

LEGISLATIVE VICTORY

25-YEAR RETIREMENT FOR EMERGENCY DISPATCHERS

A bill has passed both houses that provides a 25-year retirement plan to emergency dispatchers employed by the state, and gives municipalities the option to offer this benefit to dispatchers in local governments.



50% OF FINAL AVERAGE SALARY AT 25-YEARS OF SERVICE



PROVIDES PENSION PARITY WITH OTHER FIRST RESPONDER TITLES



RESPECTS THE WORK OF EMERGENCY DISPATCHERS AS FIRST RESPONDERS



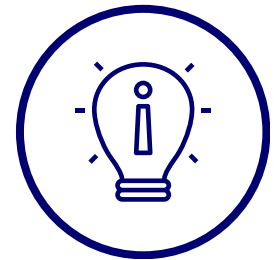
WHAT WAS THE LAW BEFORE?

Emergency dispatchers in Tier 6 were required to work 30+ years before being eligible to retire.



WHO DOES THIS IMPACT?

Employees of the state and municipalities who receive emergency calls and dispatch emergency services.



WHY IS THIS IMPORTANT?

The stress and trauma of these jobs make 30+ year careers untenable, which has led to recruitment and retention challenges.

TAKE ACTION TODAY! URGE GOVERNOR HOCHUL TO SIGN THIS BILL INTO LAW!

