LCPR Legislative Commission on Pensions and Retirement STATE OF MINNESOTA

Member and Employer Contribution Rates, 2008-2016

- Minnesota State Retirement System (MSRS) General Plan
- Public Employees Retirement Association (PERA) General Plan
- Teachers Retirement Association (TRA)
- St. Paul Teachers Retirement Fund Association (SPTRFA)

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	MSRS-General				PERA-General				TRA				SPTRFA			
	Member Contri- bution	Employer Contri- bution	Contribution Sufficiency/ (Deficiency)		Member Contri- bution	Employer Contri- bution	Contribution Sufficiency/ (Deficiency)		Member Contri- bution	Employer Contri- bution	Contribution Sufficiency/ (Deficiency)		Member Contri- bution	Employer Contri- bution	Contribution Sufficiency/ (Deficiency)	
	Rate	Rate	AVA	MVA	Rate	Rate	AVA	MVA	Rate	Rate	AVA	MVA	Rate	Rate	AVA	MVA
July 1,	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
2008	4.50	4.50	(3.39)	(4.33)	6.00	6.63	(1.59)	(1.97)	5.50	5.69	(3.33)	(3.51)	5.61	8.48	(1.9)	(3.17)
2009	4.75	4.75	(5.35)	(15.08)	6.00	6.88	(2.67)	(6.73)	5.50	5.69	(5.12)	(11.07)	5.58	8.45	(2.76)	(9.36)
2010	5.00	5.00	(0.99)	(3.90)	6.13	7.13	0.79	(1.76)	5.50	5.68	(4.0)	(7.59)	5.56	8.42	(4.24)	(8.27)
2011	5.00	5.00	(1.03)	(0.86)	6.25	7.25	0.03	0.27	6.00	6.16	(3.88)	(3.61)	5.78	8.63	(2.27)	(2.84)
2012	5.00	5.00	(2.32)	(2.48)	6.25	7.25	(0.96)	(1.08)	6.50	6.69	(5.04)	(5.23)	6.02	8.87	(6.4)	(7.16)
2013	5.00	5.00	(2.45)	(0.80)	6.25	7.25	(1.65)	(0.15)	7.00	7.19	(4.74)	(2.73)	6.27	9.11	(2.8)	(1.67)
2014	5.50	5.50	(1.82)	1.02	6.38	7.38	(2.05)	0.52	7.50	7.70	(3.47)	(0.07)	6.51	9.35	(2.19)	0
2015	5.50	5.50	(1.44)	(0.45)	6.5	7.5	(1.23)	(0.35)	7.50	7.70	(1.90)	(0.75)	7.0	9.85	(1.6)	(1.28)
2016	5.50	5.50	(3.49)	(4.51)	6.5	7.5	(1.87)	(2.97)	7.50	7.70	(2.78)	(3.93)	7.5	10.09	(0.92)	(2.01)

Contribution Rates are expressed as a percentage of covered payroll of the applicable retirement plan and include all supplemental employer contributions, but do not include direct state aids. Member contributions are a blend of the basic and coordinated member rates, if applicable.

Contribution Sufficiency/(Deficiency) is based on the actuarial results using both actuarial value of assets ("AVA") and market value of assets ("MVA") and is expressed as a percentage of covered payroll of the applicable retirement plan.

- <u>Contribution Sufficiency</u>: Statutory contributions are *more* than the required contributions needed to cover the normal cost, expenses, and unfunded liability of the applicable plan.
- <u>Contribution Deficiency</u>: Statutory contributions are *less* than the required contributions needed to cover the normal cost, expenses, and unfunded liability of the applicable plan.

Assumed investment return rate is the same rate for all plans except in 2016: MSRS, PERA, and SPTRFA are at 8%; TRA is at 8.5%. If TRA used an 8% rate, the contribution deficiency would be larger.