Sec. 742.23. A member of the fund who is an employee of the police department of a municipal corporation and who has resigned or has been honorably discharged from membership in the fire department of the same municipal corporation shall, in computing years of service in the police department under section 742.37 OR 742.39 of the Revised Code, be given full credit for time served in such fire department, provided he THE MEMBER has paid into the police and firemen's disability and pension fund a sum equal to that which he THE MEMBER would have been required to pay, under former section 741.12 and section 742.31 of the Revised Code, as a member of such fire department during the years for which service credit is claimed had he THE MEMBER been contributing a percentage of his THE MEMBER'S salary to a firemen's relief and pension fund or to the police and firemen's disability and pension fund as provided by such sections during such years.

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