Sec. <u>145.30</u> 145.362. A disability retirant BENEFIT RECIPIENT shall retain his membership status. Also, he shall be considered on leave of absence from his position of employment during his THE first five years on the retired list FOLLOWING THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF A DIS-ABILITY BENEFIT, notwithstanding any contrary provisions in this chapter. The

THE public employees retirement board may require any disability retirant BENEFIT RECIPIENT to undergo a medical examination. If any disability retirant BENEFIT RECIPIENT refuses to submit to a medical examination, his retirement allowance DISABILITY BENEFIT shall be discontinued until his withdrawal of the refusal. Should the refusal continue for one year, all his rights in and to such retirement allowance DISABILITY BENEFIT shall be forfeited. Upon completion of the examination by an examining physician or physicians selected by the board. the physician or physicians shall report and certify to the board whether the retirant DISABILITY BENEFIT RECIPIENT is physically and mentally capable of resuming service similar to that from which he was retired FOUND DISABLED. If the board concurs in the report that the disability retirant BENEFIT RECIPIENT is capable of resuming service similar to that from which he was retired FOUND DISABLED, the payment of the disability allowance BENEFIT shall be terminated not later than three months after such determination or upon employment as a public employee. If the leave of absence has not expired, the retirement board shall certify to his last employer before retirement BEING FOUND DISABLED that the retirant DISABILITY BENEFIT RECIPIENT is capable of resuming service and the employer shall restore the retirent HIM to his previous position and salary or to a position and salary similar thereto.

The board may adopt rules requiring each disability retirant BENE-FIT RECIPIENT to file with the board an annual statement of earnings and current medical information on his condition.

If a disability retirant BENEFIT RECIPIENT is restored to service by, OR ELECTED TO AN ELECTIVE OFFICE WITH, an employer covered by this chapter, his retirement allowance DISABILITY BENE-FIT shall cease and the annuity and pension reserves on his allowance at that time in the annuity and pension reserve fund shall be transferred from the annuity and pension reserve fund to the employees' savings fund and the employers' accumulation fund, respectively.

The board may terminate A disability retirement BENEFIT at the request of the retirent RECIPIENT.

If a disability allowance RETIREMENT UNDER SECTION 145.36 OF THE REVISED CODE is terminated for any reason, and THE AN-NUITY AND PENSION RESERVES AT THAT TIME IN THE AN-NUITY AND PENSION RESERVES AT THAT TIME IN THE AN-NUITY AND PENSION RESERVE FUND SHALL BE TRANS-FERRED TO THE EMPLOYEES' SAVINGS FUND AND THE EM-PLOYERS' ACCUMULATION FUND, RESPECTIVELY. IF the total disability allowance BENEFIT paid is less than the amount of the accumulated contributions of the member transferred to the annuity and pension reserve fund at the time of his disability retirement, the difference shall be transferred from the annuity and pension reserve fund to such other fund as may be required. In determining the amount of a member's account following the termination of disability retirement for any reason, the total allowance AMOUNT paid shall be charged against the member's refundable account.

IF A DISABILITY ALLOWANCE PAID UNDER SECTION 145.361 OF THE REVISED CODE IS TERMINATED FOR ANY REA-SON, THE RESERVE ON THE ALLOWANCE AT THAT TIME IN THE ANNUITY AND PENSION RESERVE FUND SHALL BE TRANSFERRED FROM THAT FUND TO THE EMPLOYERS' AC-CUMULATION FUND.

If a former disability retirant BENEFIT RECIPIENT again becomes a contributor, OTHER THAN AS AN OTHER SYSTEM RE-TIRANT UNDER SECTION 145.38 OF THE REVISED CODE, to this system, the state teachers retirement system, or the public school employees retirement system, and complete COMPLETES an additional two years of service credit, he shall be entitled to full service credit for the period of AS A disability retirement BENEFIT RECIPIENT.

If any employer employs any member who is receiving a disability allowance BENEFIT, the employer shall file notice of employment with the retirement board, designating the date of employment. In case the notice is not filed, the total amount of allowance THE BENEFIT paid during the period of employment prior to notice shall be charged to the employer and paid from funds supplied by the employer.

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