

ORIGINAL HOUSE  
BILL NO. 0162

ENROLLED ACT NO. 101, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

SIXTIETH LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WYOMING  
2009 GENERAL SESSION

AN ACT relating to state employee retirement; providing an appropriation for payment of retirement credits for state employees' while serving in the United States military, as specified; providing a sunset date; and providing for an effective date.

*Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Wyoming:*

**Section 1.** W.S. 9-3-417(c) is amended to read:

**9-3-417. Determination of eligibility for retirement; board to determine equivalent of years of service; credit for military service.**

(c) Credit shall be allowed for any period of time which a member spends in active military or other emergency service of the United States in accordance with rules adopted by the board pursuant to the Veterans' Reemployment Rights Act (38 U.S.C. 4321, et seq. P.L. 93-508). ~~Subject to amounts made available by legislative appropriation and~~ In accordance with rule and regulation of the board, until June 30, 2018 up to two (2) years of credit allowed under this subsection may be provided at no cost to the member. After June 30, 2010, each state agency, department or institution, including the University of Wyoming and the community colleges shall estimate the amount required for provision of credits under this subsection for the next biennium and shall include the estimate in the agency's biennial budget request. Provision for payment of employer's contributions under this subsection shall be as provided in W.S. 9-3-414.

**Section 2.** Two hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$250,000.00), or as much thereof as may be necessary, is appropriated from the general fund to the Wyoming

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retirement board for fiscal years 2009 and 2010 to fund military service retirement credits for retirement system members pursuant to W.S. 9-3-417(c).

**Section 3.** This act is effective immediately upon completion of all acts necessary for a bill to become law as provided by Article 4, Section 8 of the Wyoming Constitution.

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Speaker of the House

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President of the Senate

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Governor

TIME APPROVED: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE APPROVED: \_\_\_\_\_

I hereby certify that this act originated in the House.

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Chief Clerk