

**Status of member discharged from armed forces.**

Sec. 3309.02. Upon presentation of \*\*\* *an honorable discharge* or \*\*\* *certificate of service*, and subject to such rules and regulations as are adopted by the school employees retirement board, any member of the school employees retirement system who was \*\*\* *an employee prior to active service* \*\*\* *in the armed forces of the United States* and who returns to \*\*\* *service as an employee* or \*\*\* *as an employee in a capacity covered* by either the public employees retirement system or the state teachers retirement system within two years after receiving such discharge or release, *and establishes one year of service credit*, shall have such service considered \*\*\* *as prior service*, provided that the total amount of such service granted by the board shall not exceed \*\*\* *ten years*. "Armed forces" of the United States, as used in this section, includes army, navy, *air force*,

marine corps, coast guard, auxiliary corps as established by congress, army nurse corps, navy nurse corps, red cross nurse serving with the army, navy, *air force*, or hospital service of the United States, and such other service as is designated by congress as included therein.

SECTION 3. Any member, eligible for any of the retirement allowances or other benefits provided in Chapters 145., 3307., and 3309. of the Revised Code as of June 30, 1959, or July 1, 1959, and who terminated his public service during the month of June, 1959, but did not file an application for retirement, may file, as provided by law, during the month of July, 1959, and shall be eligible for retirement as of June 30, 1959, or July 1, 1959, and such allowances or benefits shall be payable from and after July 1, 1959, and any such member or any member retiring on June 30, 1959, or July 1, 1959, voluntarily or otherwise, shall be eligible for allowances or benefits as computed under the provisions of this act.

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