



Military

Definition:

Military is active duty time a person served in the United States Military prior to SURS certification date

Eligibility/Rules:

- Member must submit copy of DD-214 or other military discharge papers
- DD-214 must include date and type of discharge
- Any type of discharge except dishonorable is eligible
- Maximum eligible for purchase is 2 years active duty time
- If member certified on or before 9/1/74, they are eligible to purchase time as Other Public

Employment instead of Military

- NO state/employer match: member pays the employee and employer share
- Can be used for minimum vesting requirements for monthly benefit
- For SMP/Potable it does not fulfill the five years of service credit required to receive employer contributions for a Separation Refund.
 - Traditional/Portable members can be active or inactive to purchase Military
 - SMP members must be active to purchase Military

Cost:

- **HB971 – 11/7/91 (only used if member certified prior to 1/25/93)**
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 2. Employer contribution rate is based on the member's age at the conclusion of the military service.
 3. Add the employee & employer rates.
 4. Then multiply by the full-time annual salary rate in effect at the date of the certification.
 5. The interest compounds annually based on the effective rates from the conclusion of the military service.
- **HB1650 – 1/25/93**
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