Sec. 3309.24 (7896-88). Members of local district pension system excluded from membership; membership by petition.

Members of a local district pension system maintained under the laws of the state *** from appropriations or contributions made wholly or in part by any employer and existing *** on July 14, 1937, are hereby excluded from membership in *** the school employees retirement system. *** If a majority of all *** employees participating in any such local district pension system apply for membership in the school employees retirement system *** by a petition duly signed and verified, approved by their employer, and filed with the school employees retirement board, all *** employees included in the membership of such local district pension system shall become members of the school employees retirement system *** at such time within three months after the filing of such petition and the compliance with *** sections 3309.63 to 3309.65, inclusive, of the Revised Code, relative to the dissolution and discontinuance of such local district pension system as the *** board *** designates.