

COMMISSION ON GOVERNMENT FORECASTING AND ACCOUNTABILITY

PENSION IMPACT NOTE

100TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

BILL NO: **HB 4811**

February 22, 2018

SPONSOR (S): Zalewski

SYSTEM(S): Chicago Municipal

FISCAL IMPACT: There is no discernible fiscal impact associated with HB 4811.

SUBJECT MATTER: HB 4811 amends the Chicago Municipal article of the Pension Code to give the Board of Trustees of the fund the option to lengthen the required interval for physical examination of disabled members.

COMMENT: Currently, an annuitant who is receiving a disability annuity from the Chicago Municipal pension fund must furnish proof of disability via the opinion of at least one licensed and practicing physician. The current statute dictates that the disability annuitant shall be examined at least once a year. HB 4811 amends the Chicago Municipal article to stipulate that the physical examination may occur at a longer interval of time as determined by the fund's board of trustees.

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