

**354A.24 DULUTH TEACHERS RETIREMENT FUND ASSOCIATION COORDINATED PROGRAMS.**

There is established within the Duluth Teachers Retirement Fund Association for teachers who are covered by an agreement or modification made between the state and the Secretary of Health, Education and Welfare making the provisions of the federal Old Age, Survivors and Disability Insurance Act applicable to teachers covered by the teachers retirement fund association, two coordinated programs:

(1) an old law coordinated program to provide retirement coverage for teachers who were first employed prior to July 1, 1981 and do not elect to be covered by the new law coordinated program, which program shall be a continuation of the retirement program in existence prior to July 1, 1978; and

(2) a new law coordinated program to provide retirement coverage for teachers who were first employed on or subsequent to July 1, 1981 or for teachers who were first employed prior to July 1, 1981 and elect to be covered by the new law coordinated program. The provisions governing the old law coordinated program shall be the portions of this chapter which do not apply specifically to a coordinated program or a coordinated or former coordinated member, the articles of incorporation and bylaws in effect as of March 31, 1975, the provisions of Laws 1976, chapter 238, section 15, and any applicable amendments to the articles of incorporation or bylaws of the teachers retirement fund association adopted subsequent to July 1, 1979 in accordance with the provisions of section 354A.12, subdivision 4. The provisions governing the new law coordinated program shall be sections 354A.31 to 354A.41 and any other applicable portions of this chapter, the provisions of Laws 1981, chapter 269, sections 9 and 10, and any applicable amendments to the articles of incorporation or bylaws of the teachers retirement fund association adopted subsequent to July 1, 1981 in accordance with the provisions of section 354A.12, subdivision 4.

**History:** 1979 c 217 s 14; 1981 c 269 s 5