File No. 1471

Substitute House Bill No. 5046



House of Representatives, May31, 1971. The Committee on Finance reported through Rep. Spain of the 166th District, Chairman of the Committee on the part of the House, that the bill ought to pass.

AN ACT CONCERNING HOLDING AND SALE OF BONDS OF THE STATE FOR THE PENSION FUND OF THE TEACHERS' RETIREMENT SYSTEM.

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

Section 10-179 of the 1969 supplement to the 2 general statutes is repealed and the following is 3 substituted in lieu thereof: The treasurer of each 4 town, city or school district in the state, the 5 board of trustees of The University 6 Connecticut, the commission for higher education, 7 the boards of trustees of the constituent units of 8 the commission for higher education as provided in 9 section 10-322, and the secretary of the state 10 board of education shall transmit to the secretary 11 of the retirement board not later than the last 12 business day of each month the amount deducted 13 from salaries as specified in the monthly order of 14 the board of education, or the board of trustees 15 or commission in accordance with the provisions of 16 section 10-178. All such amounts due the 17 retirement board shall be liable to interest at 18 nine per cent per annum when payment of the same 19 is delayed more than one calendar month after the 20 time prescribed for payment thereof. The proceeds 21 of such interest charge shall be deposited to the

22 interest earnings of the annuity fund. 23 secretary of the retirement board shall pay to the 24 state treasurer all sums collected by him under 25 the provisions of this section. All funds of the 26 retirement system shall be in the custody of the 27 state treasurer, and except for general obligation 28 bonds issued in accordance with sections 3-17, 3-29 20, 3-27, 10-165, 10-180 and 10-180b and delivered 30 to the pension fund provided for in subdivision 31 (3) of section 10-165, he shall invest such funds 32 as are not required for current disbursements in 33 accordance with the statutes governing the 34 investment of savings bank funds, or when deemed 35 prudent, in accordance with the statutes governing 36 the investment of trust funds. Upon authorization 37 of general obligation bonds in accordance with 38 sections 3-17, 3-20, 3-27, 10-165, 10-180 and 10-39 180b and this section, the state treasurer shall 40 accept such general obligation bonds WHEN ISSUED 41 and MAY hold them to maturity [when issued and 42 delivered upon original issue at the issue price] 43 OR HE MAY AT ANY TIME PRIOR TO MATURITY SELL SUCH 44 BONDS OR A PORTION THEREOF, WHETHER IN 45 ORIGINAL FORM, RATE OF INTEREST AND DENOMINATIONS 46 ACCEPTED BY HIM OR IN SUCH OTHER FORM, RATE OF 47 INTEREST AND DENOMINATIONS AS HE MAY APPROVE, 48 PROVIDED THE NET PROCEEDS FROM SUCH SALE SHALL BE 49 HELD AND INVESTED BY HIM FOR THE PURPOSE OF PAYING 50 THE PENSIONS PROVIDED FOR IN THIS CHAPTER. 51 obligations authorized, issued and delivered to 52 the pension fund provided for in subdivision (3) 53 of section 10-165 shall have maturities fixed with 54 due regard for the needs of the fund and shall 55 bear interest at a rate equal to the average rate return on investments in the fund in 56 of 57 subdivision (2) of said section for the two fiscal 58 years preceding the date of issuance; except that, 59 where such rate of return is not a multiple of 60 one-eighth of one per centum, the rate of interest 61 of such obligations shall be the multiple of one-62 eighth of one per centum nearest such rate of 63 return on investments in the fund in said 64 subdivision (2). The state treasurer shall 65 certify to the state bond commission the amount of 66 such rate of return for the two fiscal years 67 preceding the date of issuance. On order of the 68 teachers' retirement board, the state treasurer 69 shall draw a check in favor of the teachers'

70 retirement board from the pension fund, the 71 annuity fund or the survivorship and dependency 72 fund covering such payments as are due members in 73 accordance with sections 10-166, 10-168, 10-168a 74 and 10-176, as listed in detail on a warrant 75 specifying the order. On or before the third 76 Wednesday in July, annually, the state treasurer 77 shall file, with the insurance commissioner and 78 with the secretary of the retirement board, a 79 sworn statement exhibiting the condition of the 80 teachers' retirement funds on the thirtieth day of 81 the preceding June and their financial 82 transactions for the year ending on such date. 83 Such statements shall be in the form prescribed by 84 the retirement board. The retirement board shall 85 submit to the governor, as provided in section 4-86 60, a detailed statement of the membership, 87 retirements, withdrawals, investments, incomes and 88 expenditures of the retirement association, which 89 statements shall be printed by the commissioner of 90 finance and control.

STATE OF CONNECTICUT	4
Bill No. 5046	6
Referred to Committee on Juneauce	7
LCO No. 240	8
Introduced by Rep. Comstock, 71st Dist.	9
Sen. Cashman, 20th Dist.	10
General Assembly,	11
January Session, A.D., 1971	12
AN ACT CONCERNING THE STATE BOND COMMISSION.	15
Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in	17
General Assembly convened:	18
Section 1. Subsection (a) of section 3-20 of the 1969	19
supplement to the general statutes is repealed and the following	20
is substituted in lieu thereof: There is established the	21
state bond commission, which shall consist of the governor, the	22
treasurer, the comptroller, the attorney general, the	23
commissioner of finance and control, [and] the public works	
commissioner, TWO SENATE MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE	24
APPOINTED BY THE PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE OF THE SENATE, NOT MORE	25
THAN ONE OF WHOM SHALL BE OF THE SAME POLITICAL PARTY, AND THREE	26
HOUSE MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE, NOT MORE THAN TWO OF	27
WHOM SHALL BE OF THE SAME POLITICAL PARTY. The chairman of the	28
state building program commission shall be, ex officio, a member	
of the state bond commission. The members of said commission	29
shall serve without compensation.	30
Sec. 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 1971.	32

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STATEMENT OF PURPOSE: To provide for legislative representation	35
on the state bond commission.	36
[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets and proposed	38
additions are all capitalized, or underlined where appropriate l	11:0