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**49-11-1301 Definitions.**

As used in this part:

- (1) "Amortization rate" means the amortization rate, as defined in Section 49-11-102, to be applied to the system that would have covered the retiree if the retiree's part-time position were considered to be an eligible, full-time position within that system.
- (2) "Full-time" means a:
  - (a) regular full-time employee whose term of employment for a participating employer contemplates continued employment during a fiscal or calendar year and whose employment normally requires an average of 40 hours or more per week and who receives benefits normally provided by the participating employer;
  - (b) teacher whose term of employment for a participating employer contemplates continued employment during a school year and who teaches full time;
  - (c) firefighter service employee whose employment normally requires an average of 2,080 hours of regularly scheduled firefighter service per year; and
  - (d) public safety service employee whose employment normally requires an average of 2,080 hours of regularly scheduled public safety service per year.
- (3) "Half-time" means a:
  - (a) regular employee whose term of employment for a participating employer contemplates continued employment during a fiscal or calendar year and whose employment normally requires an average of 20 hours per week and who receives benefits normally provided by the participating employer;
  - (b) teacher whose term of employment for a participating employer contemplates continued employment during a school year and who teaches half time;
  - (c) firefighter service employee whose employment normally requires an average of 1,040 hours of regularly scheduled firefighter service per year; and
  - (d) public safety service employee whose employment normally requires an average of 1,040 hours of regularly scheduled public safety service per year.
- (4) "Phased retirement" means continuing employment on a half-time basis of a retiree with the same participating employer immediately after the retiree's retirement date while the retiree receives a reduced retirement allowance.

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