

# HOUSE BILL NO. 5121

June 24, 2021, Introduced by Rep. Thanedar and referred to the Committee on Local Government and Municipal Finance.

A bill to amend 2017 PA 202, entitled "Protecting local government retirement and benefits act," (MCL 38.2801 to 38.2812) by adding section 4a; and to repeal acts and parts of acts.

**THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:**

1           **Sec. 4a. (1) Subject to subsection (2), if a retirement system**  
2 **provides a disability retirement pension benefit for a retirant who**  
3 **is a retired firefighter or police officer of the local unit of**  
4 **government, and the retirant was disabled in the line of duty, the**

1 retirement system shall not reduce the retirant's disability  
2 pension benefit if the retirant earns income from gainful  
3 employment.

4 (2) If the local unit of government that sponsors the  
5 retirement system described in subsection (1) is a city described  
6 in section 4p(1) of the home rule city act, 1909 PA 279, MCL  
7 117.4p, subsection (1) is subject to a plan for adjustment. As used  
8 in this subsection, "plan for adjustment" means that term as  
9 defined in section 4p of the home rule city act, 1909 PA 279, MCL  
10 117.4p.

11 Enacting section 1. Section 2 of the protecting local  
12 government retirement and benefits act, 2017 PA 202, MCL 38.2802,  
13 is repealed.