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Sec. 145.012. "Public employee" as defined in division (A) of section 145.01 of the Revised Code does not include any person included in section 3307.012 of the Revised Code.

No inmate of a correctional or penal institution operated by the department of rehabilitation and correction, no patient in a hospital for the mentally ill, ~~mentally retarded~~, or criminally insane operated by the department of mental health ~~and~~, NO RESIDENT IN AN INSTITUTION FOR THE MENTALLY RETARDED OPERATED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF mental retardation AND DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES, no resident admitted as a patient of the Ohio veterans' home at Sandusky, and no inmate RESIDENT of a county home shall be considered as a public employee for the purpose of establishing membership or calculating service credit or benefits under this chapter. Nothing in this section shall be construed to affect any service credit attained by any person who was a public employee before becoming an inmate, patient, or resident at any institution listed in this section, or the payment of any benefit for which such a person or his beneficiaries would otherwise be eligible.

SECTION 6. This act is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, and safety. The reason for the necessity lies in the fact that immediate action is necessary to ensure an orderly transition of responsibilities to the new Department of Mental Health and Department of Mental Retardation and Developmental Disabilities and to ensure continuity in delivery of services to mentally ill, mentally retarded, and developmentally disabled persons. Therefore, this act shall go into immediate effect.

Emergency

Act. Effective May 22, 1980

Sections 1 and 2 effective  
July 1, 1980