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## Sec. 3307.23 (7896-22a). Employees in department of education included in retirement system.

In addition to the membership of the *state teachers* retirement system as prescribed in section \*\*\* 3307.22 of the Revised Code, there shall be included therein the educational employees of the \*\*\* department of \*\*\* education. The contributions ordinarily made by boards of education shall be made in the cases of employees of the department \*\*\* by state appropriation, and in the cases of such other employees as may be included, from the funds of the respective boards or organizations.

Persons so included shall be included in the definition of "teacher" as used in sections \*\*\* 3307.01 to 3307.72, inclusive, of the Revised Code; the service of all persons in such capacities shall be included as prior service provided such persons are present teachers as defined in section \*\*\* 3307.01 of the Revised Code, or \*\*\* were in the service described in the first sentence of this section \*\*\* on August 15, 1921, and in the latter case service for the present school year shall be included in the prior service of such persons.

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