Notice of Rulemaking

³Please take notice that the Arkansas Public Employees Retirement System, 124 West Capitol Avenue, Suite 400, Little Rock, AR 72201 has adopted the following proposed regulations:

APERS Regulation 105, Appeals from the Executive Director¹s Determinations to the Board of Trustees. This regulation has been adopted on an emergency basis and adopts a procedure for appealing administrative determinations to the APERS Board of Trustees.

³APERS Regulation 220, Termination of Covered Employment Required for Retirement. This regulation has been adopted on an emergency basis and addresses the manner in which covered employment must be terminated in order to be eligible for retirement benefits.

³APERS Regulation 221, Proof Required for Establishing Dependency of a Non-Spouse for Purposes of Designating an Option B Beneficiary. This regulation addresses what proof APERS will require when one desires to designate a non-spouse as a beneficiary for an Option B election under Ark. Code Ann. 24-4-606.

³APERS Regulation 411, Purchase of Service Authorized by Section 2 of Act 295 of 2009. This regulation provides for purchase of service in monthly increments authorized under Act 295 of 2009.

³APERS Regulations 601-623, District Judge Members. These regulations simply incorporate the provisions of A.C.A. 24-8-801 through 24-8-824, which were repealed when the District Judge Retirement System was legislatively abolished.

³Copies of these proposed regulations are available for inspection and copying during normal business hours at APERS¹s principal offices, 124 West Capitol Avenue, Suite 400, Little Rock, AR 72201 and written public comment concerning these regulations may be addressed to: Frank J. Wills, III, Arkansas Public Employees Retirement System, 124 West Capitol Avenue, Suite 400, Little Rock, AR 72201. The public hearings on these rules will held be Friday, October 1, 2010 at 10:00 a.m. in the fourth floor conference room in APERS¹s main offices, 124 West Capitol Avenue, Suite 400, Little Rock, AR 72201. ²