female is three years younger than male. Each Member may have up to two dependent children depending on the Member's age. Assume first child born at Member's age 28 and second child born at Member's age 31.
Social Security:	N/A
Benefit Increases After Retirement:	Payment of earnings on retired reserves in excess of 5% accounted for by 5% post-retirement assumptions.
Actuarial Cost Method:	Entry Age Normal Actuarial Cost Method based on earnings and the date the employee entered the plan is applied to all plan benefits. Under this method, Actuarial Gains (Losses) reduce (increase) the Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability.
Asset Valuation Method:	Cost Value plus one-third Unrealized Gains or Losses.
Payment on the Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability:	A level percentage of payroll each year to the statutory amortization date assuming payroll increases of 6.5% per annum.

ELECTIVE STATE OFFICERS RETIREMENT PLAN
SUMMARY OF PLAN PROVISIONS

Eligibility:	Employment as a "Constitutional Officer".
Contributions	
Member:	9% of salary.
Employer:	No specified statutory contribution rate. State must contribute an amount equal to the full annuity value at benefit commencement less accumulated member contributions.
Allowable Service:	Service while in an eligible position.
Salary:	Salary upon which Elective State Officers Retirement Plan contributions have been made.
Average Salary:	Average of the five highest successive years of salary.

RETIREMENT

Normal Retirement Benefit

Eligibility:	Age 62 and eight years of Allowable Service.
Amount:	2.5% of Average Salary for each year of Allowable Service.

Early Retirement Benefit

Eligibility:	Age 60 and eight years of Allowable Service.
Amount:	Normal Retirement Benefit based on Allowable Service and Average Salary at retirement date with reduction of 0.5% for each month the Member is under age 62 at time of retirement.
Form of Payment:	Life annuity
Benefit Increases:	Adjusted by MSRS to provide same increase as MPRIF.

ELECTIVE STATE OFFICERS RETIREMENT PLAN

SUMMARY OF PLAN PROVISIONS

DISABILITY

None

DEATH

Surviving Spouse Benefit

Eligibility:

Death while active or after retirement or with at least eight years of Allowable Service.

Amount:

Survivor's payment of 50% of the retirement benefit of the Member assuming the Member had attained age 62 and had a minimum of eight years of Allowable Service. Benefit is paid for life. A former Member's benefit is augmented the same as a Deferred Annuity to date of death before determining the portion payable to the spouse.

**Surviving Dependent
Child Benefit**

Eligibility:

Same as spouse's benefit.

Amount:

Benefit for first child is 25% of the retirement benefit (computed as for surviving spouse) with 12.5% for each additional child. Maximum payable (including spouse) is 100% of the retirement benefit. Benefits cease when a child marries or attains age 18 (22 if a full-time student).

Benefit Increases:

Adjusted by MSRS to provide same increase as MPRIF.

TERMINATION

Refund of Contributions

Eligibility:

Termination of service.

Amount:

Member's contributions with 5% interest compounded annually if termination occurred before May 16, 1989 and 6% interest compounded annually if termination occurred on or after May 16, 1989. A deferred annuity may be elected in lieu of a refund.

ELECTIVE STATE OFFICERS RETIREMENT PLAN
SUMMARY OF PLAN PROVISIONS

Deferred Benefit

Eligibility: Eight years of Allowable Service.

Amount: Benefit computed under law in effect at termination and increased by the following annual percentage: 0% before 7/1/79; 5% from 7/1/79 to 1/1/81; and 3% until age 55; and 5% thereafter until the annuity begins. Amount is payable as a normal or early retirement.

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ACTUARIAL VALUATION REPORT
JULY 1, 1992

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December 2, 1992

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RE: Judges Retirement Fund


Commission Members:


Pursuant to the terms of our Actuarial Services Contract, we have performed an actuarial valuation of the Fund as of July 1, 1992.

The results of our calculations are set forth in the following report, as are the actuarial assumptions upon which our calculations have been made. We have relied on the basic employee data and asset figures as submitted by the Minnesota State Retirement System.

On the basis of the foregoing, we hereby certify that, to the best of our knowledge and belief, this report is complete and accurate and has been prepared in accordance with the requirements of Section 356.215, Minnesota Statutes, and the requirements of the Standards for Actuarial Work, adopted by the Commission on September 20, 1989.

Respectfully submitted,


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REPORT HIGHLIGHTS (DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)

	<u>07/01/91 Valuation</u>	<u>07/01/92 Valuation</u>
A. CONTRIBUTIONS (Table 11)		
1. Statutory Contributions - Chapter 490 % of Payroll	26.34%	28.38%
2. Required Contributions - Chapter 356 % of Payroll	25.10%	26.59%
3. Sufficiency (Deficiency): (A.1. - A.2.)	1.24%	1.79%
B. FUNDING RATIOS		
1. Accrued Benefit Funding Ratio		
a. Current Assets (Table 1)	\$33,559	\$37,768
b. Current Benefit Obligations (Table 8)	\$76,275	\$81,153
c. Funding Ratio: (a/b)	44.00%	46.54%
2. Accrued Liability Funding Ratio		
a. Current Assets (Table 1)	\$33,559	\$37,768
b. Actuarial Accrued Liability (Table 9)	\$78,429	\$83,969
c. Funding Ratio: (a/b)	42.79%	44.98%
3. Projected Benefit Funding Ratio (Table 8)		
a. Current and Expected Future Assets	\$122,981	\$131,573
b. Current and Expected Future Benefit Obligations	\$116,825	\$122,899
c. Funding Ratio: (a/b)	105.27%	107.06%
C. PLAN PARTICIPANTS		
1. Active Members		
a. Number (Table 3)	271	271
b. Projected Annual Earnings	\$21,570	\$22,181
c. Average Annual Earnings (Actual \$)	\$79,595	\$81,849
d. Average Age	52.9	53.4
e. Average Service	10.4	10.6
2. Others		
a. Service Retirements (Table 4)	109	111
b. Disability Retirements (Table 5)	9	9
c. Survivors (Table 6)	64	66
d. Deferred Retirements (Table 7)	3	4
e. Terminated Other Non-vested (Table 7)	0	0
f. Total	185	190

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COMMENTARY

Purpose

The purpose of this valuation is to determine the financial status of the Plan. In order to achieve this purpose, an actuarial valuation is made at the beginning of each fiscal year as required by Section 356.215 of Minnesota Statutes.

Report Highlights

The financial status of the Plan can be measured by three different funding ratios:

The Accrued Benefit Funding Ratio is a measure of current funding status and, when viewed over a period of years, presents a view of the funding progress. It is based upon benefits which have been earned by service to the valuation date. This year's ratio is 46.54%. The corresponding ratio for the prior year was 44.00%.

The Accrued Liability Funding Ratio is also a measure of funding status and funding progress. It is based on the actuarial cost method that has historically been used by the State. For 1992 the ratio is 44.98%, which is an increase from the 1991 value of 42.79%.

The Projected Benefit Funding Ratio is a measure of the adequacy or deficiency in the contribution level. This year's ratio of 107.06% verifies that the current statutory contributions are sufficient.

Asset Information (Tables 1 and 2)

Minnesota Statutes require that the asset value used for actuarial purposes

-) recognize only a third of the unrealized gains and losses. This requirement exists because market values (which include all unrealized gain and losses) are typically volatile and can produce erratic changes in the contribution requirements from year to year.

The calculation of the Actuarial Value of Assets is shown in Table 1 on lines F1 to F6. It combines the cost value of the Assets Available for Benefits and one-third of the difference between the market value and cost value of those assets.

The term "Actuarial Value of Assets" is used to indicate that the value was determined for use in this actuarial valuation. Since Minnesota Statutes refer to this value as "Current Assets", the latter phrase will be used in the remainder of this report.

-) This Plan participates in the Minnesota Post Retirement Investment Fund (i.e. MPRIF). After the MPRIF liability has been calculated for each participating Plan, the State Board of Investments, (i.e. SBI), will determine each Plan's portion of the excess earnings for the January benefit increase as well as the Plan's allocated market share of MPRIF.

Actuarial Balance Sheet (Table 8)

An actuarial balance sheet provides a method for evaluating current and future levels of funding.

The Current Benefit Obligation used to measure current funding levels is calculated in accordance with Statement No. 5 of the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB). Those requirements are:

For Active Members - salary and service are projected to retirement to determine benefits for each member and the ratio of credited service to total service establishes the portion of the projected benefit to be used in calculating the current funding level.

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For Non-active Members - the discounted value of benefits, including augmentation in cases where benefits have not commenced.

GASB Disclosure

The Current Benefit Obligation amounts in Table 8 are required to be disclosed by Statement No. 5 of the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB). However, Statement No. 5 uses the terms "Actuarial Present Value of Credited Projected Benefits" and "Pension Benefit Obligation" rather than "Current Benefit Obligation".

The July 1, 1992 Pension Benefit Obligation reported in Table 8 is reformatted for GASB reporting purposes in the following table:

Retirees and beneficiaries currently receiving benefits and terminated employees not yet receiving benefits	\$43,132,498
Current Employees	
Accumulated employee contributions including allocated investment income	\$5,586,155
Employer-financed vested	30,008,999
Employer-financed nonvested	2,425,773

Total Pension Benefit Obligation	\$81,153,425
Net Assets Available for Benefits at Cost	\$37,770,000
Total Benefit Obligation less Assets	\$43,383,425
Funded Ratio	46.54%

) **Actuarial Cost Method (Table 9)**

The approach used by the State of Minnesota to determine contribution sufficiency is the Entry Age Normal Actuarial Cost Method. The primary characteristic of this method is that it allocates costs as a level percentage of payroll.

A comparison of this actuarial method (Table 9) to the actuarial balance sheet (Table 8) illustrates the two techniques for allocating liabilities of active Members to past and future. As noted in the prior section, the balance sheet allocates benefits and the corresponding liabilities, on the basis of service. The method used in Table 9 allocates liabilities so that the cost each year will be a constant percentage of payroll. Both approaches, however, calculate the value of all future benefits the same way (see line F of Table 8 and line A6, column 1, of Table 9).

An Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability is computed under the Entry Age Normal Actuarial Cost Method by comparing the liabilities allocated to past service (Actuarial Accrued Liability) to the Current Assets. This amount, line B3, is funded over the remaining years to the amortization date by a series of payments that remain a constant percentage of payroll each year.

The payments will increase 6.5% each year because that is the assumed rate of increase in payroll. Although the payment schedule will be adequate to amortize the existing unfunded, the lower payments in the earlier years will not be sufficient to cover the interest on the unfunded liability. After a few years, the annual payment will cover the interest and also repay a portion of the unfunded.

Sources of Actuarial Gains and Losses (Table 10)

The assumptions used in making the calculations using the Entry Age Normal Actuarial Cost Method are based on long-term expectations. Each year the actual experience will deviate from the long-term expectation. For a detailed analysis of the major components, refer to Table 10.

) Contribution Sufficiency (Table 11)

This report determines the adequacy of Statutory Contributions by comparing the Statutory Contributions to the Required Contributions.

The Required Contributions, set forth in Chapter 356, consist of:

Normal costs based on the Entry Age Normal Actuarial Cost Method.

A Supplemental Contribution for amortizing any Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability.

An Allowance for Expenses.

Table 11 shows the Plan has a contribution sufficiency since the Statutory Contribution Rate is 28.38% compared to the Required Contribution Rate of 26.59%.

) Changes in Actuarial Assumptions

The actuarial assumptions are the same as those used in the prior valuation.

Paragraph X.1.4 of the Actuarial Standards requires that the Actuarial Present Value of Compensation for purposes of determining the Normal Cost of the Fund be calculated assuming mid-year payments. Previously, beginning of year payments were assumed. This change in methodology results in an increase of 0.77% of payroll in the Normal Cost and a decrease in the Contribution Sufficiency of the Fund.

Changes in Plan Provisions

For Coordinated Members, Member Contributions were increased from 4% to 6.27% and the reduction in benefits for Social Security benefits was eliminated.

TABLE 1

JUDGES RETIREMENT FUND
ACCOUNTING BALANCE SHEET
(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)

JULY 1, 1992

	<u>Market Value</u>	<u>Cost Value</u>
A. ASSETS		
1. Cash, Equivalents, Short-term Securities	\$1,822	\$1,822
2. Investments		
a. Fixed Income	1,741	1,750
b. Equity	3,972	3,914
c. Real Estate	271	325
3. Equity in Minnesota Post-Retirement Investment Fund (MPRIF)	30,648	30,648
4. Other	47	47
	-----	-----
B. TOTAL ASSETS	\$38,501	\$38,506
	=====	=====
C. AMOUNTS CURRENTLY PAYABLE	\$736	\$736
D. ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS		
1. Member Reserves	\$5,711	\$5,711
2. Employer Reserves	(10,715)	(10,710)
3. MPRIF Reserves	30,648	30,648
4. Non-MPRIF Reserves	12,121	12,121
	-----	-----
5. Total Assets Available for Benefits	\$37,765	\$37,770
	-----	-----
E. TOTAL AMOUNTS CURRENTLY PAYABLE AND ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS	\$38,501	\$38,506
	=====	=====
F. DETERMINATION OF ACTUARIAL VALUE OF ASSETS		
1. Cost Value of Assets Available for Benefits (D5)		\$37,770
2. Market Value (D5)	\$37,765	
3. Cost Value (D5)	37,770	

4. Market Over Cost: (F2-F3)	(\$5)	
5. 1/3 of Market Over Cost: (F4)/3		(2)

6. Actuarial Value of Assets (F1+F5) (Same as "Current Assets")		\$37,768
		=====

TABLE 2

JUDGES RETIREMENT FUND
CHANGE IN ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS
(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1992

	<u>Market Value</u>	<u>Cost Value</u>
A. ASSETS AVAILABLE AT BEGINNING OF PERIOD	\$33,559	\$33,559
B. OPERATING REVENUES		
1. Member Contributions	\$988	\$988
2. Employer Contributions	4,722	4,722
3. Investment Income	710	710
4. MPRIF Income	2,508	2,508
5. Net Realized Gain (Loss)	189	189
6. Other	11	11
7. Net Change in Unrealized Gain (Loss)	(5)	0
	-----	-----
8. Total Revenue	\$9,123	\$9,128
	-----	-----
C. OPERATING EXPENSES		
1. Service Retirements	\$4,592	\$4,592
2. Disability Benefits	0	0
3. Survivor Benefits	0	0
4. Refunds	0	0
5. Expenses	67	67
6. Other	258	258
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7. Total Disbursements	\$4,917	\$4,917
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D. OTHER CHANGES IN RESERVES	0	0
E. ASSETS AVAILABLE AT END OF PERIOD	\$37,765	\$37,770
	=====	=====

TABLE 3

JUDGES RETIREMENT FUND

ACTIVE MEMBERS AS OF JUNE 30, 1992

AGE	YEARS OF SERVICE								ALL
	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30+	
<25									
25-29									
30-34		1							1
35-39		5	1	1					7
40-44	4	20	21	7					52
45-49	2	14	20	12	5				53
50-54	2	7	14	14	10	5			52
55-59	1	3	7	4	10	6	4		35
60-64		4	5	7	9	13	5	1	44
65+	2		3	2	7	6	3	4	27
ALL	11	54	71	47	41	30	12	5	271

AVERAGE ANNUAL EARNINGS

AGE	YEARS OF SERVICE								ALL
	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30+	
<25									
25-29									
30-34		78,769							78,769
35-39		79,797	78,769	78,769					79,503
40-44	78,769	79,562	79,258	78,769					79,272
45-49	78,769	78,769	78,769	78,769	80,825				78,963
50-54	78,769	78,769	79,136	78,769	78,769	78,769			78,868
55-59	78,769	80,483	78,769	79,753	80,311	78,769	78,769		79,469
60-64		83,566	79,797	79,503	79,961	79,164	78,769	83,911	79,916
65+	88,363		80,483	89,503	80,302	80,558	78,769	78,769	81,260
ALL	80,513	79,608	79,131	79,419	79,919	79,298	78,769	79,797	79,466

AGE	PRIOR FISCAL YEAR EARNINGS (IN THOUSANDS) BY YEARS OF SERVICE								ALL
	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30+	
ALL	885	4,298	5,618	3,732	3,276	2,378	945	398	21,535

TABLE 4

JUDGES RETIREMENT FUND

SERVICE RETIREMENTS AS OF JUNE 30, 1992

AGE	YEARS RETIRED							ALL
	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25+	
<50								
50-54								
55-59								
60-64	1	1						2
65-69	2	18	3					23
70-74	5	13	11	1				30
75-79			19	12	1			32
80-84			1	10	4			15
85+				1	6	1	1	9
ALL	8	32	34	24	11	1	1	111

AVERAGE ANNUAL BENEFIT

AGE	YEARS RETIRED							ALL
	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25+	
<50								
50-54								
55-59								
60-64	32,235	31,930						32,083
65-69	43,070	25,350	21,826					26,431
70-74	30,210	28,043	26,203	36,218				28,002
75-79			33,004	40,648	27,766			35,707
80-84			52,052	32,578	22,237			31,119
85+				29,748	30,361	35,358	35,358	31,403
ALL	33,678	26,650	30,378	36,647	27,171	35,358	35,358	30,668

TOTAL ANNUAL BENEFIT (IN THOUSANDS) BY YEARS RETIRED								
AGE	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25+	ALL
ALL	269	852	1,032	879	298	35	35	3,404

TABLE 5

JUDGES RETIREMENT FUND

SURVIVORS AS OF JUNE 30, 1992

AGE	YEARS SINCE DEATH							ALL
	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25+	
<50		1	3					4
50-54		1						1
55-59			1					1
60-64	1	1						2
65-69		3	3	1	4	1		12
70-74	1	2	1	1	1	1		7
75-79		1		3	3		2	9
80-84		2		1	4	3	2	12
85+	1	2			5	4	6	18
ALL	3	13	8	6	17	9	10	66

AVERAGE ANNUAL BENEFIT

AGE	YEARS SINCE DEATH							ALL
	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25+	
<50		17,350	23,271					21,791
50-54		17,411						17,411
55-59			16,525					16,525
60-64	17,773	8,624						13,199
65-69		22,625	20,592	19,684	10,066	17,679		17,273
70-74	27,743	15,473	26,415	24,469	5,773	17,679		19,004
75-79		17,679		25,362	15,282		12,983	18,397
80-84		12,403		7,692	17,599	11,926	6,396	12,622
85+	22,312	17,679			18,080	13,914	15,674	16,543
ALL	22,609	16,927	21,816	21,322	14,864	14,088	13,280	16,706

TOTAL ANNUAL BENEFIT (IN THOUSANDS) BY YEARS SINCE DEATH								
AGE	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25+	ALL
ALL	67	220	174	127	252	126	132	1,102

TABLE 6

JUDGES RETIREMENT FUND

DISABILITY RETIREMENTS AS OF JUNE 30, 1992

AGE	YEARS DISABLED							ALL
	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25+	
<50								
50-54								
55-59		1						1
60-64								
65-69		1	1		1			3
70-74			1	1				2
75-79			2	1				3
80-84								
85+								
ALL		2	4	2	1			9

AVERAGE ANNUAL BENEFIT

AGE	YEARS DISABLED							ALL
	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25+	
<50								
50-54								
55-59		19,602						19,602
60-64								
65-69		29,957	36,585		25,929			30,824
70-74			51,025	20,393				35,709
75-79			25,210	19,804				23,408
80-84								
85+								
ALL		24,780	34,508	20,099	25,929			28,191

TOTAL ANNUAL BENEFIT (ACTUAL DOLLARS) BY YEARS DISABLED

AGE	<1	1-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25+	ALL
ALL		49,560	138,032	40,198	25,929			253,719

TABLE 7

JUDGES RETIREMENT FUND
RECONCILIATION OF MEMBERS

		<u>Terminated</u>	
		<u>Deferred Retirement</u>	<u>Other Non-Vested</u>
	<u>Actives</u>		
A. ON JUNE 30, 1991	271	3	0
B. ADDITIONS	10	1	0
C. DELETIONS			
1. Service Retirement	(10)	0	0
2. Disability	0	0	0
3. Death	0	0	0
4. Terminated - Deferred	(1)	0	0
5. Terminated - Refund	0	0	0
6. Terminated - Other Non-Vested	0	0	0
7. Returned as Active	0	0	0
8. Transferred to Other Fund	0	0	0
D. DATA ADJUSTMENTS	1	0	0
Vested	193		
Non-Vested	78		
E. TOTAL ON JUNE 30, 1992	271	4	0

		<u>Recipients</u>	
		<u>Retirement Annuitants</u>	<u>Disabled</u>
			<u>Survivors</u>
A. ON JUNE 30, 1991	109	9	64
B. ADDITIONS	8	0	3
C. DELETIONS			
1. Service Retirement	0	0	0
2. Death	(6)	0	(1)
3. Annuity Expired	0	0	0
4. Returned as Active	0	0	0
D. DATA ADJUSTMENTS	0	0	0
E. TOTAL ON JUNE 30, 1992	111	9	66

TABLE 8

JUDGES RETIREMENT FUND

ACTUARIAL BALANCE SHEET
(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)

JULY 1, 1992

A.	CURRENT ASSETS (TABLE 1, F6)			\$37,768
B.	EXPECTED FUTURE ASSETS			
1.	Present Value of Expected Future Statutory Supplemental Contributions			\$54,875
2.	Present Value of Future Normal Costs			38,930
3.	Total Expected Future Assets			----- \$93,805
C.	TOTAL CURRENT AND EXPECTED FUTURE ASSETS			----- \$131,573
D.	CURRENT BENEFIT OBLIGATIONS	<u>Non-Vested</u>	<u>Vested</u>	<u>Total</u>
1.	Benefit Recipients			
a.	Retirement Annuities		\$29,677	\$29,677
b.	Disability Benefits		2,916	2,916
c.	Surviving Spouse and Child Benefits		10,176	10,176
2.	Deferred Retirements With Future Augmentation		363	363
3.	Former Members Without Vested Rights		0	0
4.	Active Members			
a.	Retirement Annuities	1,807	29,561	31,368
b.	Disability Benefits	2,066	0	2,066
c.	Survivor's Benefits	4,391	0	4,391
d.	Deferred Retirements	0	0	0
e.	Refund Liability Due to Death or Withdrawal	0	196	196
5.	Total Current Benefit Obligations	----- \$8,264	----- \$72,889	----- \$81,153
E.	EXPECTED FUTURE BENEFIT OBLIGATIONS			----- \$41,746
F.	TOTAL CURRENT AND EXPECTED FUTURE BENEFIT OBLIGATIONS			----- \$122,899
G.	CURRENT UNFUNDED ACTUARIAL LIABILITY (D5-A)			=====
				\$43,385
H.	CURRENT AND FUTURE UNFUNDED ACTUARIAL LIABILITY (F-C)			(\$8,674)

TABLE 9

JUDGES RETIREMENT FUND

DETERMINATION OF UNFUNDED ACTUARIAL ACCRUED LIABILITY (UAAL)
AND SUPPLEMENTAL CONTRIBUTION RATE
(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)

JULY 1, 1992

	Actuarial Present Value of Projected Benefits (1)	Actuarial Present Value of Future Normal Costs (2)	Actuarial Accrued Liability (3)=(1)-(2)
A. DETERMINATION OF ACTUARIAL ACCURED LIABILITY (AAL)			
1. Active Members			
a. Retirement Annuities	\$65,729	\$30,458	\$35,271
b. Disability Benefits	4,383	2,752	1,631
c. Survivor's Benefit	8,767	5,385	3,382
d. Deferred Retirements	0	0	0
e. Refunds Due to Death or Withdrawal	888	335	553
f. Total	<u>\$79,767</u>	<u>\$38,930</u>	<u>\$40,837</u>
2. Deferred Retirements With Future Augmentation	363		363
3. Former Members Without Vested Rights	0		0
4. Annuitants in MPRIF	30,648		30,648
5. Recipients Not in MPRIF	12,121		12,121
6. Total	<u>\$122,899</u>	<u>\$38,930</u>	<u>\$83,969</u>
B. DETERMINATION OF UNFUNDED ACTUARIAL ACCRUED LIABILITY (UAAL)			
1. AAL (A6)			\$83,969
2. Current Assets (Table 1, F6)			37,768
3. UAAL (B1-B2)			<u>\$46,201</u>
C. DETERMINATION OF SUPPLEMENTAL CONTRIBUTION RATE			
1. Present Value of Future Payrolls Through the Amortization Date of July 1, 2020			\$483,480
2. Supplemental Contribution Rate (B3/C1)			9.56%

TABLE 10

JUDGES RETIREMENT FUND

CHANGES IN UNFUNDED ACTUARIAL ACCRUED LIABILITY (UAAL)
(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1992

A.	UAAL AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	\$44,870
B.	CHANGE DUE TO INTEREST REQUIREMENTS AND CURRENT RATE OF FUNDING	
1.	Normal Cost and Expenses	\$3,469
2.	Contribution	(5,709)
3.	Interest on A, B1 and B2	3,719

4.	Total (B1+B2+B3)	\$1,479

C.	EXPECTED UAAL AT END OF YEAR (A+B4)	\$46,349
D.	INCREASE (DECREASE) DUE TO ACTUARIAL LOSSES (GAINS) BECAUSE OF EXPERIENCE DEVIATIONS FROM EXPECTED	
1.	Salary Increases	(\$68)
2.	Investment Return	(373)
3.	MPRIF Mortality	665
4.	Mortality of Other Benefit Recipients	494
5.	Other Items	(4,167)

6.	Total	(\$3,449)

E.	UAAL AT END OF YEAR BEFORE PLAN AMENDMENTS AND CHANGES IN ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTION (C+D5)	\$42,900
F.	CHANGE IN ACTUARIAL ACCRUED LIABILITY DUE TO PLAN AMENDMENTS	3,301
G.	CHANGE IN ACTUARIAL ACCRUED LIABILITY DUE TO CHANGES IN ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS	0

H.	UAAL AT END OF YEAR (E+F+G)	\$46,201
		=====

TABLE 11

JUDGES RETIREMENT FUND

DETERMINATION OF CONTRIBUTION SUFFICIENCY
(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)

JULY 1, 1992

	<u>Percent of Payroll</u>	<u>Dollar Amount</u>
A. STATUTORY CONTRIBUTIONS - CHAPTER 490		
1. Employee Contributions	6.38%	\$1,415
2. Employer Contributions	22.00%	4,880
	-----	-----
3. Total	28.38%	\$6,295
	=====	=====
 B. REQUIRED CONTRIBUTIONS - CHAPTER 356		
1. Normal Cost		
a. Retirement Benefits	13.13%	\$2,913
b. Disability benefits	1.06%	236
c. Survivors	2.28%	505
d. Deferred Retirement Benefits	0.00%	0
e. Refunds Due to Death or Withdrawal	0.25%	56
	-----	-----
f. Total	16.72%	\$3,710
	-----	-----
2. Supplemental Contribution Amortization by July 1, 2020 of UAAL	9.56%	2,121
3. Allowance for Expenses	0.31%	69
	-----	-----
4. Total	26.59%	\$5,900
 C. CONTRIBUTION SUFFICIENCY (DEFICIENCY) [A3-B4]	1.79%	\$395

Note: Projected Annual Payroll for Fiscal Year Beginning on July 1, 1992
is \$22,181.

JUDGES RETIREMENT FUND
SUMMARY OF ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS AND METHODS

Interest:	Pre-Retirement: 8.5% per annum
	Post-Retirement: 5.0% per annum
Salary Increases:	Statutory salary rate as prescribed in Chapter 345, Article I, Sec. 28, with a 3% increase for the 1992-93 fiscal year and 6.5% per year thereafter.
Mortality:	Pre-Retirement:
	Male - 1971 Group Annuity Mortality Table
	Female - 1971 Group Annuity Mortality Table
	male rates set back eight years
	Post-Retirement:
	Male - Same as above
	Female - Same as above
Retirement Age:	Post-Disability:
	Male - Same as above
	Female - Same as above
	Judges: Age 68 or, if over age 68, one year from the valuation date.
	Supreme Court Justices in Pre-1974 Plan: Latest of age 70, 12 years of service, or one year from valuation date.
Separation:	None
Disability:	Rates adopted by MSRS based on actual experience, most recently adjusted in 1979, as shown in rate table.
Expenses:	Prior year expenses expressed as percentage of prior year payroll.
Return of Contributions:	N/A
Family Composition:	Marital status as indicated by data. Female is three years younger than male.

TABLE 12
(Continued)

JUDGES RETIREMENT FUND

SUMMARY OF ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS AND METHODS

Social Security:	N/A
Benefit Increases After Retirement:	Payment of earnings on retired reserves in excess of 5% accounted for by 5% post-retirement assumptions.
Actuarial Cost Method:	Entry Age Normal Actuarial Cost Method based on earnings and the date the employee entered the plan is applied to all plan benefits. Under this method, Actuarial Gains (Losses) reduce (increase) the Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability.
Asset Valuation Method:	Cost Value plus one-third Unrealized Gains or Losses.
Payment on the Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability:	A level percentage of payroll each year to the statutory amortization date assuming payroll increases of 6.5% per annum.

TABLE 12
(Continued)

JUDGES RETIREMENT FUND

SUMMARY OF ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS AND METHODS

Separation Expressed as Number of Occurrences Per 10,000:

Age	Death		Withdrawal		Disability		Retirement	
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
20	5	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
21	5	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
22	5	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
23	6	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
24	6	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
25	6	5	0	0	0	0	0	0
26	7	5	0	0	0	0	0	0
27	7	5	0	0	0	0	0	0
28	7	5	0	0	0	0	0	0
29	8	5	0	0	0	0	0	0
30	8	5	0	0	2	0	0	0
31	9	6	0	0	2	0	0	0
32	9	6	0	0	2	0	0	0
33	10	6	0	0	2	0	0	0
34	10	7	0	0	2	0	0	0
35	11	7	0	0	2	1	0	0
36	12	7	0	0	2	1	0	0
37	13	8	0	0	2	1	0	0
38	14	8	0	0	2	1	0	0
39	15	9	0	0	2	2	0	0
40	16	9	0	0	2	2	0	0
41	18	10	0	0	2	2	0	0
42	20	10	0	0	2	4	0	0
43	23	11	0	0	3	4	0	0
44	26	12	0	0	3	4	0	0
45	29	13	0	0	3	5	0	0
46	33	14	0	0	5	6	0	0
47	38	15	0	0	7	7	0	0
48	42	16	0	0	9	7	0	0
49	47	18	0	0	11	10	0	0

TABLE 12
(Continued)

JUDGES RETIREMENT FUND

SUMMARY OF ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS AND METHODS

Separation Expressed as Number of Occurrences Per 10,000:

Age	<u>Death</u>		<u>Withdrawal</u>		<u>Disability</u>		<u>Retirement</u>	
	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female	Male	Female
50	53	20	0	0	14	10	0	0
51	59	23	0	0	16	12	0	0
52	65	26	0	0	20	14	0	0
53	71	29	0	0	24	16	0	0
54	78	33	0	0	28	20	0	0
55	85	38	0	0	34	24	0	0
56	93	42	0	0	40	30	0	0
57	100	47	0	0	46	36	0	0
58	109	53	0	0	56	44	0	0
59	119	59	0	0	66	52	0	0
60	131	65	0	0	76	62	0	0
61	144	71	0	0	90	74	0	0
62	159	78	0	0	110	88	0	0
63	174	85	0	0	136	104	0	0
64	192	93	0	0	174	122	0	0
65	213	100	0	0	0	0	0	0
66	236	109	0	0	0	0	0	0
67	263	119	0	0	0	0	0	0
68	292	131	0	0	0	0	10,000	10,000
69	324	144	0	0	0	0	0	0
70	361	159	0	0	0	0	0	0

JUDGES RETIREMENT FUND

SUMMARY OF PLAN PROVISIONS

Eligibility:	A judge or justice of any court who is not covered under the Social Security Act. If the Member was active prior to 1/1/74, benefits may be computed according to provisions of the prior plan.
Contributions	
Member:	8.15% of salary. Members who were active prior to 1/1/74 may contribute 4% to a special survivor retirement account.
Employer:	22% of salary.
Allowable Service:	Service as a judge. Half credit is received for service not compensated at an annual salary or for service while entitled to practice law. Credit may also be earned for uncredited judicial service if the appropriate employee contributions, with interest, are made.
Salary:	Salary set by law.
Average Salary:	Average of the five highest years of salary of the last 10 years prior to retirement.

RETIREMENT

Normal Retirement Benefit

Eligibility:	Age 65 and five years of Allowable Service. Age 70.
Amount:	2.5% of average salary for each year of Allowable Service prior to 7/1/80 and 3% of Average Salary for each year of Allowable Service after 6/30/80. Maximum benefit of 65% of salary for the 12 months preceding retirement.

JUDGES RETIREMENT FUND
SUMMARY OF PLAN PROVISIONS

Early Retirement Benefit

Eligibility: Age 62 and five years of Allowable Service.

Amount: Normal Retirement Benefit based on Allowable Service and Average Salary at retirement date with reduction of 0.5% for each month the Member is under age 65 at time of retirement.

Form of Payment: Life annuity. Actuarial equivalent options are:

- 50% or 100% joint and survivor
- 50% or 100% bounce back joint and survivor
- 10 or 15 year certain and life

Benefit Increases: Benefits may be increased each January 1 depending on the investment performance of the Minnesota Post Retirement Investment Fund (MPRIF).

DISABILITY

Disability Benefit

Eligibility: Permanent inability to perform the functions of judge.

Amount: No benefit is paid by the Fund. Instead salary is continued for two years but not beyond age 70. Employee contributions continue and Allowable Service is earned.

Retirement After Disability

Eligibility: Member is still disabled after salary payments cease after two years or at age 70, if earlier.

Amount: Larger of 25% of Average Salary or the Normal Retirement Benefit, without reduction.

Benefit Increases: Same as for retirement.

JUDGES RETIREMENT FUND
SUMMARY OF PLAN PROVISIONS

DEATH

Survivor's Benefit

Eligibility: Active or disabled Member dies before retirement or a former Member eligible for a deferred annuity dies.

Amount: Larger of 25% of Average Salary or 60% of Normal Retirement Benefit had the Member retired at date of death.

Benefit paid to spouse for life. If no spouse, benefit is paid to surviving dependent children until child marries, dies, or attains age 18 (age 22 if full-time student).

Benefit Increases: Same as for retirement.

Prior Survivors' Benefit

Eligibility: Retired Member dies who did not elect an optional annuity and such Member retired prior to 1/1/74 or was in office prior to 1/1/74 and continued contributing 4% of pay to provide this post-retirement death benefit.

Amount: 50% of the retired Member's benefit continues to the surviving spouse if married three years. Benefit begins immediately unless spouse is not yet age 40 and continues to death.

Benefit Increases: Adjusted by MSRS to provide same increase as MPRIF.

Refund of Contributions

Eligibility: Member dies prior to retirement or former Member eligible for a deferred annuity dies and survivors' benefits are not payable.

Amount: Member's contributions with 5% interest.

JUDGES RETIREMENT FUND
SUMMARY OF PLAN PROVISIONS

TERMINATION

Refund of Contributions

Eligibility:	Termination of service as a judge.
Amount:	Member's contributions with 5% interest. A deferred annuity may be elected in lieu of a refund.

Deferred Benefit

Eligibility:	Five years of Allowable Service.
Amount:	Benefit computed under law in effect at termination. Amount is payable as a normal or early retirement annuity.

JUDGES RETIREMENT FUND

SUMMARY OF PLAN PROVISIONS

Eligibility:	A judge or justice of any court who is covered under the Social Security Act.
Contributions	
Member:	6.27% of salary. (Amended 1992)
Employer:	22% of salary.
Allowable Service:	Service as a judge. Half credit is received for service not compensated at an annual salary or for service while entitled to practice law. Credit may also be earned for uncredited judicial service if the appropriate employee contributions, with interest, are made.
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JUDGES RETIREMENT FUND
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JUDGES RETIREMENT FUND
SUMMARY OF PLAN PROVISIONS

DEATH

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Eligibility: Active or disabled Member dies before retirement or a former Member eligible for a deferred annuity dies.

Amount: Larger of 25% of Average Salary or 60% of Normal Retirement Benefit had the Member retired at date of death. The primary Social Security is the amount upon which Social Security survivors' benefits are based.

Benefit paid to spouse for life. If no spouse, benefit is paid to surviving dependent children until child marries, dies, or attains age 18 (age 22 if full-time student).

Benefit Increases: Same as for retirement.

Refund of Contributions

Eligibility: Member dies prior to retirement or former Member eligible for a deferred annuity dies and survivors' benefits are not payable.

Amount: Member's contributions with 5% interest.

TERMINATION

Refund of Contributions

Eligibility: Termination of service as a judge.

Amount: Member's contributions with 5% interest. A deferred annuity may be elected in lieu of a refund.

JUDGES RETIREMENT FUND
SUMMARY OF PLAN PROVISIONS

Deferred Benefit

Eligibility:	Five years of Allowable Service.
Amount:	Benefit computed under law in effect at termination. Amount is payable as a normal or early retirement annuity.

SIGNIFICANT CHANGES:

1. Member contributions were increased from 4.0% to 6.27 of salary.
2. Removed the offset of 50% of primary Social Security from the determination of the Normal Retirement Benefit.



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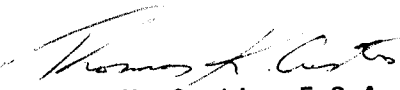
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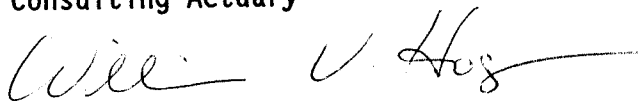
Commission Members:

Enclosed are replacement pages 1,2,4,6,7,14,15,16,17 for our recently issued July 1, 1991 Actuarial Valuation Report of the Judges Retirement Fund.

After issuing the report, we were informed that approximately 30 plan members (all but one retired) are covered by the "Prior Survivors' Benefit" provision of the Basic program. This data change results in an increase in benefit liability of approximately \$1.8 million. The plan Sufficiency earlier reported has been reduced. Appropriate adjustments to the Valuation Report are reflected in the replacement pages included herein.

Respectfully Submitted,


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JUDGES RETIREMENT FUND
REPORT HIGHLIGHTS
(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)

	<u>07/01/90</u> <u>Valuation</u>	<u>07/01/91</u> <u>Valuation</u>
A. CONTRIBUTIONS (Table 11)		
1. Statutory Contributions - Chapter 490 % of Payroll	22.56%	26.34%
2. Required Contributions - Chapter 356 % of Payroll	23.59%	25.10%
3. Sufficiency (Deficiency): (A.1. - A.2.)	-1.03%	1.24%
B. FUNDING RATIOS		
1. Accrued Benefit Funding Ratio		
a. Current Assets (Table 1)	\$28,116	\$33,559
b. Current Benefit Obligations (Table 8)	\$68,487	\$76,275
c. Funding Ratio: (a/b)	41.05%	44.00%
2. Accrued Liability Funding Ratio		
a. Current Assets (Table 1)	\$28,116	\$33,559
b. Actuarial Accrued Liability (Table 9)	\$69,396	\$78,428
c. Funding Ratio: (a/b)	40.52%	42.79%
3. Projected Benefit Funding Ratio (Table 8)		
a. Current and Expected Future Assets	\$98,016	\$122,981
b. Current and Expected Future Benefit Obligations	\$102,734	\$116,824
c. Funding Ratio: (a/b)	95.41%	105.27%
C. PLAN PARTICIPANTS		
1. Active Members		
a. Number (Table 3)	262	271
b. Projected Annual Earnings	\$20,662	\$21,570
c. Average Annual Earnings (Actual \$)	\$78,863	\$79,595
d. Average Age	52.9	52.9
e. Average Service	10.7	10.4
2. Others		
a. Service Retirements (Table 4)	106	109
b. Disability Retirements (Table 5)	9	9
c. Survivors (Table 6)	64	64
d. Deferred Retirements (Table 7)	2	3
e. Terminated Other Non-vested (Table 7)	1	0
f. Total	182	185

JUDGES RETIREMENT FUND

COMMENTARY

Purpose

The purpose of this valuation is to determine the financial status of the Plan. In order to achieve this purpose, an actuarial valuation is made at the beginning of each fiscal year as required by Section 356.215 of Minnesota Statutes.

Report Highlights

The financial status of the Plan can be measured by three different funding ratios:

The Accrued Benefit Funding Ratio is a measure of current funding status and, when viewed over a period of years, presents a view of the funding progress. It is based upon benefits which have been earned by service to the valuation date. This year's ratio is 44.00%. The corresponding ratio for the prior year was 41.05%.

The Accrued Liability Funding Ratio is also a measure of funding status and funding progress. It is based on the actuarial cost method that has historically been used by the State. For 1991 the ratio is 42.79%, which is an increase from the 1990 value of 40.52%.

The Projected Benefit Funding Ratio is a measure of the adequacy or deficiency in the contribution level. This year's ratio of 105.27% verifies that the current statutory contributions are sufficient.

Asset Information (Tables 1 and 2)

Minnesota Statutes require that the asset value used for actuarial purposes

For Non-active Members - the discounted value of benefits, including augmentation in cases where benefits have not commenced.

GASB Disclosure

The Current Benefit Obligation amounts in Table 8 are required to be disclosed by Statement No. 5 of the Governmental Accounting Standards Board (GASB). However, Statement No. 5 uses the terms "Actuarial Present Value of Credited Projected Benefits" and "Pension Benefit Obligation" rather than "Current Benefit Obligation".

The July 1, 1991 Pension Benefit Obligation reported in Table 8 is reformatted for GASB reporting purposes in the following table:

Retirees and beneficiaries currently receiving benefits and terminated employees not yet receiving benefits	\$40,147,240
Current Employees	
Accumulated employee contributions	\$5,077,734
including allocated investment income	
Employer-financed vested	28,465,078
Employer-financed nonvested	2,584,073

Total Pension Benefit Obligation	\$76,274,125
Net Assets Available for Benefits at Cost	\$33,559,000
Total Benefit Obligation less Assets	\$42,715,125
Funded Ratio	44.00%

Contribution Sufficiency (Table 11)

This report determines the adequacy of Statutory Contributions by comparing the Statutory Contributions to the Required Contributions.

The Required Contributions, set forth in Chapter 356, consist of:

Normal costs based on the Entry Age Normal Actuarial Cost Method.

A Supplemental Contribution for amortizing any Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability.

An Allowance for Expenses.

Table 11 shows the Plan has a contribution sufficiency since the Statutory Contribution Rate is 26.34% compared to the Required Contribution Rate of 25.10%.

Changes in Actuarial Assumptions

The actuarial assumptions are the same as those used in the prior valuation.

Changes in Plan Provisions

There were no changes in plan provisions since the prior valuation which impacted funding costs.

TABLE 1

JUDGES RETIREMENT FUND
ACCOUNTING BALANCE SHEET
(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)

JULY 1, 1991

	<u>Market Value</u>	<u>Cost Value</u>
A. ASSETS		
1. Cash, Equivalents, Short-term Securities	\$268	\$268
2. Investments		
a. Fixed Income	1,675	1,733
b. Equity	4,219	4,485
c. Real Estate	403	79
3. Equity in Minnesota Post-Retirement Investment Fund (MPRIF)	28,104	28,104
4. Other	0	0
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B. TOTAL ASSETS	\$34,669	\$34,669
	=====	=====
C. AMOUNTS CURRENTLY PAYABLE	\$1,110	\$1,110
D. ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS		
1. Member Reserves	\$5,125	\$5,125
2. Employer Reserves	(11,501)	(11,501)
3. MPRIF Reserves	28,104	28,104
4. Non-MPRIF Reserves	11,831	11,831
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5. Total Assets Available for Benefits	\$33,559	\$33,559
	-----	-----
E. TOTAL AMOUNTS CURRENTLY PAYABLE AND ASSETS AVAILABLE FOR BENEFITS	\$34,669	\$34,669
	=====	=====
F. DETERMINATION OF ACTUARIAL VALUE OF ASSETS		
1. Cost Value of Assets Available for Benefits (D5)		\$33,559
2. Market Value (D5)	\$33,559	
3. Cost Value (D5)	33,559	

4. Market Over Cost: (F2-F3)	\$0	
5. 1/3 of Market Over Cost: (F4)/3		0

6. Actuarial Value of Assets (F1+F5) (Same as "Current Assets")		\$33,559
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TABLE 8

JUDGES RETIREMENT FUND
ACTUARIAL BALANCE SHEET
(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)

JULY 1, 1991

A.	CURRENT ASSETS (TABLE 1, F6)			\$33,559
B.	EXPECTED FUTURE ASSETS			
1.	Present Value of Expected Future Statutory Supplemental Contributions			\$51,026
2.	Present Value of Future Normal Costs			38,396
3.	Total Expected Future Assets			<u>\$89,422</u>
C.	TOTAL CURRENT AND EXPECTED FUTURE ASSETS			<u>\$122,981</u>
D.	CURRENT BENEFIT OBLIGATIONS	<u>Non-Vested</u>	<u>Vested</u>	<u>Total</u>
1.	Benefit Recipients			
a.	Retirement Annuities *		\$27,718	\$27,718
b.	Disability Benefits		2,738	2,738
c.	Surviving Spouse and Child Benefits		9,480	9,480
2.	Deferred Retirements With Future Augmentation		212	212
3.	Former Members Without Vested Rights		0	0
4.	Active Members			
a.	Retirement Annuities	1,989	27,837	29,826
b.	Disability Benefits	1,974	0	1,974
c.	Survivor's Benefits	4,165	0	4,165
d.	Deferred Retirements	0	0	0
e.	Refund Liability Due to Death or Withdrawal	0	162	162
5.	Total Current Benefit Obligations	<u>\$8,128</u>	<u>\$68,147</u>	<u>\$76,275</u>
E.	EXPECTED FUTURE BENEFIT OBLIGATIONS			<u>\$40,549</u>
F.	TOTAL CURRENT AND EXPECTED FUTURE BENEFIT OBLIGATIONS			<u>\$116,824</u>
G.	CURRENT UNFUNDED ACTUARIAL LIABILITY (D5-A)			<u>\$42,716</u>
H.	CURRENT AND FUTURE UNFUNDED ACTUARIAL LIABILITY (F-C)			<u>(\$6,157)</u>

* Includes \$1,831 of Pre-74 Spouse Benefits.

TABLE 9

JUDGES RETIREMENT FUND

**DETERMINATION OF UNFUNDED ACTUARIAL ACCRUED LIABILITY (UAAL)
AND SUPPLEMENTAL CONTRIBUTION RATE
(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)**

JULY 1, 1991

	Actuarial Present Value of Projected Benefits	Actuarial Present Value of Future Normal Costs	Actuarial Accrued Liability
	(1)	(2)	(3)=(1)-(2)
A. DETERMINATION OF ACTUARIAL ACCRUED LIABILITY (AAL)			
1. Active Members			
a. Retirement Annuities	\$63,478	\$30,071	\$33,407
b. Disability Benefits	4,304	2,750	1,554
c. Survivor's Benefit	8,430	5,250	3,180
d. Deferred Retirements	0	0	0
e. Refunds Due to Death or Withdrawal	465	325	140
	-----	-----	-----
f. Total	\$76,677	\$38,396	\$38,281
	-----	-----	-----
2. Deferred Retirements With Future Augmentation	212		212
3. Former Members Without Vested Rights	0		0
4. Annuitants in MPRIF	28,104		28,104
5. Recipients Not in MPRIF	11,831		11,831
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6. Total	\$116,824	\$38,396	\$78,428
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B. DETERMINATION OF UNFUNDED ACTUARIAL ACCRUED LIABILITY (UAAL)			
1. AAL (A6)			\$78,428
2. Current Assets (Table 1, F6)			33,559

3. UAAL (B1-B2)			\$44,869
			=====
C. DETERMINATION OF SUPPLEMENTAL CONTRIBUTION RATE			
1. Present Value of Future Payrolls Through the Amortization Date of July 1, 2020			\$497,327
2. Supplemental Contribution Rate (B3/C1)			9.02%

TABLE 10

JUDGES RETIREMENT FUND

CHANGES IN UNFUNDED ACTUARIAL ACCRUED LIABILITY (UAAL)
(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)

YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1991

A.	UAAL AT BEGINNING OF YEAR	\$41,280
B.	CHANGE DUE TO INTEREST REQUIREMENTS AND CURRENT RATE OF FUNDING	
1.	Normal Cost and Expenses	\$3,014
2.	Contribution	(799)
3.	Interest on A, B1 and B2	3,603

4.	Total (B1+B2+B3)	\$5,818

C.	EXPECTED UAAL AT END OF YEAR (A+B4)	\$47,098
D.	INCREASE (DECREASE) DUE TO ACTUARIAL LOSSES (GAINS) BECAUSE OF EXPERIENCE DEVIATIONS FROM EXPECTED	
1.	Salary Increases	(\$4,076)
2.	Investment Return	(293)
3.	MPRIF Mortality	1,035
4.	Mortality of Other Benefit Recipients	884
5.	Other Items	221

6.	Total	(\$2,229)

E.	UAAL AT END OF YEAR BEFORE PLAN AMENDMENTS AND CHANGES IN ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTION (C+D5)	\$44,869
F.	CHANGE IN ACTUARIAL ACCRUED LIABILITY DUE TO PLAN AMENDMENTS	0
G.	CHANGE IN ACTUARIAL ACCRUED LIABILITY DUE TO CHANGES IN ACTUARIAL ASSUMPTIONS	0

H.	UAAL AT END OF YEAR (E+F+G)	\$44,869
		=====

TABLE 11

JUDGES RETIREMENT FUND
DETERMINATION OF CONTRIBUTION SUFFICIENCY
(DOLLARS IN THOUSANDS)

JULY 1, 1991

	<u>Percent of Payroll</u>	<u>Dollar Amount</u>
A. STATUTORY CONTRIBUTIONS - CHAPTER 490		
1. Employee Contributions	4.34%	\$936
2. Employer Contributions	22.00%	4,745
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3. Total	26.34%	\$5,681
	=====	=====
 B. REQUIRED CONTRIBUTIONS - CHAPTER 356		
1. Normal Cost		
a. Retirement Benefits	12.38%	\$2,670
b. Disability benefits	1.02%	220
c. Survivors	2.17%	469
d. Deferred Retirement Benefits	0.00%	0
e. Refunds Due to Death or Withdrawal	0.17%	37
	-----	-----
f. Total	15.74%	\$3,396
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2. Supplemental Contribution Amortization by July 1, 2020 of UAAL	9.02%	1,946
3. Allowance for Expenses	0.34%	73
	-----	-----
4. Total	25.10%	\$5,415
 C. CONTRIBUTION SUFFICIENCY (DEFICIENCY) (A3-B4)	1.24%	\$266

Note: Projected Annual Payroll for Fiscal Year Beginning on July 1, 1991
is \$21,570.

MEMORANDUM TO: Legislative Commission on Pensions and Retirement

FROM: James R. Bordewick, F.S.A.

RE: Minnesota State Retirement System - Judges' Retirement Fund - *Experience Study*

DATE: March 8, 1984

Chapter 356.215, Subdivision 2 requires that an experience study of the fund be conducted every four years. An experience study is a report which furnishes experience data and an actuarial analysis which substantiates the actuarial assumptions of the fund.

The experience study was conducted by James M. Magalska of Touche, Ross & Co.

Ideally, actuarial assumptions should match experience of the fund by each assumption and also by the assumptions in the aggregate. To put it another way, it would be ideal to utilize actuarial assumptions which do not result in any actuarial gains or losses to the fund. For funds the size of the Judges' plan, it would be only by coincidence that this ideal would be attained.

In general, an actuarial gain results if the expected occurrence produced a larger liability than necessary to support the actual occurrence, if the expected liability released by the occurrence was smaller than the actual liability released, or if the actual rate of asset growth was greater than expected. The reverse is true for an actuarial loss.

The following is a summary discussion of the experience study results for the period from June 30, 1979 to June 30, 1983.

1. The unfunded accrued liability increased by \$7,173,369 over the period. The portion of this increase attributable to actuarial losses was 48% or \$3,454,233.
2. An interest assumption of 5% is required by Chapter 356. The overall rate of return on the value of the assets was in excess of 5% for the period. This resulted in an actuarial gain of \$570,999 over the four year period.
3. A salary increase assumption of 3½% is required by Chapter 356. The combined effect of salary increases and Social Security changes produced a net actuarial loss of \$1,728,649 over the period.

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3. The combined interest and salary scale assumptions are implicit assumptions. In other words, it is expected that excess interest earnings will offset actuarial losses from the lack of a realistic salary increase assumption. Over the past four years, this has not happened.

It is expected that salary losses in excess of actuarial gains from interest will continue with the assumptions in use.

4. No pre-retirement withdrawals are assumed. There were 13 withdrawals over the past four years and this probably resulted in a small actuarial gain. The results are not statistically significant and the actuary recommended no change in this assumption.
5. The ratio of pre-retirement deaths to expected pre-retirement deaths was 50%. There were four deaths during the period. The results are not statistically significant and the actuary recommended no change in this assumption.
6. There were no disabilities during the four year period although three disabilities were expected. This is not a significant deviation from the expected experience given the size of the fund. The actuary recommended no change in this assumption.
7. The ratio of actual to expected deaths for retirement members was 57% over the four year period ending June 30, 1983. This experience produced an actuarial loss of \$267,203. There were 17 deaths. The results are not statistically significant and the actuary recommended no change in this assumption.
8. It is assumed that retirement will occur at an average age of 68. The average age at retirement over the last four years has been about age 67. No particular trend is indicated and the average retirement age will show some volatility due to the size of the group. The actuary recommended no change in this assumption.
9. The expense provision assumed is .16% of payroll. Actual expenses during the past four years have been .26% of payroll and the actuary recommended that this assumption be changed to .26% of payroll.

The experience study complies with the requirements of Chapter 356 of the Minnesota Statutes.

Based on the data available, I agree with the actuary's recommendations on changes to the actuarial assumptions.


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