- (3) The board shall determine whether an agent is an Ohio-qualified agent, meets the criteria established by the board pursuant to division (C) of this section, and offers quality, services, and safety comparable to other agents otherwise available to the board. The board's determination shall be final.
- (E) The board shall, at least annually, submit to the Ohio retirement study council a report containing the following information:
- (1) The name of each agent designated as an Ohio-qualified agent under this section:
- (2) The name of each agent that executes securities transactions on behalf of the board:
- (3) The amount of equity and fixed income trades that are executed by Ohio qualified agents, expressed as a percentage of all equity and fixed-income trades that are executed by agents on behalf of the board;
- (4) The compensation paid to Ohio-qualified agents, expressed as a percentage of total compensation paid to all agents that execute securities transactions on behalf of the board;
- (5) The amount of equity and fixed income trades that are executed by agents that are minority business enterprises, expressed as a percentage of all equity and fixed income trades that are executed by agents on behalf of the board:
- (6) Any other information requested by the Ohio retirement study council regarding the board's use of agents.
- Sec. 3309.159. (A) The school employees retirement board shall, for the purposes of this section, designate an investment manager as an Ohio-qualified investment manager if the investment manager meets all of the following requirements:
- (1) The investment manager is subject to taxation under Chapter 5725., 5726., 5733., 5747., or 5751. of the Revised Code.
  - (2) The investment manager meets one of the following requirements:
- (a) Has its corporate headquarters or principal place of business in this state;
  - (b) Employs at least five hundred individuals in this state;
- (c) Has a principal place of business in this state and employs at least twenty residents of this state.
- (B)(1) The board shall, at least annually, establish a policy with the goal to increase utilization by the board of Ohio-qualified investment managers, when an Ohio-qualified investment manager offers quality, services, and safety comparable to other investment managers otherwise available to the board. The policy shall also provide for the following:

- (a) A process whereby the board can develop a list of Ohio-qualified investment managers and their investment products;
- (b) A process whereby the board can give public notice to Ohio-qualified investment managers of the board's search for an investment manager that includes the board's search criteria.
- (2) The board shall determine whether an investment manager is an Ohio-qualified investment manager and whether the investment manager offers quality, services, and safety comparable to other investment managers otherwise available to the board. The board's determination shall be final.
- (C) The board shall, at least annually, submit to the Ohio retirement study council a report containing the following information:
- (1) The name of each investment manager designated as an Ohio-qualified investment manager under this section;
- (2) The name of each investment manager with which the board contracts;
- (3) The amount of assets managed by Ohio-qualified investment managers, expressed as a percentage of the total assets held by the retirement system and as a percentage of assets managed by investment managers with which the board has contracted;
- (4) The compensation paid to Ohio-qualified investment managers, expressed as a percentage of total compensation paid to all investment managers with which the board has contracted;
- (5) Any other information requested by the Ohio retirement study council regarding the board's use of investment managers.

Sec. 3309.66. The right of an individual to a pension, an annuity, or a retirement allowance itself, the right of an individual to any optional benefit, any other right accrued or accruing to any individual under this chapter, the various funds created by section 3309.60 of the Revised Code, and all moneys, investments, and income from moneys and investments are exempt from any state tax, except the tax imposed by section 5747.02 of the Revised Code, and are exempt from any county, municipal, or other local tax, except income taxes imposed pursuant to section 5748.02, 5748.08, or 5748.09 of the Revised Code, and, except as provided in sections 3105.171, 3105.65, <del>3115.32</del> 3115.501, 3119.80, 3119.81, 3121.02, 3121.03, 3123.06, 3309.67, 3309.672, and 3309.673 of the Revised Code, shall not be subject to execution, garnishment, attachment, the operation of bankruptcy or insolvency laws, or any other process of law whatsoever, and shall be unassignable except as specifically provided in this chapter and in sections 3105.171, 3105.65, 3115.32 3115.501, 3119.80, 3119.81, 3121.02, 3121.03, and 3123.06 of the Revised Code.