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**SENATE BILL 6303**

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**By** Senators Bauer, Long, Franklin, Winsley, Rossi, Roach and Fraser; by request of Joint Committee on Pension Policy

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1 AN ACT Relating to restrictions on the restoration of service  
2 credit; adding a new section to chapter 41.26 RCW; adding a new section  
3 to chapter 41.32 RCW; adding new sections to chapter 41.40 RCW; and  
4 adding a new section to chapter 43.43 RCW.

5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:

6 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 41.26 RCW  
7 under the subchapter heading "provisions applicable to plan I and plan  
8 II" to read as follows:

9 Notwithstanding any provision to the contrary, persons who fail to:

10 (1) Establish allowable membership service not previously credited;

11 (2) Restore all or a part of that previously credited membership  
12 service represented by withdrawn contributions; or

13 (3) Restore service credit represented by a lump sum payment in  
14 lieu of benefits, before the deadline established by statute, may do so  
15 under the conditions set forth in RCW 41.50.165.

16 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 2.** A new section is added to chapter 41.32 RCW  
17 under the subchapter heading "provisions applicable to plan I, plan II,  
18 and plan III" to read as follows:

1 Notwithstanding any provision to the contrary, persons who fail to:  
2 (1) Establish allowable membership service not previously credited;  
3 (2) Restore all or a part of that previously credited membership  
4 service represented by withdrawn contributions; or  
5 (3) Restore service credit represented by a lump sum payment in  
6 lieu of benefits, before the deadline established by statute, may do so  
7 under the conditions set forth in RCW 41.50.165.

8 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 3.** A new section is added to chapter 41.40 RCW  
9 under the subchapter heading "provisions applicable to plan I and plan  
10 II" to read as follows:

11 Notwithstanding any provision to the contrary, persons who fail to:  
12 (1) Establish allowable membership service not previously credited;  
13 (2) Restore all or a part of that previously credited membership  
14 service represented by withdrawn contributions; or  
15 (3) Restore service credit represented by a lump sum payment in  
16 lieu of benefits, before the deadline established by statute, may do so  
17 under the conditions set forth in RCW 41.50.165.

18 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 4.** A new section is added to chapter 41.40 RCW  
19 under the subchapter heading "provisions applicable to plan I" to read  
20 as follows:

21 Notwithstanding any provision to the contrary, employees of  
22 Washington State University who first established membership in the  
23 public employees' retirement system plan I under RCW 41.40.500 through  
24 41.40.507, as existing on July 28, 1991, and RCW 41.40.508, as existing  
25 on June 7, 1990, may purchase, as set forth under RCW 41.50.165, plan  
26 I service credit for the period of service at Washington State  
27 University prior to his or her contributory membership in the  
28 Washington State University retirement system.

29 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 5.** A new section is added to chapter 43.43 RCW  
30 to read as follows:

31 Notwithstanding any provision to the contrary, persons who fail to:  
32 (1) Establish allowable membership service not previously credited;  
33 (2) Restore all or a part of that previously credited membership  
34 service represented by withdrawn contributions; or

1           (3) Restore service credit represented by a lump sum payment in  
2 lieu of benefits, before the deadline established by statute, may do so  
3 under the conditions set forth in RCW 41.50.165.

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