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## SENATE BILL 6038

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By Senator Honeyford

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- 1 AN ACT Relating to authorizing service credit for half-time
- 2 employment by certain teachers; and amending RCW 41.32.812.
- 3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:
- 4 **Sec. 1.** RCW 41.32.812 and 1994 c 197 s 21 are each amended to read 5 as follows:
- 6 (1) The department of retirement systems shall credit at least one-
- 7 half service credit month for each month of each school year, as
- 8 defined by RCW 28A.150.040, from October 1, 1977, through December 31,
- 9 1986, to a member of the teachers' retirement system plan 2 who was
- 10 employed by an employer, as defined by RCW 41.32.010, under a contract
- 11 for half-time employment as determined by the department for such
- 12 school year and from whose compensation contributions were paid by the
- 13 employee or picked up by the employer. Any withdrawn contributions
- 14 shall be restored under RCW 41.32.500(1) or 41.50.165 prior to
- 15 crediting any service.
- 16 (2) Any teacher who at any time between October 1, 1977, and
- 17 December 31, 1986, was employed by an employer, as defined by RCW
- 18 <u>41.32.010</u>, under a contract for at least half-time employment as
- 19 determined by the department, but was not yet a member of the teachers'

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- retirement system plan 2, has the option to receive service credit for 1 2 each month of each school year worked between October 1, 1977, and December 31, 1986. In order to establish service credit, the member 3 4 must pay the required contribution, plus interest as determined by the department, to the retirement system. The employer must pay the 5 required employer contribution, plus interest as determined by the 6 department, upon notice from the department that the member has made 7 8 contributions under this section.
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