

EMPLOYER BULLETIN

MEMBERSHIP REQUIREMENTS FOR CTPF ANNUITANTS

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Public Act 101-0502 amends the Pension Code and requires Chicago Teacher's Pension Fund (CTPF) annuitants be treated the same as other non-TRS annuitants for membership and post-retirement purposes.

Effective with the 2019-20 school year, teachers who retired under CTPF independently working in a TRS-covered position qualify for TRS membership on their first day of employment. These teachers are no longer subject to the post-retirement limitations. Employers who hire CTPF annuitants to work in TRS-covered positions must report all their service and earnings to TRS.

Chapter 10, page 4 of the *Employer Guide* has been updated with this information under "Retirement with CTPF."

If you have any questions, please contact the TRS Employer Services Department at (888) 678-3675 or employers@trsil.org.

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