

COMMISSION ON GOVERNMENT FORECASTING AND ACCOUNTABILITY

PENSION IMPACT NOTE

96TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

BILL NO: **SB 3081**

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SPONSOR (S): Martinez

SYSTEM(S): Chicago Police

FISCAL IMPACT: The fiscal impact of SB 3081 cannot be determined as it is unknown how many members would be affected. To the extent that the bill limits pensionable salary, the bill would have a positive impact upon the pension fund.

SUBJECT MATTER: SB 3081 amends the Chicago Police Article of the Illinois Pension Code to limit pensionable salary to the salary derived from appropriations applicable to the civil service rank.

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COMMENT: Currently, for a policeman assigned to a non-civil service position, "annual salary" means the total salary derived from appropriations applicable to the civil service rank plus the excess over such amount paid for the service in the non-civil service position. SB 3081 limits annual salary to the total salary derived from appropriations applicable to the civil service rank only. Presumably, the intent of the bill is to limit pensionable salary for higher-ranking officers.

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