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(1) (a) Any member may retire on written application to the board of trustees setting forth when he desires to be retired, provided that the member at the time he specifies for his retirement shall have attained: (i) 30 years of creditable service, or (ii) the age and has years of creditable service as follows [and notwithstanding that during the period of notification he may have separated from service]:

Age		Years of creditable service
62	with	5
63	with	4
64	with	3
65 or more	with	2

Article 88B - State Police

53.

(1) (a) Any member may retire upon written application to the board of trustees setting forth at what time he or she desires to be retired, provided that the member at the time specified for retirement has attained the age of 50 or shall have completed 25 years of creditable service[, and notwithstanding that during the period of notification the member may have separated from service]. The physician of the Department must have attained the age of 65 in order to retire.

(8) (a) Upon the receipt of proper proofs of the death of a member in service there shall be paid to the member's estate or to any person having an insurable interest in the life of the deceased, that he has nominated by written designation duly executed and filed with the board of trustees:

(i) The member's accumulated contributions; and

(ii) If the member has one through two years of creditable service, an amount equal to his or her annual earnable compensation at the time of death.

(b) The board of trustees may take the steps necessary to provide the death benefit under this subsection in the form of group life insurance, if, in the opinion of the board of trustees, that provision would allow a more favorable tax treatment of the benefit to the beneficiaries thereof.