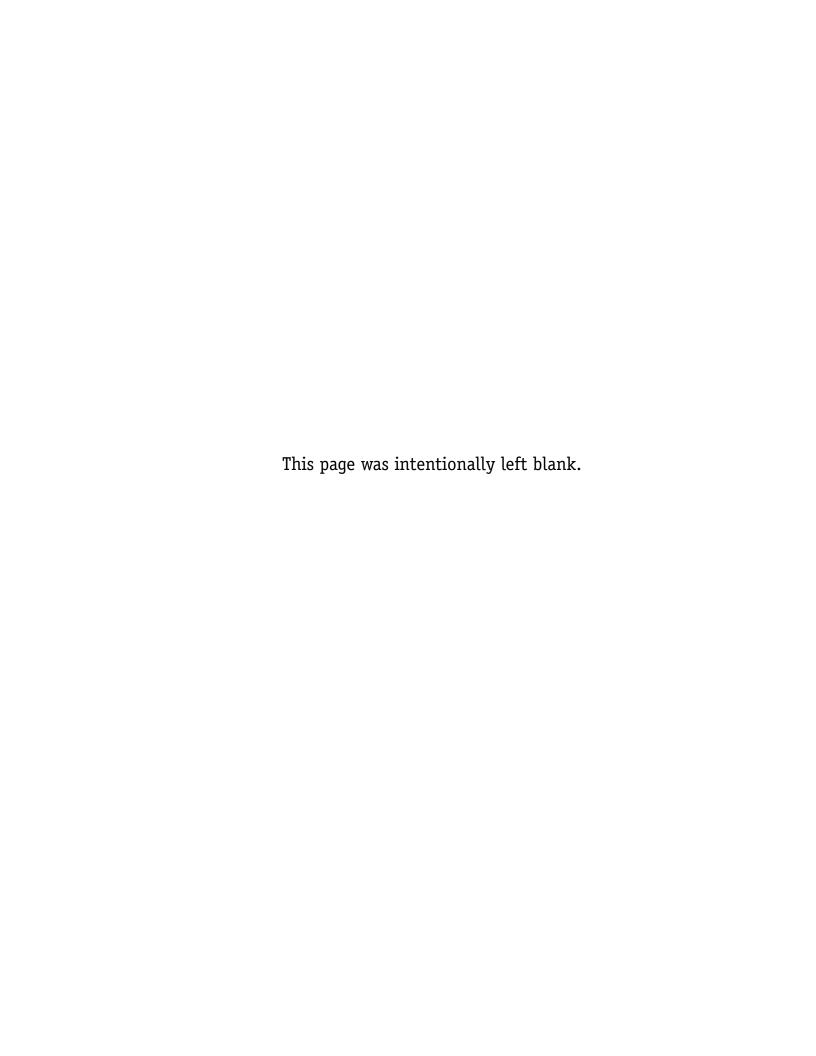
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On the Cover: The West Columbia Fire Department hoisted a gigantic U.S. flag in front of White Knoll Middle School in West Columbia, SC.

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City of Columbia Fire Chief John Jansen holds a picture that shows what the four fire trucks given to the city in 1867 by New York City firefighters looked like.

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Honorable Jim Hodges, Governor and State Budget and Control Board State of South Carolina

Gentlemen:

The comprehensive annual financial report (CAFR) of the South Carolina Retirement Systems for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2001, is submitted herewith. Responsibility for both the accuracy of the data, and the completeness and fairness of the presentation, including all disclosures, rests with the South Carolina Retirement Systems. To the best of our knowledge and belief, the enclosed data are accurate in all material respects and are reported in a manner designed to present fairly the financial position and results of the Systems. All disclosures necessary to enable the reader to gain an understanding of the Systems' financial activities have been included. This report contains information on the following pension trust funds.

- The South Carolina Retirement System **(SCRS)** was established July 1, 1945, to provide retirement and other benefits for teachers and employees of the State and its political subdivisions. This system currently has 739 participating employers, over 205,700 active contributing members, and 73,000 retired members.
- The Police Officers Retirement System (**PORS**) was established July 1, 1962, to provide retirement and other benefits to police officers and firefighters. This system currently has 296 participating employers, approximately 26,500 active contributing members, and 16,000 retired members.
- The Retirement System for Members of the General Assembly of the State of South Carolina (GARS) was established January 1, 1966, to provide retirement and other benefits to members of the General Assembly.
- The Retirement System for Judges and Solicitors of the State of South Carolina (**JSRS**) was established July 1, 1979, to provide retirement and other benefits to State Judges and Solicitors.

This report consists of five sections. The **Introductory Section** contains the director's letter of transmittal, an organizational chart of the agency, and descriptions of our administrative responsibilities. The **Financial Section** contains the opinion of our independent auditors, financial statements, and related schedules. The **Investment Section** contains schedules of investments and investment growth, a report from the State Treasurer, and a report from our investment consultant. The **Actuarial Section** contains our independent consulting actuary's certification, a summary of plan provisions for each System, and schedules of actuarial statistics. The **Statistical Section** contains various tables and schedules of significant data related to the Systems. The Systems are a part of the primary government of the State of South Carolina and are included in the comprehensive annual financial report of the State.

Major Initiatives

The Malcolm Baldrige Award Criteria is a nationally acclaimed management tool used to evaluate the overall health and performance of a variety of organizations. Although the Criteria were originally developed to determine the recipient of an award, today most organizations that use the Criteria do so not to apply for the award itself but to capitalize on the insightful knowledge gained through applying the Criteria. This year we gained insight about our organization by applying the Criteria to all of our business processes. The result of this application is presented in our annual accountability report. Furthermore, because this report was considered so informative, we have decided to compile a quarterly accountability report that will also focus on the Baldrige Award Criteria. We are trying to create an environment that will enable every employee to see the vision of our organization more clearly through the lens of the Baldrige Criteria. In order to accomplish this goal, every employee in our organization will attend training on the Criteria in the upcoming year. We expect the Baldrige Award Criteria to change all aspects of our organization for the better.

Our agency experienced a significant workload increase due to the ramifications of the previous year's legislative changes. Effective January 1, 2001, eligibility for an unreduced service retirement benefit in the SCRS was reduced from 30 years to 28 years. Also effective on this date was the Teacher and Employee Retention Incentive program (TERI), a deferred retirement option plan for members of the SCRS. These two factors combined to create a substantial increase in the number of new retirees processed this year. The number of new annuitants during fiscal year 2001 was 9,496 in contrast with 5,910 during fiscal year 2000, an increase of over 60 percent. A large portion of this year's retirees, 62.4 percent, elected to participate in the Teacher and Employee Retention Incentive (TERI). At June 30th over \$54 million in deferred retirement benefits had accrued under this program.

Two programs were very instrumental in our ability to process this unprecedented volume. A program to audit member service credit records well before retirement eligibility resulted in over 75 percent of retiree accounts having verified and final historical service credit on file prior to their submission of a retirement application. This pro-active approach contributed significantly to the agency's ability to timely process the substantial volume of applications effective this year. Additionally, our **Ready-Set-Go** program, a two-part program intended for members within one year of retirement, served over 4,400 retirees during the year. In a group setting members are provided extensive information concerning the retirement process: retirement eligibility, option selection, beneficiary designations, and service credit purchases as well as information concerning retiree health insurance, Social Security, and the State deferred compensation programs.

Service purchase reform legislation substantially expanded the types of prior service members are allowed to purchase, significantly changed the cost structure for most types of purchases, and provided for the simplification of the service purchase process. This legislation significantly impacted the number of service purchase transactions processed and the overall dollar amount for service transactions as summarized in the following schedule:

Fiscal	Number of	Percent	Amo	ount	Percent
<u>Year</u>	<u>Transactions</u>	<u>Increase</u>	(Mill	ions)	<u>Increase</u>
2001	8,586	104.7%	\$	77.4	165.1%
2000	4,195	2.9%	\$	29.2	0.3%
1999	4 078	-3.0%	\$	29 1	7.4%

Fiscal year 2001 represented another period of continued expansion into the equity markets. At the beginning of the fiscal year equity investments in the S&P 500 Index Fund and the actively managed accounts had a market value of \$1.3 billion and \$1.6 billion, respectively. At the end of the fiscal year equity investments comprised approximately 25 percent of our total investment portfolio. Asset allocation of our equity investments, including interest and dividend accruals and categories classified as cash equivalents, by class and style are shown in the table below (amounts in millions):

							Total			
	<u>Gr</u>	<u>owth</u>	<u>C</u>	<u>ore</u>	Ī	<u>Value</u>	<u>Active</u>	Ī	<u>Passive</u>	<u>Total</u>
Large Cap	\$	486.7	\$	461.8	\$	752.8	\$ 1,701.3	\$	2,205.7	\$ 3,907.0
Small/Mid Cap		273.8		140.0		337.7	751.5			751.5
Total	\$	760.5	\$	601.8	\$	1,090.5	\$ 2,452.8	\$	2,205.7	\$ 4,658.5

We continued to expand our electronic employer system (EES), which allows employers to access, through a secured Internet site, certain of our electronic systems critical to their needs. Over 255 employers currently participate in this program. This group of employers includes over 77 percent of our active membership. These employers utilize this service for on-line information concerning beneficiaries, service credit and contribution balances as well the ability to calculate annuity benefits under all available optional forms of payment.

Two legislative initiatives affecting the Systems were enacted during 2001 session. First, effective July 1, 2001, the earnings limitation for retired members who return to work for a covered employer increased from \$25,000 to \$50,000 per fiscal year. Secondly, the State Optional Retirement Program, a defined contribution retirement plan provided as an alternative to the SCRS, was made available to all new public school district employees hired in a permanent, full-time position on or after July 1, 2001. This program was previously available to public school teachers and administrators only.

Certificate of Achievement

The Government Finance Officers' Association of the United States and Canada (GFOA) awarded a Certificate of Achievement for Excellence in Financial Reporting to the South Carolina Retirement Systems for its comprehensive annual report (CAFR) for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2000. The Certificate of Achievement is a prestigious national award recognizing conformance with the highest standards for preparation of state and local government financial reports.

In order to be awarded a Certificate of Achievement, a government unit must publish an easily readable and efficiently organized financial report, whose contents conform to program standards. The CAFR must satisfy both generally accepted accounting principles and applicable legal requirements. A Certificate of Achievement is valid for a period of one year. The Systems received a Certificate of Achievement for each of the last fourteen consecutive years (fiscal years ended 1987-2000). We believe this report continues to conform to the Certificate of Achievement Program requirements, and we are submitting it to GFOA to determine its eligibility for another certificate.

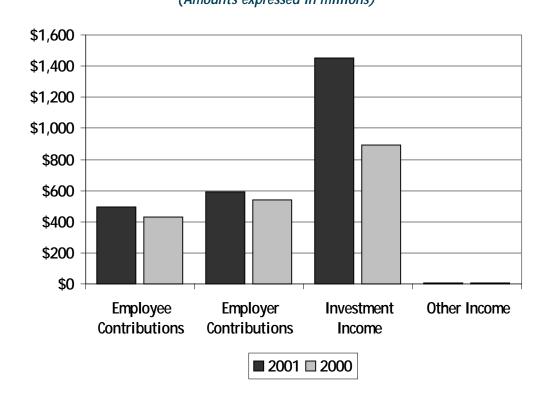
The CAFR was prepared to conform with the principles of governmental accounting and reporting set forth by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board. Transactions of the Systems are reported on the accrual basis of accounting. Sufficient internal accounting controls exist to provide reasonable assurance regarding the safe-keeping of assets and fair presentation of the financial statements and supporting schedules.

Additions to Plan Net Assets

In order for a retirement system to properly fund the payments of retirement benefits in future years, it is necessary to accumulate funds on a regular and systematic basis. The three principal sources from which the Systems derive revenues; employee contributions, employer contributions, and earnings on investments are summarized as follows:

200	1		200	00	Increase (Decrease)			
	Percentage of Total			Percentage of Total			Percentage	
\$ 192.8	7.6%	\$	162.9	8.7%	\$	29.9	18.4%	
188.0	7.4%		166.1	8.9%		21.9	13.2%	
112.8	4.4%		100.8	5.4%		12.1	12.0%	
493.7	19.4%		429.8	23.0%		63.9	14.9%	
233.3	9.2%		214.8	11.5%		18.5	8.6%	
213.2	8.4%		200.8	10.8%		12.4	6.2%	
146.8	5.8%		124.9	6.7%		21.9	17.5%	
593.3	23.3%		540.5	28.9%		52.8	9.8%	
1,453.7	57.1%		891.3	47.7%		562.4	63.1%	
5.8	0.2%		5.9	0.3%		(0.1)	-1.7%	
\$ 2,546.5	100.0%	\$	1,867.5	100.0%	\$	679.0	36.4%	
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Comparison of Revenues for FY 2001 and FY 2000 (Amounts expressed in millions)



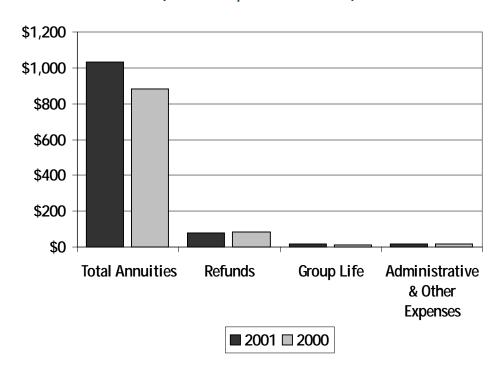
Deductions to Plan Net Assets

Expenses of the Systems consist primarily of payments of monthly annuities to retirement members and their beneficiaries and the refund of member contributions upon termination. Other programs administered by the Systems include a group life insurance plan for both active and retired members and an accidental death plan for police officers.

The following schedule presents a summary of deductions to net assets for the Systems for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2001:

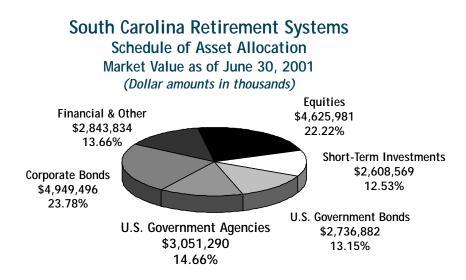
		2001			200	00	Increase (Decrease)			
	Amount (Millions)		Percentage of Total	Amount (Millions)		Percentage of Total	Amount (Millions)		Percentage	
Total Annuities	\$	1,031.2	90.2%	\$	879.4	88.7%	\$	151.8	17.3%	
Refunds		80.4	7.0%		83.2	8.4%		(2.8)	-3.4%	
Group Life		14.3	1.3%		11.5	1.2%		2.8	24.3%	
Administrative & Other Expenses		17.1	1.5%		16.8	1.7%		0.3	1.8%	
	\$	1,143.0	100.0%	\$	990.9	100.0%	\$	152.1	15.3%	

Comparison of Expenses for FY 2001 and FY 2000 (Amounts expressed in millions)



Assets and Investments

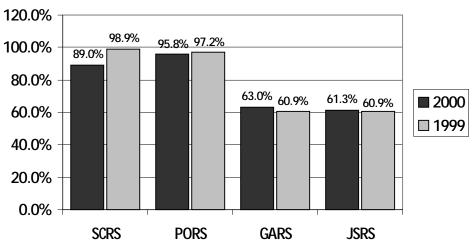
Net plan assets on a combined basis exceeded \$21 billion this year; an overall growth of 7.1 percent for fiscal year 2001. The State Treasurer, by statute, is the custodian and investment manager of all fixed income investments. A variety of investment instruments are authorized; including obligations of the United States, its agencies and securities fully guaranteed by the United States, certificates of deposit, collateralized repurchase agreements, certain corporate bonds, and equity securities. In our continued process of implementing the constitutional amendment allowing the Retirement Systems to invest in equity securities, the Systems reached an equity allocation of approximately 25 percent by the end of the fiscal year. The total asset allocation of investments is presented in the following graph:



Funding

The overall objective in the funding of any retirement system is to accumulate sufficient funds to pay benefits when due. Primarily due to the implementation of reduced retirement eligibility in the SCRS, the level of funding decreased from 98.9 percent to 89.0 percent. The cost of this benefit improvement will be funded through an increase in the amortization period for the System's actuarial accrued liability from 3 years to 16 years. The funded ratios of the four plans are presented in the following graph.

Funded Ratios
(Assets as a percentage of accrued liabilities)



Independent Audit

An audit is performed annually under the direction of the State Auditor's Office. The firm, Rogers & Laban, PA, Certified Public Accountants audited the financial statements for the year ended June 30, 2001. Their report is included in the financial section of this report.

Acknowledgments

The compilation of this report was intended to provide comprehensive and reliable information about the Systems, to demonstrate compliance with legal provisions, and as a means of determining responsible stewardship of the funds of the Systems. I would like to express my very special gratitude to the staff of our agency without whose dedication and hard work the system would have been unable to properly implement this past year's legislative initiatives. I also express my gratitude to the members of the Board and their staffs, to the consultants, and to all people who have diligently worked to assure the continued responsible and successful operations of the Systems.

Respectfully submitted,

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Robert C. Toomey

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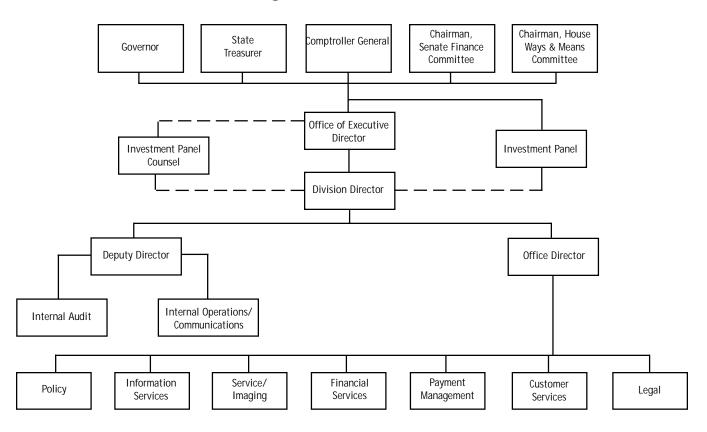
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^{*} Refer to page 61 for a complete list of equity managers.

Organizational Chart



Organizational Description

The structural organization of the Systems is depicted in our organizational chart. A brief description of the primary functions performed by each department follows:

Payment Management

Responsible for the disbursement of monthly annuity payments to all retired members. Also, responsible for the disbursement of the lump-sum refunds of contributions to members who terminate covered employment prior to retirement and the disbursement of active and retiree group life insurance payments.

Customer Services

Responsible for member consultations in all phases of retirement operations and for the processing of customer claims relating to annuities, refunds, or death claims. Consultations may be on-line via the Internet, by telephone, in person, or through a video conference.

Financial Services

Financial Accounting Section

Responsible for the investment accounting function, the financial reporting function, and the compilation and issuance of the *Comprehensive Annual Financial Report*. Responsible for all employer services including employer reporting and membership enrollment and beneficiary information. Also, responsible for the service accounting function, the determination of the average final compensation for a member at retirement, and the auditing of service credit for our membership.

Field Services Section

Responsible for training employers in all aspects of the Retirement Systems' member benefits, reporting procedures, and the Internet accessed employer information system. Briefs governing bodies of prospective new employers on member benefits and new employer liability regarding potential costs associated with joining the Retirement Systems. Meet with employees as requested to present benefit overviews and preretirement education programs. Coordinate and conduct retirement seminars designed to better prepare members whose retirement is imminent.

Information Services

Responsible for the design, implementation and control of all automated applications within the Systems.

Service Credit and Imaging Services

Responsible for the computation of the cost for purchases of prior service for all members of the Retirement Systems. Also, responsible for the maintenance of complete historical records of each member.

Legal

Represents the South Carolina Retirement Systems in matters before circuit and appellate courts and administrative bodies. Provides program support to the management of the South Carolina Retirement Systems.



NYC Firefighters!



In 1867, New York firefighters sent four fire trucks to the City of Columbia to help reestablish the city's decimated capacity to fight fire. The trucks were lost, however, when the barge carrying them sank off Cape Hatteras, NC. Undaunted, New York's Bravest immediately sent four more trucks, which would form the basis of Columbia's firefighting capacity and heritage today.

Now it's our turn – and the students at White Knoll Middle School have seized the opportunity. These young Americans have committed themselves to the effort of purchasing and delivering a fire truck to NYC as an expression of Columbia's heartfelt empathy, faith and resolve.

Your donations are needed!

The cost for a pumper truck is about \$250,000. Your tax-deductible donation can help make it happen! The response thus far has been astonishing, as individuals, local businesses, corporations, and employees are all getting on board.

The students of White Knoll Middle School are committed to this effort and hope you will be too. They ARE going to deliver that truck to Manhattan, with a ribbon around it and flags flying the red, white and blue.

This is one of the posters White Knoll Middle School students used to explain their efforts to raise money for a fire truck for the Red Hook fire station in Brooklyn, NY.

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Les Turner, husband of Dr. Nancy Turner, principal of White Knoll Middle School in West Columbia, SC, gathers coins to be counted and deposited in the school's NYC Fire Truck Fund.



Independent Auditor's Report

The Honorable Jim Hodges, Governor; Members of the State Budget and Control Board and Mr. Thomas L. Wagner, Jr., CPA, State Auditor State of South Carolina Columbia, South Carolina

We have audited the financial statements of the South Carolina Retirement Systems as of and for the year ended June 30, 2001, as listed in the table of contents. These financial statements are the responsibility of the South Carolina Retirement Systems' management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

As described in Note I, the financial statements present only the funds of the South Carolina Retirement Systems and do not include any other agencies, institutions, departments or component units of the State of South Carolina primary government.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the plan net assets of the South Carolina Retirement Systems, as of June 30, 2001, and the changes in plan net assets for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

As discussed in Note VIII to the financial statements, the South Carolina Retirement Systems is a party to a legal action claiming substantial amounts as a result of the computation of retirement benefits for certain retired members and the collection of excess contributions. The ultimate outcome of the litigation cannot be presently determined. Accordingly, no provision for any liability has been made in the accompanying financial statements.

The required supplementary information on pages 35 and 36 is not a required part of the financial statements but is supplementary information required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board. We have applied certain limited procedures, which consisted principally of inquiries of management regarding the methods of measurement and presentation of the supplementary information. However, we did not audit the information and express no opinion on it.

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the financial statements taken as a whole. The combining financial statements and schedule of investment expenses on pages 37 – 41 are presented for the purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the financial statements. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly stated in all material respects in relation to the financial statements taken as a whole.

The information presented in the Introductory, Investment, Actuarial, and Statistical Sections is presented for purposes of additional analysis and is not a required part of the basic financial statements. Such information has not been subjected to the auditing procedures applied to the audit of the basic financial statements and, accordingly, we express no opinion on it.

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South Carolina Retirement Systems Statement of Plan Net Assets

June 30, 2001

With comparative totals for June 30, 2000 $\,$

(Amounts expressed in thousands)

	SCRS	PORS	GARS	JSRS	TOTAL	TOTAL 2000
ASSETS						
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 2,208,168	\$ 369,912	\$ 1,517	\$ 11,932	\$ 2,591,529	\$ 2,644,322
Receivables:						
Due from other Systems		645	2	23	670	332
Employee and employer contributions	123,888	15,272	52	413	139,625	121,070
Employer contributions long-term	2,613	106			2,719	3,008
Accrued investment income	177,580	19,257	440	947	198,224	201,946
Unsettled investment sales	51,674	2,349	47	100	54,170	28,395
Total receivables	355,755	37,629	541	1,483	395,408	354,751
Investments, at fair value:						
Short-term securities	24,829				24,829	301,681
United States Government securities	2,461,850	262,434	8,748	3,850	2,736,882	2,848,090
United States Government agencies and						
government-insured	2,704,043	317,581	6,333	23,333	3,051,290	3,153,158
Corporate bonds	4,434,319	478,638	11,644	24,895	4,949,496	4,850,321
Financial and other	2,533,905	295,621	4,602	9,706	2,843,834	2,644,417
Equities	4,117,697	477,918	9,654	20,712	4,625,981	2,908,819
Total investments	16,276,643	1,832,192	40,981	82,496	18,232,312	16,706,486
Securities lending cash collateral invested	1,505,119	171,390	9,437	6,031	1,691,977	1,413,893
Property, net of accumulated depreciation	3,865	 395	 11	 18	4,289	4,408
Total assets	20,349,550	 2,411,518	 52,487	 101,960	22,915,515	21,123,860
LIABILITIES AND FUND EQUITY Liabilities:						
Due to other Systems	670				670	332
Accounts payable - unsettled investment purchases	71,538	4,549	91	197	76,375	28,864
Investment fees payable	2,623	310	6	14	2,953	1,524
Obligations under securities lending	1,505,119	171,390	9,437	6,031	1,691,977	1,413,893
Deferred retirement benefits	54,644				54,644	
Due to State Health Insurance Plan	20,207	738			20,945	15,913
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	4,908	342			5,250	4,156
Total liabilities	1,659,709	177,329	9,534	6,242	1,852,814	1,464,682
Net assets held in trust for Pension Benefits (a schedule						
of funding progress for each plan is presented on Page 35)	\$ 18,689,841	\$ 2,234,189	\$ 42,953	\$ 95,718	\$ 21,062,701	\$ 19,659,178

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

South Carolina Retirement Systems Statement of Changes in Plan Net Assets Year Ended June 30, 2001

With comparative totals for the year ended June 30, 2000 (Amounts expressed in thousands)

	SCRS	PORS	GARS	JSRS	TOTAL	TOTAL 2000
Additions						
Contributions						
Employee	\$ 435,072	\$ 55,845	\$ 844	\$ 1,958	\$ 493,719	\$ 429,848
Employer	491,329	93,584	2,510	5,875	593,298	540,476
Transfers of contributions from other Systems	3	1,835	60	258	2,156	1,913
Total contributions	926,404	151,264	3,414	8,091	1,089,173	972,237
Investment Income						
Net appreciation (depreciation) in						
fair value of investments	442,639	47,153	867	2,329	492,988	(88,017)
Interest and dividend income	855,280	103,050	2,169	4,834	965,333	978,056
Investment expense	(9,577)	(1,068	(21)	(44)	(10,710)	(3,542)
Net income from investing activities	1,288,342	149,135	3,015	7,119	1,447,611	886,497
From securities lending activities:						
Securities lending income	88,545	8,908	190	202	97,845	87,473
Securities lending expense	(82,890)	(8,469) (183)	(193)	(91,735)	(82,645)
Net income from securities lending activities	5,655	439	7	9	6,110	4,828
Total net investment income	1,293,997	149,574	3,022	7,128	1,453,721	891,325
Supplemental retirement benefits funded						
by the State	3,518	104			3,622	3,986
Total additions	2,223,919	300,942	6,436	15,219	2,546,516	1,867,548
Deductions						
Refunds of contributions to members	68,894	11,498	38		80,430	83,182
Transfers of contributions to other Systems	2,113	3	40		2,156	1,913
Regular retirement benefits	864,235	94,439	4,197	7,426	970,297	874,660
Deferred retirement benefits	56,487				56,487	
Supplemental retirement benefits	3,518	104			3,622	3,986
Group life insurance claims	12,850	1,399	42	6	14,297	11,481
Accidental death benefits		797			797	736
Depreciation	107	11		1	119	119
Administrative charges	13,154	1,537	31	66	14,788	14,802
Total deductions	1,021,358	109,788	4,348	7,499	1,142,993	990,879
Net increase	1,202,561	191,154	2,088	7,720	1,403,523	876,669
Net assets held in trust for Pension Benefits						
Beginning of year	17,487,280	2,043,035	40,865	87,998	19,659,178	18,782,509
End of year	\$ 18,689,841	\$ 2,234,189	\$ 42,953	\$ 95,718	\$ 21,062,701	\$ 19,659,178

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these financial statements.

South Carolina Retirement Systems Notes to Financial Statements

I. Basis of Presentation and Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

Description of the Entity

The financial statements of the South Carolina Retirement Systems (Systems) presented herein contain the following funds:

Pension Trust Funds

- South Carolina Retirement System (SCRS)
- South Carolina Police Officers Retirement System (PORS)
- Retirement System for Members of the General Assembly of the State of South Carolina (GARS)
- Retirement System for Judges and Solicitors of the State of South Carolina (JSRS)

Each pension trust fund operates on an autonomous basis; funds may not be utilized for any purpose other than for the benefit of each plan's participants.

The Retirement Systems are part of the State of South Carolina's primary government and are included in the *Comprehensive Annual Financial Report of the State of South Carolina*. In making this determination, factors of financial accountability, governance and fiduciary responsibility of the State were considered.

Plan Descriptions

The South Carolina Retirement System, a cost–sharing multiple-employer defined-benefit pension plan, was established effective July 1, 1945, pursuant to the provisions of Section 9-1-20 of the 1976 South Carolina Code of Laws for the purpose of providing retirement allowances and other benefits for teachers and employees of the State and political subdivisions thereof.

The South Carolina Police Officers Retirement System, a cost-sharing multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan, was established effective July 1, 1962, pursuant to the provisions of Section 9-11-20 of the South Carolina Code of Laws for the purpose of providing retirement allowances and other benefits for police officers and firemen.

The Retirement System for Members of the General Assembly of the State of South Carolina, a single-employer defined benefit pension plan, was created effective January 1, 1966, pursuant to the provisions of Section 9-9-20 of the South Carolina Code of Laws to provide retirement allowances and other benefits for members of the General Assembly.

The Retirement System for Judges and Solicitors of the State of South Carolina, a single-employer defined benefit pension plan, was created effective July 1, 1979, pursuant to the provisions of Section 9-8-20 of the South Carolina Code of Laws for the purpose of providing retirement allowances and other benefits for judges and solicitors.

A summary of information related to participating employers and members as of June 30, 2001, follows (dollars in thousands):

	 State*	School		Other		Total
SCRS Number of employers Annual covered payroll Average number of	\$ 112 2,224,050	\$	99 2,671,452	\$	528 1,234,978	\$ 739 6,130,480
PORS Number of employers Annual covered payroll Average number of	\$ 68,693 43 351,522		88,751	\$	48,327 253 420,243	\$ 205,771 296 771,765
Contributing members GARS Number of employers Annual covered payroll Average number of contributing members	\$ 12,796 2 3,767 170				13,778	\$ 26,574 2 3,767 170
JSRS Number of employers Annual covered payroll Average number of contributing members	\$ 2 14,136 128					\$ 2 14,136 128

^{*}Note: Each state agency is considered a separate employer for reporting purposes.

Based upon the most recent, complete actuarial valuation (July 1, 2000), membership in the Systems was as follows:

	SCRS	PORS	GARS	JSRS
Retirees and beneficiaries receiving benefits	64,005	6,322	235	115
Terminated members entitled to but not yet receiving benefits	134,159	7,218	77	7
Total active employees	196,825	24,782	213	125
Total	394,989	38,322	525	247

A brief summary of benefit provisions, eligibility criteria and vesting is presented.

Membership

SCRS

Generally, all employees are required to participate in and contribute to the System as a condition of employment. This plan covers general employees and teachers.

ORP and State ORP

As an alternative to membership in SCRS, certain teachers and administrators of the institutions of higher learning employed on or after July 1, 1987, may elect to participate in the Optional Retirement Program (ORP). Certain teachers and administrators of the publicly supported technical colleges employed on or after July 1, 1998, also have the option to participate in this program. Public school teachers and administrators hired on or after July 1, 2000, have the option to participate in the State Optional Retirement Program (State ORP). The SCRS assumes no liability for the ORP participants or the State ORP participants. Contributions to the ORP and the State ORP are at the same rates as SCRS. A direct remittance is required from the institutions, technical colleges, and public schools to the vendors for the member's contribution (6 percent) and a percentage (5 percent) of the employer contribution rate. Also, a direct remittance is required to SCRS for a percentage (2.55 percent) of the employer contribution rate which must be retained by SCRS.

ORP and State ORP Activity Year Ended June 30, 2001 (Amounts in millions)

	<u>ORP</u>	State ORP		
Covered payroll	\$ 193.2	\$	23.8	
Amount retained by SCRS	4.9		0.6	
Employee contributions	11.6		1.4	
Employer contributions	9.7		1.2	

PORS

Generally, all full-time employees whose principal duties are the preservation of public order, protection of life and property, detection of crime, or prevention and control of property destruction by fire are required to participate in and contribute to the System as a condition of employment.

GARS

All persons are required to participate in and contribute to the System upon taking office as a member of the General Assembly.

JSRS

All solicitors, judges of a Circuit or Family Court and justices of the Court of Appeals and Supreme Court are required to participate in and contribute to the System upon taking office.

Pension Benefits

SCRS

A monthly pension is payable at age 65 or with 28 years credited service regardless of age. Reduced pension benefits are payable as early as age 55. A member is vested for a deferred annuity with five years earned service. A group life insurance benefit is also provided to members with at least one year of service.

PORS

A monthly pension is payable at age 55 with a minimum of five years earned service or with 25 years credited service regardless of age. A member is vested for a deferred annuity with five years earned service. A group life insurance benefit is also provided to members with at least one year of service. An additional accidental death benefit is provided to officers killed in the line of duty.

SCRS and PORS retirees may receive ad hoc cost-of-living adjustments of up to 4 percent annually based on increases in the Consumer Price Index. These increases are provided annually based on compliance with the Systems funding policies and upon approval by the State Budget and Control Board.

GARS

A member is eligible for a monthly pension at age 60 or with 30 years credited service. A member is vested for a deferred annuity with eight years service. A group life insurance benefit is also provided to members with at least one year of service.

JSRS

A pension benefit is payable at age 70 with 15 years service, age 65 with 20 years service or with 25 years service regardless of age. A member is vested for a deferred annuity with 12 years service. A group life insurance benefit is also provided to members with at least one year of service.

Automatic cost-of-living adjustments for GARS and JSRS are provided based upon increases in current salary of the respective active positions.

Membership, benefits and employee and employer contribution requirements are prescribed in Title 9 of the South Carolina Code of Laws of 1976 (as amended).

Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

Fund Structure

The Systems' accounts are maintained in accordance with the principles of fund accounting. This is the procedure whereby resources for various purposes are classified for accounting and reporting purposes into funds that are in accordance with specified activities or objectives. Separate pension trust funds (fiduciary fund type) are used to account for the activities of the four public employee retirement systems administered by the Systems.

Basis of Accounting

All funds are accounted for using the accrual basis of accounting. Revenues are recognized when earned and expenses are recognized when incurred.

Cash and Cash Equivalents

The Systems classify as cash and cash equivalents, cash on deposit in financial institutions, and cash on deposit in the State's internal cash management pool. The Systems also classify certain short-term highly liquid securities with an original maturity of three months or less as cash equivalents.

Contributions

Employee and employer contributions are reported in the period in which the contributions are due. Substantially all contributions receivable are collected within 30 days of year-end. Under certain conditions new employers entering the System are allowed up to 10 years to remit matching employer contributions resulting from their employee's purchase of prior service credits. Interest is assessed annually on the unpaid balance of these accounts. Transfers between systems are statutorily authorized transfers of contributions and service credit from one retirement system to another retirement system.

Investments

Investments are reported at fair value. Short term securities categorized as cash or cash equivalents are reported at fair value. Securities traded on a national exchange are valued at the last reported sales price. Investment income consists of realized and unrealized appreciation (depreciation) in the fair value of investments, interest income earned, dividend income earned, less investments expense, plus income from securities lending activities, less deductions for security lending expenses. Securities and securities transactions are reflected in the financial statements on a trade-date basis.

Fixed Assets

Fixed assets are capitalized at cost and depreciated on a straight-line basis over an estimated useful life of forty years for the building.

II. Contributions and Reserves

Contributions to each of the Plans are prescribed in Title 9 of the South Carolina Code of Laws.

Plan members are required to contribute at the following statutorily established rates:

SCRS 6% of salary PORS 6.5% of salary

GARS 10% of earnable compensation

JSRS 7% of salary

Employer contributions are established by the State Budget and Control Board at the actuarially determined rates recommended by the Systems' actuary.

In accordance with provisions of the 2000-2001 State Appropriations Act, an additional employer contribution surcharge of 2.52 percent of covered payroll was added to the contribution rate applicable to State and Public School entities covered by the State Health Insurance Plan. This assessment is for the purpose of providing retiree health and dental insurance coverage and is not a part of the actuarially established contribution rates. Functioning as a collecting agent, SCRS and PORS collected (in thousands) \$130,231 and \$8,891 respectively in retiree insurance surcharges (\$5,470 of which was applicable to the ORP and State ORP) and remitted these funds to the Health Insurance Internal Service Fund.

Net Assets of each plan are required to be reserved in the following accounts:

The Employee Fund is credited with all contributions made by active members of the Systems. Interest is added to each member's individual account at an annual rate of 6 percent. Upon termination of employment prior to retirement, employee contributions and accumulated interest may be refunded from this fund to the employee. Upon retirement, members' accumulated contributions and interest are transferred to the Employer Fund for subsequent payment of benefits.

The Employer Fund is the fund to which all employer retirement contributions and investment earnings of the Employee and Employer Funds are credited.

Interest earnings allocated to individual member accounts in the Employee Fund are transferred from the Employer Fund. At retirement, accumulated employee contributions and interest are transferred from the Employee Fund to the Employer Fund. All annuities and administrative expenses of the Systems are paid from the Employer Fund.

The Group Life Insurance Fund (SCRS and PORS only) is the fund to which participating employers contribute for the purpose of providing a life insurance benefit to active and retired members of the Systems. Employer contributions and earnings are credited to this fund. Group life insurance benefit payments are charged to this fund.

The Accidental Death Fund (PORS only) is the fund to which participating employers contribute for the purpose of providing annuity benefits to beneficiaries of police officers and firemen killed in the actual performance of their duties. This fund and its benefits are independent of any other retirement benefit available to the beneficiary. Employer contributions and investment earnings are credited to this fund. Monthly annuities are disbursed from this fund.

Balances (amounts in thousands) in the respective reserves at June 30, 2001, were as follows:

	SCRS	PORS	GARS	J2K2
Employee Fund	\$ 4,339,747	\$ 464,217	\$ 9,329	\$ 15,254
Employer Fund	14,246,165	1,733,578	33,624	80,464
Group Life Insurance Fund	103,929	17,449		
Accidental Death Fund		18,945		
	\$ 18,689,841	\$ 2,234,189	\$ 42,953	\$ 95,718

III. Investments and Deposits

As prescribed by statute, the State Treasurer is the custodian and investment manager of all fixed income investments and deposits of the Systems. The Systems may invest in a variety of instruments including obligations of the United States and its agencies and securities fully guaranteed by the United States, certain corporate obligations, certain shares of Federal savings and loan associations and State chartered savings and loan associations, and collateralized repurchase agreements, and equity securities.

The Systems maintains a portfolio of short-term securities in order to actively manage all funds waiting to be placed in a more permanent investment. These short-term securities may include U.S. Treasury obligations, commercial paper and repurchase agreements. As of June 30, 2001, SCRS held commercial paper with a fair value of \$24,829 (in thousands).

Effective May 26, 1998, legislation was passed implementing the 1996 public vote amending the State Constitution to allow the Retirement Systems to invest in equity securities. This legislation established a five-member investment panel responsible for defining and developing the investment goals, objectives and the types of investments to be purchased. The Act also specified that a maximum of 10 percent of assets for each system may be invested in equities annually until a maximum of 40 percent of assets are invested in equities. As of June 30, 2001, the Retirement Systems' assets were invested in equities as follows:

Equity Investments as of June 30, 2001 (Amounts in thousands)

	S&P 500		Total Equities
	Index Fund	Equities	\$ 4,117,697
SCRS	\$ 1,963,918	\$ 2,153,779	477,918
PORS	227,213	250,705	9,654
GARS	4,626	5,028	20,712
JSRS	9,926	10,786	\$ 4,625,981
TOTAL	\$ 2,205,683	\$ 2,420,298	

The Systems retain a consultant to provide investment consulting services necessary to fulfill the duties for investing in equity securities. As of June 30, 2001, individual agreements were in place between the Systems and 14 equity investment managers.

Through a custodial agent, SCRS, PORS, GARS and JSRS participate in a securities lending program whereby securities are loaned for the purpose of generating additional income to the Systems. The Systems lend securities from their investment portfolios on a collateralized basis to third parties, primarily financial institutions. The market value of the required collateral must initially meet or exceed 102 percent of the market value of the securities loaned, providing a margin against a decline in the market value of the collateral, and requires additional collateral if the collateral value falls below 100 percent. There are no restrictions on the amount of securities that may be loaned. The types of

securities available for loan during the year ended June 30, 2001, included U.S. corporate bonds, equities, and U.S. Government securities. The contractual agreement with the Systems' custodian provides indemnification in the event the borrower fails to return the securities lent or fails to pay the Systems income distribution by the securities' issuers while the securities are on loan. Cash and U.S. Government securities were received as collateral for these loans. The Systems cannot pledge or sell collateral securities without a borrower default. The Systems invest cash collateral received; accordingly, investments made with cash collateral appear as an asset. A corresponding liability is recorded as the Sys-

tems must return the cash collateral to the borrower upon the expiration of the loan. All securities loaned can be terminated on demand by either the Systems or the borrower. At year end the average number of days the loans were outstanding ranged from 1 to 27 days with a weighted average of nine days. The average maturity of investments made with cash collateral ranged from 3 to 18 days with a weighted average of eight days. At June 30, 2001, there had been no losses resulting from borrower defaults and the Systems had no credit risk exposure to borrowers because the amounts the Systems owed the borrowers exceeded the amounts the borrowers owed the Systems.

The following table presents the fair value (in thousands) of the underlying securities and the total collateral received for securities on loan at June 30, 2001:

	SCRS	PORS		GARS		JSRS		_	TOTAL
Securities lent for cash collateral:									
U.S. Government securities	\$ 1,036,472	\$	128,835	\$	8,747	\$	3,850	\$	1,177,904
U.S. Government agencies	208,325		16,685				1,051		226,061
Corporate bonds	31,838		22						31,860
Equities	162,020		19,161		382		849		182,412
Total securities lent	\$ 1,438,655	\$	164,703	\$	9,129	\$	5,750	\$	1,618,237
Cash collateral invested as follows:									
Repurchase agreements	\$ 605,798	\$	134,503	\$	9,315	\$	5,761	\$	755,377
Corporate bonds	811,980		19,757		38		84		831,859
Commercial paper	87,341		17,130		84		186		104,741
Total collateral invested	\$ 1,505,119	\$	171,390	\$	9,437	\$	6,031	\$	1,691,977

Governmental accounting standards require that the investments reported as of the balance sheet date be categorized according to the level of credit risk associated with the Systems' custodial arrangements at that time. The level of credit risk is defined as follows: Category 1 - insured or registered, or securities held by the Systems or in the Systems' name; Category 2 - uninsured and unregistered, with securities held by the counterparty's trust department or agent in the Sys-

tems' name; and Category 3 - uninsured and unregistered, with securities held by the counterparty, or by its trust department or agent but not in the Systems' name. A security, for purposes of classification, is a transferable financial instrument that evidences ownership or creditorship. Investments included in the "Equities – S&P 500 Index Fund," a mutual fund, are not considered securities for purposes of credit risk classification.

The following tables present the credit risk and fair value of investments (in thousands) by system and type at June 30, 2001:

South Carolina Retirement System

<u>INVESTMENTS</u>	<u>I</u> 1	NVESTMENT RISK 0	<u>PRY</u> 3	June 30, 2001 <u>Fair Value</u>			June 30, 2000 <u>Fair Value</u>		
Investments - categorized:									
Short term securities	\$ 24,829	None		None	\$	24,829	\$	291,848	
U.S. Government securities:									
Unloaned securities	1,425,378					1,425,378		1,414,020	
On securities loan-noncash collateral								19,248	
U.S. Government agencies:								2,819,870	
Unloaned securities	2,495,718					2,495,718			
Corporate bonds:	,					,			
Unloaned securities	4,402,481					4,402,481		4,290,141	
Financial & other	2,533,905					2,533,905		2,391,447	
Equities:	_,,,,,,,					_,,,,,,,,		_,_,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	
Unloaned securities	1,991,759					1,991,759		1,332,895	
Total - categorized	\$ 12,874,070					12,874,070		12,559,469	
Investments - not categorized: Equities - S&P 500 Index Fund Investments held by broker-dealers under securities loans with cash collateral:						1,963,918		1,207,435	
U.S. Government securities						1,036,472		1,143,993	
U.S. Government agencies						208,325		1,110,770	
Corporate bonds						31,838		34,617	
Equities						162,020		51,556	
Total - not categorized						3,402,573		2,437,601	
Total Not outogotized						0,102,070		2,107,001	
Total Investments						16,276,643		14,997,070	
Securities lending cash collateral invested			\$	1,505,119		1,505,119		1,277,578	
Total			\$	1,505,119	\$	17,781,762	\$	16,274,648	

Police Officers Retirement System

<u>INVESTMENTS</u>	<u>IN</u>	IVESTMENT RISK CA	ATEGOR	<u>Y</u>	e 30, 2001 air Value	June 30, 2000 <u>Fair Value</u>		
		1	2		3			
Investments - categorized:								
Short term securities			None	1	None		\$	8,834
U.S. Government securities:								
Unloaned securities	\$	133,599				\$ 133,599		133,799
On securities loan-noncash collateral								4,969
U.S. Government agencies:								305,790
Unloaned securities		300,896				300,896		
Corporate bonds:								490,086
Unloaned securities		478,616				478,616		
Financial & other		295,621				295,621		240,822
Equities:								
Unloaned securities		231,544				231,544		154,388
Total - categorized	\$	1,440,276				 1,440,276		1,338,688
Investments - not categorized:								
Equities - S&P 500 Index Fund Investments held by broker-dealers under securities loans with cash collateral:						227,213		137,591
U.S. Government securities						128,835		119,663
U.S. Government agencies						16,685		
Corporate bonds						22		
Equities						19,161		5,983
Total - not categorized						391,916		263,237
Total Investments						1,832,192		1,601,925
Securities lending cash collateral invested				\$	171,390	171,390		130,418
Total				\$	171,390	\$ 2,003,582	\$	1,732,343

General Assembly Retirement System

INVESTMENTS		ESTMENT RISK	CATEGORY	-	30, 2001 <u>r Value</u>	June 30, 2000 <u>Fair Value</u>		
	1	2		3				
Investments - categorized:								
U.S. Government securities:								
Unloaned securities	\$ 1	None	N	one	\$ 1	\$	6,583	
U.S. Government agencies	6,333				6,333		6,012	
Corporate bonds	11,644				11,644		11,371	
Financial & other	4,602				4,602		4,368	
Equities:								
Unloaned securities	4,646				4,646		3,098	
Total - categorized	\$ 27,226				27,226		31,432	
Investments - not categorized: Equities - S&P 500 Index Fund Investments held by broker-dealers under securities loans with cash collateral:					4,626		2,864	
U.S. Government securities					8,747		2,003	
Equities					382		122	
Total - not categorized					13,755		4,989	
Total Investments					40,981		36,421	
Securities lending cash collateral invested			\$	9,437	 9,437		2,201	
Total			\$	9,437	\$ 50,418	\$	38,622	

Judges and Solicitors Retirement System

<u>INVESTMENTS</u>	INVESTMENT RISK CATEGORY 1 2 3				30, 2001 <u>Value</u>	June 30, 2000 <u>Fair Value</u>		
Investments - categorized:								
Short term securities			None	N	one		\$	999
U.S. Government securities:								
Unloaned securities								520
U.S. Government agencies:								
Unloaned securities	\$	22,282				\$ 22,282		20,492
On securities loan-noncash collateral								994
Corporate bonds		24,895				24,895		24,106
Financial & other		9,706				9,706		7,780
Equities:								
Unloaned securities		9,937				9,937		6,594
Total - categorized	\$	66,820				 66,820		61,485
Investments - not categorized: Equities - S&P 500 Index Fund Investments held by broker-dealers under securities loans with cash collateral:						9,926		6,038
U.S. Government securities						3,850		3,292
U.S. Government agencies						1,051		0,272
Equities						849		255
Total - not categorized						 15,676	-	9,585
						 	-	
Total Investments						82,496		71,070
Securities lending cash collateral invested				\$	6,031	 6,031		3,696
Total				\$	6,031	\$ 88,527	\$	74,766

Summary for South Carolina Retirement Systems

<u>INVESTMENTS</u>			INVESTMENT RISK CATEGORY				e 30, 2001 <u>air Value</u>	June 30, 2000 <u>Fair Value</u>		
		1	2		3					
Investments - categorized:										
Short term securities	\$	24,829	None		None	\$	24,829	\$	301,681	
U.S. Government securities:										
Unloaned securities		1,558,978					1,558,978		1,554,922	
On securities loan-noncash collateral									24,217	
U.S. Government agencies:										
Unloaned securities	2	2,825,229					2,825,229		3,152,164	
On securities loan-noncash collateral									994	
Corporate bonds:										
Unloaned securities	4	1,917,636					4,917,636		4,815,704	
Financial & other	2	2,843,834					2,843,834		2,644,417	
Equities:										
Unloaned securities	2	2,237,886					2,237,886		1,496,975	
Total - categorized		1,408,392					14,408,392		13,991,074	
Investments - not categorized:										
Equities - S&P 500 Index Fund							2,205,683		1,353,928	
Investments held by broker-dealers under securities loans with cash collateral:										
U.S. Government securities							1,177,904		1,268,951	
U.S. Government agencies							226,061			
Corporate bonds							31,860		34,617	
Equities							182,412		57,916	
Total - not categorized							3,823,920		2,715,412	
Total Investments							18,232,312		16,706,486	
Securities lending cash collateral invested				\$	1,691,977		1,691,977		1,413,893	
Total				\$	1,691,977	\$	19,924,289	\$	18,120,379	

On June 30, 2001, the Systems held collateralized mortgage obligations (CMOs) in our portfolios. The CMOs in these portfolios consist of the planned amortizations class-1 (PAC 1) tranche of these issues. The PAC-1 tranche CMO structure securities were entered into for several reasons: (1) to protect the Retirement Systems' portfolios from principal prepayment risk during an environment of declining interest rates, (2) to provide incremental yield above that available on corporate securities with similar terms, (3) to provide diversification in the portfolios, (4) to maintain the high quality of government-sponsored credits in the portfolios, and (5) to utilize the estimated future term cash flows provided by these securities to match the term of the liabilities of the Retirement Systems. These securities are all rated AAA by the major rating agencies and the PAC-1 structure is a highly marketable security. The Systems held the following CMOs included in the financial and other investments category (in thousands):

	June	30, 2001	June	June 30, 2000				
	<u>Fa</u>	<u>ir Value</u>	<u>Fair Value</u>					
SCRS	\$	607,986	\$	612,040				
PORS		23,129		29,059				
GARS		1,331		1,299				
JSRS		1,052		1,027				
Totals	\$	633,498	\$	643,425				

On June 30, 2001, the Systems also held asset-backed securities in our portfolios. These securities had an average life of one to three years with a legal final maturity of two to five years. These securities represent an undivided owner-

ship interest in a trust consisting of auto loan and utility receivables. These securities are rated AAA by the major rating agencies. In addition, under the asset-backed securities category, the Systems held bonds issued by the South Carolina Tobacco Settlement Revenue Management Authority. These securities are rated Aa3 and have an average life of 4.12 years with a legal final maturity of 2016.

The Systems held the following asset-backed securities included in the financial and other investments category (in thousands):

	June	30, 2001	June	30, 2000
	Fai	r Value	<u>Fai</u>	r Value
SCRS	\$	388,773	\$	69,216
PORS		63,775		
JSRS		1,477		
Totals	\$	454,025	\$	69,216

In addition to CMOs and asset backed securities, the financial and other investments category primarily consisted of corporate financial paper as follows (in thousands):

	June	e 30, 2001	Jun	e 30 , 2000				
	Fa	air Value	<u>F</u> a	<u>Fair Value</u>				
SCRS	\$	1,537,146	\$	1,710,191				
PORS		208,717		211,763				
GARS		3,271		3,069				
JSRS		7,177	_	6,753				
Totals	\$	1,756,311	\$	1,931,776				

All deposits are required to be insured or collateralized with securities held by the State or its agent in the State Treasurer's name as custodian. Certain short-term, highly liquid securities, which were insured or registered by the Systems or in the Systems' name (investment credit risk category 1), with an original maturity of three months or less are considered cash equivalents in accordance with Governmental Accounting Standards Board Statement 9. Cash and cash equivalents (in thousands) at June 30, 2001, were composed of the following:

				CASH	H EQUIVAL	.ENTS				
		REI	PURCHASE	DI	ISCOUNT	CASH	EQUIVALENTS	GRAND	TOTAL	
	CASH	AG	REEMENTS		NOTES		TOTAL	TOTAL	2000	
SCRS	\$ 6,944	\$	1,753,439	\$	447,785	\$	2,201,224	\$ 2,208,168	\$ 2,216,075	5
PORS	827		266,318		102,767		369,085	369,912	408,697	7
GARS	16		1,501				1,501	1,517	3,981	1
JSRS	2		11,930				11,930	11,932	15,569)
Totals	\$ 7,789	\$	2,033,188	\$	550,552	\$	2,583,740	\$ 2,591,529	\$ 2,644,322	2

IV. Land and Building

Land and building at June 30, 2001, consists of the following amounts (in thousands):

									TOTAL
	<u>SCRS</u>	<u>P</u>	<u>ORS</u>	<u>G</u>	<u>ARS</u>	j	<u>SRS</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>2000</u>
Land	\$ 524	\$	54	\$	1	\$	3	\$ 582	\$ 582
Building	4,279		437		13		20	4,749	4,749
Total property	4,803		491		14		23	5,331	5,331
Less: accumulated									
depreciation	 938		96		3		5	 1,042	 923
Net property	\$ 3,865	\$	395	\$	11	\$	18	\$ 4,289	\$ 4,408

V. Related Party Transactions

The State Budget and Control Board's Office of Internal Operations maintains an internal service fund (Agency Operations Internal Service Fund) to account for the administrative costs of operating the Systems. This fund assesses administrative charges to each of the pension trust funds based on its respective proportion of total assets. These administrative charges for operating the pension funds are determined on essentially a cost recovery basis using the State's budgetary basis of accounting to determine costs.

The pension plans provide pension and other fringe benefits to employees of all State agencies. Revenues attributed to these agencies are recorded in the financial statements as employee and employer contributions and constitute approximately 39 percent of combined contribution revenues. In addition, the Systems receives custodial, investment and related services from the State Treasurer.

At June 30, 2001, liabilities of approximately \$20.9 million were due to other State departments and agencies and contributions receivable of approximately \$13.6 million were due from other State departments and agencies.

VI. Teacher and Employee Retention Incentive Program

The Teacher and Employee Retention Incentive (TERI) program, effective January 1, 2001, is a deferred retirement option plan available to active SCRS members eligible for service retirement on or after January 1, 2001. When a member enters TERI, the member's status changes from active member to retiree even though the person continues to work at his regular job and earn his regular salary for a period of up to five years. The person no longer contributes to SCRS and no additional service credit is earned. A TERI participant is ineligible for active group life insurance benefits and disability retirement benefits. During the TERI participation period, the retiree's monthly benefits are accrued and remain in our trust account. Upon the termination of employment or at the end of the TERI period (whichever is earlier), the retiree has the choice to roll over his funds into a qualified, tax-sheltered, retirement plan or to receive a lumpsum distribution (or a combination thereof). No interest is paid on the funds accumulated in the TERI account.

A total of 5,883 members were participating in the TERI program at June 30, 2001. The activity for this program is reflected in the following schedule:

Schedule of TERI Activity Year Ended June 30, 2001 (Amounts in thousands)

Beginning balance	\$ 0
Additions	56,487
TERI distributions	(1,843)
Ending balance	\$ 54,644

VII. Future Adoption of Accounting Pronouncements

The Governmental Accounting Standards Board has issued Statement No. 34 <u>Basic Financial Statements and Management's Discussion and Analysis - for State and Local Governments</u>. This new accounting and reporting standard will not impact the revenue and expenditure recognition or assets, liabilities, and fund equity reporting of the pension trust funds for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2001.

VIII. Litigation

On September 21, 2001, two employees and an employer filed a putative class action lawsuit against the South Carolina Retirement Systems and the South Carolina Budget and Control Board alleging that the Retirement Systems wrongfully denied benefits to members of the South Carolina Retirement System (SCRS) and the Police Officers Retirement System (PORS) due to misinterpretation of the definition of average final compensation. The plaintiffs further allege that SCRS and PORS collected over \$2 billion and \$500 million respectively, in excess contributions. Plaintiffs seek a declaratory judgment that a benefit was wrongfully denied and/or that excess contributions were collected and request that contributions be reduced in the future. Plaintiffs seek a refund of over \$2 billion to members and employers. Finally, plaintiffs seek to impose a constructive trust on monies overpaid by plaintiffs and/or wrongfully withheld by the Systems. The Retirement Systems believes that the Systems are providing retirement benefits to members and collecting contributions from employers and members in accordance with current State laws. The Systems believes its position is meritorious and will vigorously defend it.

South Carolina Retirement Systems Required Supplementary Information

Schedule of Funding Progress

(Amounts expressed in thousands)

Actuarial Valuation Date	Actuarial Value of Assets (a)	Actuarial Accrued Liability (AAL) -Entry Age (b)	Unfunded AAL (UAAL) (b - a)	Funded Ratio (a/b)	Covered Payroll (c)	UAAL as a Percentage of Covered Payroll ((b - a)/c)
SCRS 7/01/00 7/01/99 7/01/98 7/01/97 7/01/96 7/01/95	\$ 17,286,108 16,120,513 14,946,070 13,621,362 12,499,235 11,453,462	\$ 19,414,972 16,298,438 15,952,345 14,977,179 14,062,092 12,980,497	\$ 2,128,864 177,925 1,006,275 1,355,817 1,562,857 1,527,035	89.0% 98.9% 93.7% 90.9% 88.9% 88.2%	\$ 6,067,185 5,473,759 5,191,048 4,927,124 4,540,100 4,318,827	35.1% 3.3% 19.4% 27.5% 34.4% 35.4%
PORS 7/01/00 7/01/99 7/01/98 7/01/97 7/01/96 7/01/95	2,008,554 1,844,517 1,684,641 1,512,390 1,367,549 1,236,610	2,095,991 1,898,237 1,733,578 1,570,816 1,427,785 1,299,119	87,437 53,720 48,937 58,426 60,236 62,509	95.8% 97.2% 97.2% 96.3% 95.8% 95.2%	716,749 638,086 606,426 562,553 505,516 475,176	12.2% 8.4% 8.1% 10.4% 11.9% 13.2%
GARS 7/01/00 7/01/99 7/01/98 7/01/97 7/01/96 7/01/95	40,730 38,685 36,260 33,627 31,702 30,528	64,616 63,501 60,330 60,052 59,914 58,577	23,886 24,816 24,070 26,425 28,212 28,049	63.0% 60.9% 60.1% 56.0% 52.9% 52.1%	4,858 4,979 4,810 4,721 4,771 4,704	491.7% 498.4% 500.4% 559.7% 591.3% 596.3%
JSRS 7/01/00 7/01/99 7/01/98 7/01/97 7/01/96 7/01/95	87,536 81,780 75,699 68,980 62,850 57,917	144,631 134,272 124,756 112,185 101,020 94,420	57,095 52,492 49,057 43,205 38,170 36,503	60.5% 60.9% 60.7% 61.5% 62.2% 61.3%	13,214 12,748 11,564 11,221 10,109 9,417	432.1% 411.8% 424.2% 385.0% 377.6% 387.6%

Schedule of Employer Contributions

(Amounts expressed in thousands)

	SCI	RS		PO	RS	GA	RS		JSI	RS
	Annual		P	Annual		Annual		A	nnual	
Year Ended	Required	Percentage	Re	equired	Percentage	Required	Percentage	Re	quired	Percentage
June 30,	Contribution	Contributed	Con	tribution	Contributed	Contribution	Contributed	Cont	ribution	Contributed
2001	\$ 491,329	100%	\$	93,584	100%	\$ 2,510	100%	\$	5,875	100%
2000	455,914	100%		76,267	100%	2,636	100%		5,659	100%
1999	419,918	100%		69,541	100%	2,768	100%		5,485	100%
1998	398,845	100%		65,538	100%	2,796	100%		4,991	100%
1997	374,452	100%		61,651	100%	2,492	100%		4,771	100%
1996	359,268	100%		55,956	100%	1,679	100%		4,244	100%

South Carolina Retirement Systems Required Supplementary Information (continued)

The information presented in the required supplementary schedules was determined as part of the actuarial valuations at the dates indicated. Additional information as of the latest actuarial valuation follows.

	SCRS	PORS	GARS	JSRS
Valuation date	07/01/00	07/01/00	07/01/00	07/01/00
Actuarial cost method	Entry age	Entry age	Entry age	Entry age
Amortization period	Level percent	Level percent	Level percent	Level percent
	open	open	closed	open
Remaining amortization period	16 years	7 years	24 years	29 years
Asset valuation method	5-year smoothed market	5-year smoothed market	5-year smoothed market	5-year smoothed market
Actuarial assumptions:				
Investment rate of return	7.25%	7.25%	7.25%	7.25%
Projected salary increases	4.00% - 9.00%	5.25% - 9.00%	2.00%	5.25%
Includes inflation at	3.75%	3.75%	4.25%	4.25%
Cost-of-living adjustments	None	None	2.00%	4.25%

South Carolina Retirement Systems Statement of Changes in Plan Net Assets SCRS Pension Trust Fund

Year Ended June 30, 2001

Additions	EMPLOYEE FUND	EMPLOYER FUND	ROUP LIFE FUND	TOTAL	TOTAL 2000
Employee contributions State department employees Public school employees Other political subdivision employees Employer contributions	\$ 164,371 188,001 82,700			\$ 164,371 188,001 82,700	\$ 139,650 166,129 73,688
State department employees Public school employees Other political subdivision employees Transfers of contributions from other Systems Total contributions	<u>3</u> 435,075	\$ 181,432 211,539 89,133 482,104	\$ 3,421 1,644 4,160 9,225	184,853 213,183 93,293 3 926,404	173,144 200,764 82,006 24 835,405
Investment Income Net appreciation (depreciation) in fair value of investments Interest and dividend income Investment expense Net income from investing activities From securities lending activities:		440,244 850,660 (9,525) 1,281,379	 2,395 4,620 (52) 6,963	442,639 855,280 (9,577) 1,288,342	(72,431) 863,607 (3,137) 788,039
Securities lending income Securities lending expense		88,066 (82,441)	479 (449)	88,545 (82,890)	78,026 (73,783)
Net income from securities lending activities		5,625	30	5,655	4,243
Total net investment income		1,287,004	6,993	1,293,997	792,282
Supplemental retirement benefits funded by the State		3,518	 	3,518	3,873
Total additions	435,075	1,772,626	16,218	2,223,919	1,631,560
Deductions Refunds of contributions to members Transfers of contributions to other Systems Regular retirement benefits Deferred retirement benefits Supplemental retirement benefits Group life insurance claims Depreciation Administrative charges	68,894 1,385	728 864,235 56,487 3,518 107 13,154	12,850	68,894 2,113 864,235 56,487 3,518 12,850 107 13,154	72,452 1,879 779,297 3,873 10,026 107 13,189
Total deductions	70,279	938,229	12,850	1,021,358	880,823
Interfund transfers according to statutory requirements Contributions by members at retirement Interest credited to members' accounts Net interfund transfers Net increase	(816,301) 227,739 (588,562) (223,766)	816,301 (227,739) 588,562 1,422,959	3,368	1,202,561	750,737
Net assets held in trust for Pension Benefits	. ,				
Beginning of year	4,563,513	12,823,206	 100,561	17,487,280	16,736,543
End of year	\$ 4,339,747	\$ 14,246,165	\$ 103,929	\$ 18,689,841	\$ 17,487,280

South Carolina Retirement Systems Statement of Changes in Plan Net Assets PORS Pension Trust Fund Year Ended June 30, 2001

	EN	MPLOYEE FUND	Ε	MPLOYER FUND		GROUP LIFE FUND	AC	CIDENTAL DEATH FUND		TOTAL		TOTAL 2000
Additions												
Employee contributions State department employees Other political subdivision employees	\$	25,601 30,244							\$	25,601 30,244	\$	21,523 27,098
Employer contributions State department employees Other political subdivision employees Transfers of contributions from other Systems Total contributions		1,107 56,952	\$	38,688 51,904 728 91,320	\$	706 813 1,519	\$	706 767 1,473		40,100 53,484 1,835 151,264		33,351 42,916 1,817 126,705
Investment Income Net appreciation (depreciation) in fair value of investments Interest and dividend income Investment expense Net income from investing activities From securities lending activities: Securities lending income	_		_	46,387 101,382 (1,051) 146,718		373 812 (8) 1,177		393 856 (9) 1,240		47,153 103,050 (1,068) 149,135		(14,071) 107,314 (387) 92,856
Securities lending expense			_	(8,331)		(67) 3		(71) 3		(8,469) 439		(8,556)
Net income from securities lending activities Total net investment income			_	147,151	_	1,180	_	1,243		149,574		93,425
			_	104	_	1,100	_	1,243		104		
Supplemental retirement benefits funded by the State Total additions	_	56,952		238,575		2,699	_	2,716		300,942		220,243
Deductions Refunds of contributions to members Transfers of contributions to other Systems Regular retirement benefits Supplemental retirement benefits Group life insurance claims Accidental death benefits Depreciation Administrative charges		11,498		94,439 104 11 1,537		1,399	_	797		11,498 3 94,439 104 1,399 797 11 1,537		10,463 84,386 113 1,404 736 11 1,514
Total deductions		11,501		96,091		1,399		797		109,788		98,807
Interfund transfers according to statutory requirements Contributions by members at retirement Interest credited to members' accounts Net interfund transfers Net increase		(32,277) 23,594 (8,683) 36,768		32,277 (23,594) 8,683 151,167)	1,300		1,919		191,154		121,436
Net assets held in trust for Pension Benefits												
Beginning of year	_	427,449	_	1,582,411	_	16,149	_	17,026	_	2,043,035	_	1,921,599
End of year	\$	464,217	\$	1,733,578	\$	17,449	\$	18,945	\$	2,234,189	\$	2,043,035

South Carolina Retirement Systems Statement of Changes in Plan Net Assets GARS Pension Trust Fund Year Ended June 30, 2001

Additions		PLOYEE		PLOYER	1	TOTAL		TOTAL 2000
Contributions								
Employee contributions - State departments	\$	844			\$	844	\$	638
Employer contributions - State departments	Ψ	044	\$	2,510	Ψ	2,510	Ψ	2.636
Transfers of contributions from other Systems		60	Ψ	2,010		60		2,000
Total contributions	-	904		2,510	_	3,414		3,274
Investment Income								
Net appreciation (depreciation) in fair value of investments				867		867		(501)
Interest and dividend income				2,169		2,169		2,328
Investment expense				(21)		(21)		(6)
Net income from investing activities				3,015		3,015		1,821
From securities lending activities:		_		_		_		
Securities lending income				190		190		153
Securities lending expense				(183)		(183)		(147)
Net income from securities lending activities				7		7		6
Total net investment income				3,022		3,022		1,827
Total additions		904		5,532		6,436		5,101
Deductions								
Refunds of contributions to members		38				38		16
Transfers of contributions to other Systems		40				40		34
Regular retirement benefits				4,197		4,197		3,998
Group life insurance claims				42		42		36
Depreciation								1
Administrative charges				31		31		32
Total deductions		78		4,270		4,348		4,117
Interfund transfers according to statutory requirements								
Contributions by members at retirement		(1,215)		1,215				
Interest credited to members' accounts		498		(498)				
Net interfund transfers		(717)		717				
Net increase		109		1,979		2,088		984
Net assets held in trust for Pension Benefits								
Beginning of year		9,220		31,645		40,865		39,881
End of year	\$	9,329	\$	33,624	\$	42,953	\$	40,865
	-					-		

South Carolina Retirement Systems Statement of Changes in Plan Net Assets JSRS Pension Trust Fund Year Ended June 30, 2001

Addition		PLOYEE		PLOYER	1	TOTAL		TOTAL 2000
Additions								
Contributions Employee contributions State departments	\$	1,958			\$	1,958	\$	1,122
Employee contributions - State departments Employer contributions - State departments	Ф	1,930	\$	5,875	Þ	5,875	Ф	5,659
Transfers of contributions from other Systems		258	Ψ	3,073		258		72
Total contributions		2,216		5,875		8,091		6,853
Investment Income								
Net appreciation (depreciation) in fair value of investments				2,329		2,329		(1,014)
Interest and dividend income				4,834		4,834		4,807
Investment expense				(44)		(44)		(12)
Net income from investing activities				7,119		7,119		3,781
From securities lending activities:								
Securities lending income				202		202		169
Securities lending expense				(193)		(193)		(159)
Net income from securities lending activities				9		9		10
Total net investment income				7,128		7,128		3,791
Total additions		2,216		13,003		15,219		10,644
Deductions								
Refunds of contributions to members								71
Regular retirement benefits				7,426		7,426		6,979
Group life insurance claims				6		6		15
Depreciation				1		1		
Administrative charges				66		66		67
Total deductions				7,499		7,499		7,132
Interfund transfers according to statutory requirements								
Contributions by members at retirement		(705)		705				
Interest credited to members' accounts		764		(764)				
Net interfund transfers		59		(59)				
Net increase		2,275		5,445		7,720		3,512
Net assets held in trust for Pension Benefits								
Beginning of year		12,979		75,019		87,998		84,486
End of year	\$	15,254	\$	80,464	\$	95,718	\$	87,998

South Carolina Retirement Systems Schedule of Investment Expenses

Year Ended June 30, 2001

(Amounts expressed in thousands)

Equity Investment Managers' Fees:		SCRS	ı	PORS	G	ARS	J	SRS	T	OTAL
State Street Global Advisors	\$	63	\$	7					\$	70
Institutional Capital Corp.	Ψ	837	Ψ	, 98	\$	2	\$	4	Ψ	941
Alliance Bernstein Institutional Management, Inc.*		665		78	Ψ	1	Ψ	4		748
Flippin, Bruce & Porter, Inc.		460		54		1		2		517
Montag & Caldwell, Inc.		660		77		1		3		741
Peachtree Asset Management		442		52		1		2		497
J.P Morgan Investment Management, Inc.		703		83		2		4		792
Wellington Management Company, LLP		1,069		126		2		5		1,202
The Boston Company Asset Management, LLC		782		92		2		4		880
J.L. Kaplan Associates, LLC		729		86		2		4		821
MFS Institutional Advisors, Inc.		345		41		1		2		389
Suffolk Capital Management, Inc.		724		85		2		4		815
Fidelity Management Trust Company		532		62		1		3		598
Farrell-SL Investment Management, Inc.		204		24		1		1		230
Total		8,215		965		19		42		9,241
Investment Service Fees:										
Bank Fees		1,362		103		2		2		1,469
Total Investment Management Fees	\$	9,577	\$	1,068	\$	21	\$	44	\$	10,710
Securities Lending Expenses:										
Borrower Rebates	\$	82,890	\$	8,469	\$	183	\$	193	\$	91,735
Total Securities Lending Expenses	\$	82,890	\$	8,469	\$	183	\$	193	\$	91,735

^{*} Sanford C. Bernstein & Co., Inc., was acquired by Alliance Capital Management LP in October 2000.

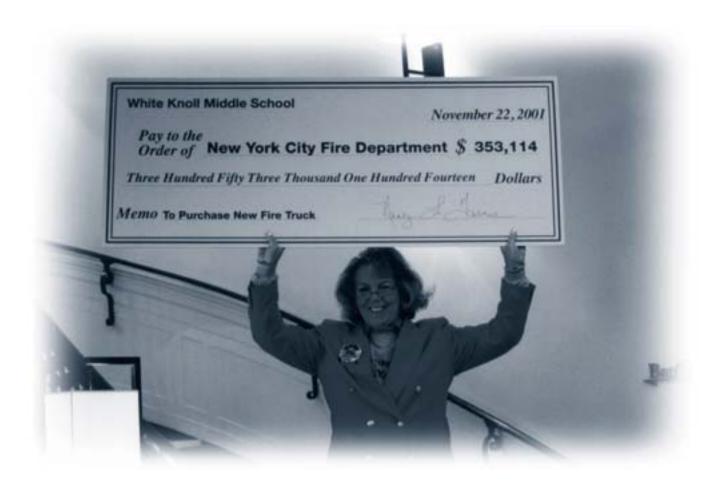


Dr. Nancy Turner, principal of White Knoll Middle School in West Columbia, SC, works the school's NYC Fire Truck Fund booth at the South Carolina State Fair in October 2001.



White Knoll Middle School students garnered support within the local community and, subsequently, the nation. The Greek Festival held in Columbia, SC, donated \$10,000 from the 2001 festival's proceeds.

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White Knoll Middle School Principal, Dr. Nancy Turner, proudly displays the check that would be presented Thanksgiving morning on NBC's "Today" show to the captain of the Red Hook fire station in Brooklyn, NY.

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November 26, 2001

The Honorable James H. Hodges Governor, State of South Carolina Members of the General Assembly of South Carolina

Dear Governor and Members:

As Custodian of funds for the South Carolina Retirement Systems (SCRS) I am pleased to submit information on the SCRS investments for Fiscal Year ended June 30, 2001. Thanks to historically conservative investments our funds have again performed better than the market as a whole.

We continue in our commitment to invest the legislatively mandated 40% of SCRS portfolios in equity investments. Through a process of checks and balances we had 25% in equity investments at Fiscal Year end. Of that, 45% was invested in a passive stock index fund and 55% in actively managed stocks. The State Budget and Control Board, trustee and fiduciary agent for the SCRS, continues to work with the hired consultant and their Investment Panel to identify equity investment opportunities.

Fixed income investments are managed by the State Treasurer's Office. Our professional in-house staff works with our investment consultant to seek the best market prospects. That relationship has yielded higher than private sector results - at a fraction of the cost - over the past decade, performing at 0.72% above the Lehman Aggregate Index. This performance is achieved even with the conservative investments the State Treasurer is authorized to make. Authorized investments include the highest quality U.S Governments and Agencies, investment grade corporate securities and repurchase agreements. These investments hold an average rating of AA.

Even in what will prove to be a difficult coming budget year, we expect the SCRS funds in equities and fixed income to continue to perform at better than market levels. That expectation is soundly based on our history of prudent, conservative investments.

As Custodian of funds, I am proud to provide this information.

Sincerely,

Grady L. Patterson, J.

State Treasurer



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November 27, 2001

The Honorable Jim Hodges, Governor; Members of the State Budget and Control Board State of South Carolina Columbia, South Carolina 29211

Gentlemen:

The fiscal year concluded on June 30, 2001 represented the second full year of investment in the equity markets for the four pension systems: the South Carolina Retirement System, Retirement System for Members of the General Assembly, Retirement System for Judges and Solicitors, and the Police Officers Retirement System (collectively referred to as "Systems"). William M. Mercer Investment Consulting, Inc. ("Mercer") serves as the consultant to the two groups responsible for the oversight and implementation of the equity program, the Budget and Control Board, and the Board's designated State Retirement Systems Investment Panel.

The program remains on the long-term funding schedule set forth in 1999 and continues to be invested according to the Statement of Investment Objectives and Policies (SIP), which includes the general guidelines and goals for investment of the Systems' assets. The equity investment program is implemented through an Annual Investment Plan (AIP) which details the funding of the equity managers, asset allocations, and permissible investments. Both of these documents were prepared by the Investment Panel, the Systems' staff, and William M. Mercer Investment Consulting and were approved by the Budget and Control Board. The Systems expect to continue funding the portfolio during Fiscal Year 2002, and expect to reach the target contribution level sometime early in Fiscal Year 2003.

The equity portfolio market value (including accruals) grew to \$4.66 billion and continues to be well-diversified, among fourteen active managers and one passive allocation. These managers are diversified among various styles of active management and capitalization ranges as shown in the table below:

	Growth	Core	Value	Passive	Total
Large Cap	\$ 486,718,151	\$461,866,229	\$752,788,954	\$2,205,682,349	\$ 3,907,055,683
Small-Mid Cap	\$273,821,123	\$139,928,638	\$337,690,871		\$751,440,632
Total	\$ 760,539,274	\$601,794,867	\$1,090,479,825	\$ 2,205,682,349	\$ 4,658,496,315

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The returns available from the equity markets during Fiscal Year 2001 could be described as a reminder that long-term investors must remain focused on the long term, and not deviate from their policies based on short-term market fluctuations. Specifically, the S&P 500 dropped 14.8% over the period, the worst return for the broad market since the 1973-74 bear market.

Despite this backdrop of significantly negative equity market returns and the substantial passive allocation (45% of the portfolio), the equity program of the Systems' outperformed the broad market by a wide margin again in Fiscal Year 2001. The total portfolio declined only 7.5%, far better than the S&P 500's 14.8% loss noted above. More significantly, the return for the two-year period (including last fiscal year) is positive 0.9%, annualized, compared to the -4.4% loss for the market.

Given the weighting to the passive core, these results indicate that the active component of the portfolio must have outperformed by a wide margin, which is, in fact, the case. The total active component (including both large and smaller-cap components), only dropped 1.6% for the year, fully 13 percent (1,300 basis points) ahead of the market. Each component (large core, growth and value, plus smaller cap) of the active portfolio outperformed its benchmark, in some cases by wide margins.

The Investment Panel continues to devote significant time and effort to monitoring the current program as well as evaluating the overall equity strategy and making recommendations to the Board on enhancements and adjustments as necessary. For example, the Investment Panel recommended the addition of another active large-cap growth manager during the fiscal year to complement the two existing growth managers and further diversify the actively managed portion of the portfolio. The Systems' lineup of active managers outperformed the S&P 500 in ten of the past twelve months, with a risk level comparable to that of the benchmark.

William M. Mercer Investment Consulting, Inc., as the Systems' consultant, is responsible for providing quarterly investment performance reports (prepared in accordance with the performance presentation standards promulgated by the Association of Investment Management & Research, or AIMR) to the Investment Panel, the Board, staff and other interested parties, which evaluate the performance of the Systems' equity portfolio and managers. Performance is compared to market benchmarks and to other similar managers over various periods of time, and progress toward long-term goals and asset allocation are



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also monitored. These reports are prepared using data provided by the Systems' custodian and investment managers.

William M. Mercer Investment Consulting Inc., is registered with the SEC as an investment advisor and has been providing investment consulting services to plan sponsors since 1972. Mercer was selected as the consultant for the Systems through a Request for Proposal ("RFP") process and has served in that capacity since December 1998. Today Mercer serves over 500 plan sponsors and trustees, including several other state retirement systems. We look forward to continuing to assist the Budget and Control Board, the Investment Panel, and the State of South Carolina in further developing and monitoring its equity investment program, and in maintaining the long-term focus set forth in the SIP and AIP.

Sincerely,

Drew Carrington, CFA

Principal

William M. Mercer Investment Consulting, Inc.

South Carolina Retirement System Summary of Investment Growth

(Amounts expressed in thousands)

Year Ended June 30,	Carrying Value of Investments*	% Increase for Year	Net Income from Investments*	% Increase for Year	Average <u>Yield</u>
2001	\$ 18,477,867	7.35%	\$ 1,293,997	63.33%	7.52%
2000	17,212,697	4.31%	792,282	101.16%	4.81%
1999	16,502,052	2.33%	393,856	-79.32%	2.44%
1998	16,126,828	13.22%	1,904,740	57.12%	13.38%
1997	14,244,260	9.04%	1,212,272	92.86%	9.29%
1996	13,063,201	4.50%	628,562	-61.78%	5.00%
1995	12,500,986	19.06%	1,644,707	95.49%	15.40%
1994	10,499,754	11.80%	841,332	1.30%	8.83%
1993	9,391,101	11.20%	830,466	10.80%	9.77%
1992	8,447,545	13.20%	749,808	10.40%	9.89%

Police Officers Retirement System Summary of Investment Growth

(Amounts expressed in thousands)

Year Ended June 30,	Carrying Value of Investments*	% Increase for Year	Net Income from Investments*	% Increase for Year	Average <u>Yield</u>
2001	\$ 2,201,277	9.49%	\$ 149,574	60.10%	7.36%
2000	2,010,545	6.49%	93,425	75.27%	4.91%
1999	1,887,931	4.54%	53,304	-74.37%	2.93%
1998	1,805,884	15.13%	207,998	57.77%	13.14%
1997	1,568,593	10.30%	131,834	90.02%	9.22%
1996	1,422,163	6.50%	69,379	-58.41%	5.20%
1995	1,335,391	19.35%	166,836	85.19%	14.59%
1994	1,118,922	11.80%	90,088	5.70%	8.88%
1993	1,000,503	15.90%	85,230	10.70%	9.58%
1992	863,144	14.30%	77,018	15.40%	10.00%

^{*}Carrying Value includes investment categories classified as cash equivalents for financial statement purposes. Securities lending assets are excluded. Investments and net income from investments for fiscal years 1995-2001 are based on market value accounting. Net income from investments for years prior to 1995 reflect amortized cost of investments.

General Assembly Retirement System Summary of Investment Growth

(Amounts expressed in thousands)

Year Ended June 30,	Carrying Value of Investments*	% Increase for Year	Net Income from Investments*	% Increase for Year	Average <u>Yield</u>
2001	\$ 42,482	5.16%	\$ 3,022	65.41%	7.57%
2000	40,397	2.44%	1,827	54.83%	4.68%
1999	39,435	1.79%	1,180	-72.79%	3.07%
1998	38,742	10.94%	4,337	48.43%	12.51%
1997	34,922	6.32%	2,922	79.70%	9.01%
1996	32,846	1.00%	1,626	-60.91%	5.10%
1995	32,554	10.33%	4,160	77.32%	14.37%
1994	29,506	12.80%	2,346	5.00%	8.80%
1993	26,160	8.50%	2,234	1.80%	9.30%
1992	24,102	9.30%	2,194	9.30%	9.98%

Judges and Solicitors Retirement System Summary of Investment Growth

(Amounts expressed in thousands)

Year Ended June 30,	Carrying Value of Investments*	% Increase for Year	Net Income from Investments*	% Increase for Year	Average <u>Yield</u>
2001	\$ 94,426	8.99%	\$ 7,128	88.02%	8.20%
2000	86,637	4.13%	3,791	61.18%	4.56%
1999	83,198	2.87%	2,352	-75.29%	2.91%
1998	80,878	13.47%	9,520	60.03%	13.34%
1997	71,276	9.53%	5,949	86.78%	9.12%
1996	65,073	1.64%	3,185	-61.02%	5.10%
1995	64,024	18.13%	8,170	78.54%	14.85%
1994	54,197	16.60%	4,576	12.40%	9.52%
1993	46,487	12.60%	4,070	10.80%	9.72%
1992	41,289	15.90%	3,673	14.30%	10.03%

Average yield is calculated using the following equation:

^{1/2 (}A + B - I)

A = Fund value at the beginning of the year

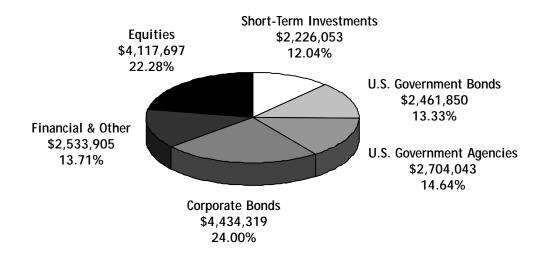
B = Fund value at the end of the year

I = Net income from investments

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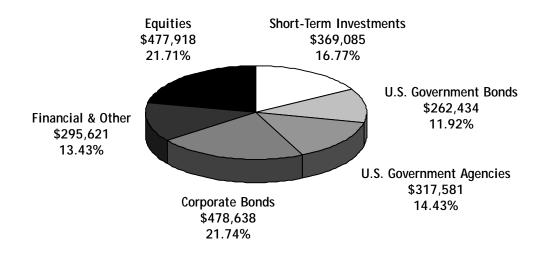
South Carolina Retirement System Schedule of Asset Allocation

Market Value as of June 30, 2001



Police Officers Retirement System Schedule of Asset Allocation

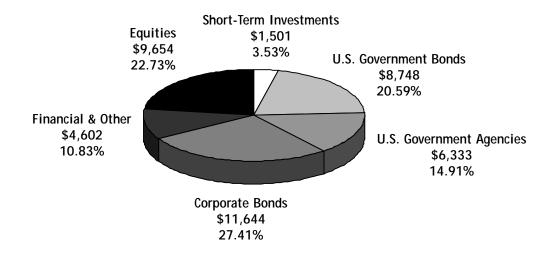
Market Value as of June 30, 2001



Note: Dollar amounts in thousands. Short-Term Investments with an original maturity of three months or less were classified as cash equivalents for financial statement purposes.

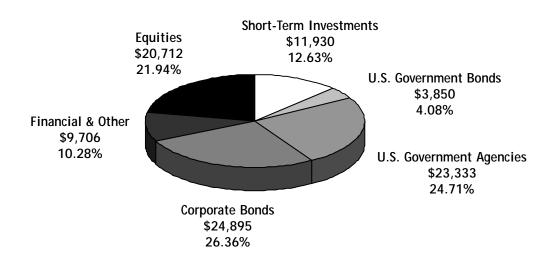
General Assembly Retirement System Schedule of Asset Allocation

Market Value as of June 30, 2001



Judges and Solicitors Retirement System Schedule of Asset Allocation

Market Value as of June 30, 2001



Dollar amounts in thousands. Short-Term Investments with an original maturity of three months or less were classified as cash equivalents for financial statement purposes.

Note:

Summary of Market Value of Investments

(Amounts expressed in thousands)

	South Caro	South Carolina Retirement System		Police Of	Police Officers Retirer			
			% of			% of		
	<u>Market</u>	t Value	Market Value	<u>Market</u>	: Value	Market		
	06/30/2000	06/30/2001		06/30/2000	06/30/2001	Value		
Short-Term Investments			9.49%					
Repurchase Agreements	\$ 801,974	\$ 1,753,439	0.13%	\$ 245,554	\$ 266,318	12.10%		
Commercial Paper	572,425	24,829	2.42%	61,567				
Federal Agencies	1,133,076	447,785	12.04%	110,333	102,767	4.67%		
	2,507,475	2,226,053		417,454	369,085	16.77%		
U.S. Government Agencies								
& Government Insured:								
Treasury Notes	9,994		5.73%	9,994				
Treasury Bonds	1,057,944	1,058,092	7.60%	105,426	106,120	4.82%		
Treasury Bonds (Zero Coupons)	1,509,323	1,403,758	14.48%	143,011	156,314	7.10%		
U.S. Government Agencies	2,790,920	2,675,054	0.16%	300,740	312,498	14.20%		
Insured Marine Bonds	28,950	28,989	27.97%	5,050	5,083	0.23%		
	5,397,131	5,165,893		564,221	580,015	26.35%		
Corporate Bonds:			10.49%					
Industrials	1,941,427	1,937,990	13.51%	179,828	168,813	7.67%		
Utilities	2,383,331	2,496,329	13.71%	310,258	309,825	14.07%		
Financial & Other	2,391,447	2,533,905	37.71%	240,822	295,621	13.43%		
	6,716,205	6,968,224		730,908	774,259	35.17%		
			22.28%					
Equities	2,591,886	4,117,697	22.28%	297,962	477,918	21.71%		
	2,591,886	4,117,697		297,962	477,918	21.71%		
			100.00%					
Total Investments	\$ 17,212,697	\$ 18,477,867		\$ 2,010,545	\$ 2,201,277	100.00%		

Note: Market Value excludes securities lending assets.

Summary of Market Value of Investments

(Amounts expressed in thousands)

			% of			% of
	<u>Market</u>	<u>Value</u>	Market Value	<u>Market</u>	: Value	Market
	06/30/2000	06/30/2001		06/30/2000	06/30/2001	Value
Short-Term Investments			3.53%			
Repurchase Agreements	\$ 3,976	\$ 1,501		\$ 14,567	\$ 11,930	12.63%
Commercial Paper						
Federal Agencies			3.53%	1,999		
	3,976	1,501		16,566	11,930	12.63%
U.S. Government Agencies						
& Government Insured:						
Treasury Notes			9.61%			
Treasury Bonds	4,008	4,082	10.98%	3,812	3,850	4.08%
Treasury Bonds (Zero Coupons)	4,578	4,666	14.91%			
U.S. Government Agencies	6,012	6,333		21,486	23,333	24.71%
Insured Marine Bonds			35.50%			
	14,598	15,081		25,298	27,183	28.79%
Corporate Bonds:			11.96%			
Industrials	5,002	5,081	15.45%	12,576	12,006	12.71%
Utilities	6,369	6,563	10.83%	11,530	12,889	13.65%
Financial & Other	4,368	4,602	38.24%	7,780	9,706	10.28%
	15,739	16,246		31,886	34,601	36.64%
			22.73%			
Equities	6,084	9,654	22.73%	12,887	20,712	21.94%
	6,084	9,654		12,887	20,712	21.94%
			100.00%			
Total Investments	\$ 40,397	\$ 42,482		\$ 86,637	\$ 94,426	100.00%

Note: Market Value excludes securities lending assets.

South Carolina Retirement System List of Largest Assets Held

As of June 30, 2001, SCRS held units in the following index fund:

<u>Units</u>	<u>Description</u>	Fair Value
9,343,182	State Street Global Advisors (S&P 500 index fund)	\$ 1,963,918,166
		\$1,963,918,166

Top ten Equity holdings in actively managed accounts at June 30, 2001:

<u>Shares</u>	<u>Description</u>		Fair Value
916,722	Citigroup, Inc.	\$	48,439,630
707,390	Pfizer, Inc.		28,331,003
606,870	Pharmacia Group		27,885,703
362,832	Microsoft Corp.		26,486,798
525,934	Johnson & Johnson		26,296,722
418,789	Electronic Data Systems		26,174,371
454,741	Tyco International		24,787,982
438,552	Bristol Myers		22,936,299
190,520	International Business Machines		21,528,823
228,979	American International Group	_	19,465,585
	Total	\$	272,332,916

Top ten Fixed Income holdings at June 30, 2001:

Į	Par Value	Description			Fair Value
\$	253,700,000	U.S. Treasury Bonds, 11.125% due 08/15/03		\$	287,873,390
	286,800,000	BECCS (Treasury 12.75% due 11/15/10-05), 0% due 11/15/10			230,157,000
	291,350,000	BECCS (Treasury 14% due 11/15/11-06), 0% due 11/15/11			220,930,705
	199,250,000	FHLMC Discount Notes due 09/27/01			197,496,400
	230,200,000	BECCS (Treasury 13.875% due 05/15/11-06), 0% due 05/15/11			179,878,280
	194,000,000	BECCS (Treasury 10.375% due 11/15/09-04), 0% due 11/15/09			164,531,400
	151,000,000	FNMA Discount Notes due 07/18/01			150,743,300
	137,937,062	GNMA II Pool #2200, 6.50% due 04/20/26			136,557,691
	138,000,000	BECCS (Treasury 14.25% due 02/15/02), 0% due 02/15/02			134,798,400
	133,500,000	AT&T, 8.125% due 07/15/24			134,354,400
			Total	\$1,	,837,320,966

Police Officers Retirement System List of Largest Assets Held

As of June 30, 2001, PORS held units in the following index fund:

<u>Units</u>	Description	<u>Fair Value</u>
1,080,946	State Street Global Advisors (S&P 500 index fund)	\$ 227,212,608
		\$ 227,212,608

Top ten Equity holdings in actively managed accounts at June 30, 2001:

<u>Shares</u>	<u>Description</u>		Fa	ir Value
108,412	Citigroup, Inc.		\$	5,728,535
83,656	Pfizer, Inc.			3,350,462
71,769	Pharmacia Group			3,297,800
42,909	Microsoft Corp.			3,132,364
62,197	Johnson & Johnson			3,109,885
49,526	Electronic Data Systems			3,095,416
53,778	Tyco International			2,931,460
51,863	Bristol Myers			2,712,477
22,531	International Business Machines			2,546,027
27,079	American International Group	_		2,302,026
	Tot	al	\$ 3	2,206,452

Top ten Fixed Income holdings at June 30, 2001:

Pa	ar Value	Description		ļ	Fair Value
\$	48,900,000	BECCS (Treasury 14% due 11/15/11-06), 0% due 11/15/11		\$	37,080,870
	28,400,000	BECCS (Treasury 13.375% due 08/15/01), 0% due 08/15/01			28,275,040
	28,060,000	FHLMC Discount Notes due 07/13/01			28,029,134
	24,100,000	U.S. Treasury Bonds, 11.125% due 08/15/03			27,346,270
	31,000,000	U.S. Treasury Principal Strips due 08/15/04			26,759,200
	33,000,000	BECCS (Treasury 12.75% due 11/15/10-05), 0% due 11/15/10			26,482,500
	25,000,000	FNMA Discount Notes due 07/09/01			24,982,500
	25,000,000	FNMA Discount Notes due 07/12/01			24,975,000
	25,000,000	FHLMC Discount Notes due 09/27/01			24,780,000
	21,000,000	Ford Credit Auto Owner Trust, 5.35% due 07/15/03			21,172,200
			Total	\$ 2	269,882,714

General Assembly Retirement System List of Largest Assets Held

As of June 30, 2001, GARS held units in the following index fund:

<u>Units</u>	<u>Description</u>	Fa	<u>iir Value</u>
22,007	State Street Global Advisors (S&P 500 index fund)	\$	4,625,730
		\$	4,625,730

Top ten Equity holdings in actively managed accounts at June 30, 2001:

<u>Shares</u>	Description		<u>Fai</u>	r Value
2,165	Citigroup, Inc.		\$	114,403
1,670	Pfizer, Inc.			66,911
1,433	Pharmacia Group			65,859
856	Microsoft Corp.			62,555
1,242	Johnson & Johnson			62,106
989	Electronic Data Systems			61,817
1,074	Tyco International			58,543
1,036	Bristol Myers			54,170
449	International Business Machines			50,846
540	American International Group			45,973
		Total	\$	643,183

Top ten Fixed Income holdings at June 30, 2001:

Par Value	<u>Description</u>		Fair Value
\$ 5,000,000	U.S. Treasury Strips, 0% due 02/15/03		\$ 4,666,000
1,493,749	GNMA #378393, 8.25% due 05/15/30		1,574,860
2,000,000	Refcorp Strips, 0% due 07/15/06		1,541,000
1,461,165	GNMA #419409, 7.625% due 10/15/21		1,530,132
1,265,197	FNMA Remic 92-89, CL 89M, 8.50% due 06/25/22		1,330,987
700,000	U.S. Treasury Bonds, 9.125% due 05/15/09		781,620
500,000	U.S. Treasury Bonds, 9.125% due 05/15/18		672,800
700,000	Southern New England Tel, 7.25% due 12/15/33		660,730
1,000,000	Ikon Office Solutions, 6.75% due 12/01/25		648,800
500,000	FFCB 9.80% due 07/20/09		622,550
		Total	\$ 14,029,479

Judges and Solicitors Retirement System List of Largest Assets Held

As of June 30, 2001, JSRS held units in the following index fund:

<u>Units</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Fair Value</u>
47,221	State Street Global Advisors (S&P 500 index fund)	\$ 9,925,845
		\$ 9,925,845

Top ten Equity holdings in actively managed accounts at June 30, 2001:

<u>Shares</u>	<u>Description</u>		Fair Value
4,803	Citigroup, Inc.		\$ 253,806
3,706	Pfizer, Inc.		148,444
3,179	Pharmacia Group		146,110
1,901	Microsoft Corp.		138,781
2,755	Johnson & Johnson		137,785
2,194	Electronic Data Systems		137,144
2,382	Tyco International		129,880
2,297	Bristol Myers		120,177
998	International Business Machines		112,803
1,199	American International Group		101,992
		Total	\$ 1,426,922

Top ten Fixed Income holdings at June 30, 2001:

Par Value	<u>Description</u>		Į.	air Value
\$ 15,000,000	Refcorp Strips, 0% due 04/15/08		\$	10,312,500
3,068,345	GNMA #419411, 7.625% due 10/15/21			3,213,171
3,000,000	Refcorp Strips, 0% due 07/15/06			2,311,500
1,926,672	GNMA #378393, 8.25% due 05/15/30			2,031,291
1,500,000	U.S. Treasury Bonds, 11.125% due 08/15/03			1,702,050
1,500,000	Tobacco Settlement Rev Management, 7.666% due 05/15/16			1,477,050
1,000,000	FFCB, 9.80% due 07/20/09			1,245,100
1,000,000	Proctor & Gamble, 9.36% due 01/01/21			1,237,800
1,000,000	Federal Home Loan Bank, 9.50% due 02/25/04			1,111,300
1,000,000	Wal Mart, 8.50% due 09/15/24			1,089,000
		Total	\$	25,730,761

South Carolina Retirement Systems Schedule of Investment Results

South Carolina Retirement System Total Portfolio 9.29% 13.38% 2.44% 4.81% 7.52% 4.98% 7.26 CPI 2.30% 1.68% 1.96% 3.66% 3.31% 2.99% 2.65 Actuarial Assumed Rate of Return 7.25% 7.36% 5.14% 7.91 1.25% 3.12% 4.50% 11.29% 6.24% 7.45% 7.25% </th <th></th> <th></th> <th></th> <th></th> <th></th> <th></th> <th></th> <th>Allilud</th> <th>alized</th>								Allilud	alized
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Salomon Brothers Broad Investment Grade Index 8.15% 10.59% 3.12% 4.50% 11.29% 6.24% 7.47	Salomon Brothers Broad Investm	ent Grade Index	8.15%	10.59%	3.12%	4.50%	11.29%	6.24%	7.47%
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									7.42%
								2.99%	2.65%
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									7.38%
Salomon Brothers Broad Investment Grade Index 8.15% 10.59% 3.12% 4.50% 11.29% 6.24% 7.47	Salomon Brothers Broad Investm	ent Grade Index	8.15%	10.59%	3.12%	4.50%	11.29%	6.24%	7.47%
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S&P 500 Equity Index 5.47% 7.3% -14.83% 3.90% 14.50	S&P 500 Equity Index				5.47%	7.3%	-14.83%	3.90%	14.50%

Note: Calculations were prepared using a time weighted rate of return based on the market rate of return in accordance with the Performance Presentation Standards of the Association for Investment Management and Research (AIMR).

South Carolina Retirement Systems Equity Performance Summary For the Periods Ended June 30, 2001

	Quarter <u>Return</u>	Six Months <u>Return</u>	Nine Months <u>Return</u>	One Year <u>Return</u>
Total Equity Portfolio S&P 500 Index	7.71% 5.85%	-2.54% -6.70%	-7.00% -13.99%	-7.50% -14.83%
Passive Equity Portfolio S&P 500 Index Mercer Large Cap Equity Universe Median	6.14% 5.85% <i>5.71%</i>	-6.05% -6.70% -6.30%	-13.41% -13.99% <i>-12.27%</i>	-14.36% -14.83% <i>-11.28%</i>
Active Equity Portfolio S&P 500 Index	9.17% 5.85%	0.55% -6.70%	-12.27 <i>%</i> -1.51% -13.99%	-11.26% -1.56% -14.83%
Russell 3000	6.88%	-6.12%	-14.57%	-13.94%
Active Equity Portfolio - Large Cap Total Active Large Cap Equity	6.64%	-2.76%	-3.60%	-3.70%
Russell 1000 Index	6.31%	-2.76% -7.05%	-3.60% -15.57%	-3.70% -14.96%
Mercer Large Cap Equity Manager Universe Median	5.71%	-6.30%	-12.27%	-11.28%
Large Cap Growth Equity	6.09%	-12.14%	-14.78%	-20.15%
Russell 1000 Growth Index	8.42%	-14.24%	-32.54%	-36.17%
S&P 500 Index	5.85%	-6.70%	-13.99%	-14.83%
Mercer Large Cap Growth Equity Universe Median	6.33%	-13.12%	-26.05%	-25.99%
Large Cap Core Equity	8.73%	-2.31%	-9.94%	-8.65%
S&P 500 Index	5.85%	-6.70%	-13.99%	-14.83%
Mercer Large Cap Core Equity Universe Median	5.65%	-6.64%	-13.33%	-12.73%
Large Cap Value Equity	5.76%	4.07%	9.45%	14.45%
Russell 1000 Value Index	4.88%	-1.26%	2.29%	10.34%
S&P 500 Index	5.85%	-6.70%	-13.99%	-14.83%
Mercer Large Cap Value Equity Universe Median	5.14%	0.58%	5.70%	12.88%
Active Equity Portfolio - Small Cap				
Total Active Smaller Cap Equity	15.37%	9.09%	3.42%	3.45%
Russell 2500 Index	13.70%	3.84%	0.04%	2.44%
Mercer Smaller Cap Equity Universe Median	13.34%	3.08%	-4.69%	2.80%
Smaller Cap Growth Equity	24.36%	-0.80%	-17.97%	-22.79%
Russell 2500 Growth Index	21.27%	-2.87%	-21.66%	-23.97%
Mercer Smaller Cap Growth Equity Universe Median	14.64%	-5.22%	-18.07%	-15.84%
Smaller Cap Core Equity	11.61%	3.62%	1.09%	1.26%
Russell 2500 Index	13.70%	3.84%	0.04%	2.44%
Mercer Smaller Cap Equity Universe Median	13.34%	3.08%	-4.69%	2.80%
Smaller Cap Value Equity	10.46%	17.68%	21.50%	28.27%
Russell 2500 Value Index	9.98%	7.81%	17.10%	25.15%
Mercer Smaller Cap Value Equity Median	12.18%	11.29%	18.81%	28.66%

Data provided by William M. Mercer Investment Consulting.

South Carolina Retirement Systems Schedule of Investment Fees and Commissions For the Year Ended June 30, 2001

	sets under <u>inagement</u>	<u>Fe</u>	<u>ees</u>
Investment Managers' Fees: Equity Managers' Fees (in thousands)	\$ 4,677,669	\$	9,241
Other Investment Service Fees: Bank Fees (in thousands)			1,469
		\$	10,710

Prokorago Firm	Number of Shares Traded	Commissions	Average Commissions per Share
Brokerage Firm			<u> </u>
Sanford C. Bernstein & Co	10,595,034	\$ 561,184	0.0530
Lehman Brothers USA	4,807,309	246,730	0.0513
Goldman Sachs & Co	4,211,620	218,253	0.0518
Smith Barney	4,293,187	209,350	0.0488
Investment Technology Group	9,926,467	200,360	0.0202
Instinet Corp	7,229,927	198,178	0.0274
Credit Suisse First Boston	3,568,198	175,739	0.0493
Abel Noser Corporation	10,155,584	172,780	0.0170
Prudential Securities	4,027,100	166,253	0.0413
Merrill Lynch	3,187,315	157,046	0.0493
Bear Stearns & Co Inc	3,441,141	154,877	0.0450
SBC Warburg Dillon Read Inc.	2,337,994	113,860	0.0487
Cantor Fitzgerald	2,110,776	109,612	0.0519
Morgan Stanley	2,255,350	108,457	0.0481
CIBC World Markets Corp	1,853,169	103,874	0.0561
Cowen & Co	1,661,665	85,154	0.0512
Deutsche Banc Alex Brown Inc	1,578,200	75,402	0.0478
A G Edwards	1,482,500	74,017	0.0499
UBS Paine Webber	1,488,734	71,664	0.0481
Banc of America Securities LLC	1,455,904	69,945	0.0480
JP Morgan Investment Mgmt NY	1,207,933	61,063	0.0506
Jefferies & Co, Inc	1,302,632	57,385	0.0441
Citation Group Chase NYC	1,040,900	52,045	0.0500
ABN Amro	1,063,400	51,712	0.0486
Wachovia Securities	895,400	49,481	0.0553
Archipelago BCC Capital Clear	1,909,131	47,704	0.0250
DB Clearing Services	942,950	44,805	0.0475
Robinson Humphrey	738,900	38,807	0.0525
Autranet, Inc.	757,400	36,814	0.0486
Dean Witter Reynolds Inc.	1,076,200	34,826	0.0324
Legg Mason Wood Walker, Inc.	689,200	34,460	0.0500
DLJ	629,380	33,671	0.0535
Bridge Trading Co	1,276,780	33,248	0.0260
Princeton Securities	880,200	26,406	0.0300
Dresdner Securities USA Inc.	550,400	26,335	0.0478
all others*	15,295,150	681,884	0.0446
	111,923,130	\$ 4,583,392	0.0410

^{*}Other broker fees include 131 additional brokers each receiving less than \$25,000 in total commissions. Data provided by the Bank of New York.

South Carolina Retirement Systems Schedule of Investment Managers and Fees for Equities For the Year Ended June 30, 2001

(Amounts expressed in thousands)

<u>Investment Manager</u>	<u>Style</u>	Initial <u>Funding Date</u>	Market Value of Assets under <u>Management*</u>	<u>Fees</u>
State Street Global Advisors Boston, MA	Large Cap Passive S&P 500 Index Fund	June 30, 1999	\$ 2,205,682	\$ 70
Institutional Capital Corp. Chicago, IL	Large Cap Value	March 15, 2000	290,864	941
Alliance Bernstein Institutional Management** New York, NY	Large Cap Value	May 3, 2000	298,325	748
Flippin, Bruce & Porter, Inc. Lynchburg, VA	Large Cap Value	March 2, 2000	161,099	517
Montag & Caldwell, Inc. Atlanta, GA	Large Cap Growth	May 8, 2000	329,514	741
Peachtree Asset Management Atlanta, GA	Large Cap Growth	May 17, 2000	184,013	497
J.P. Morgan Investment Management, Inc. New York, NY	Large Cap Core	May 23, 2000	229,361	792
Wellington Management Company, LLP Boston, MA	Large Cap Core	March 15, 2000	230,401	1,202
The Boston Company Asset Management, LLC Boston, MA	Small/Mid Cap Value	November 17, 1999	165,806	880
J.L. Kaplan Associates, LLC Boston, MA	Small/Mid Cap Value	October 29, 1999	170,109	821
MFS Institutional Advisors, Inc. Boston, MA	Small/Mid Cap Growth	November 18, 1999	128,023	389
Suffolk Capital Management, Inc. New York, NY	Small/Mid Cap Growth	October 29, 1999	144,695	815
Fidelity Management Trust Company Boston, MA	Small/Mid Cap Core	May 23, 2000	105,057	598
Farrell-SL Investment Management, Inc. New York, NY	Small/Mid Cap Core	March 2, 2000	34,720	230
			\$ 4,677,669	\$ 9,241

^{*}Assets under management include categories classified as cash equivalents for financial statement purposes.

^{**}Sanford C. Bernstein & Co., Inc., was acquired by Alliance Capital Management LP in October 2000.



White Knoll Middle School students surround their principal, Dr. Nancy Turner, in front of the West Columbia, SC school.



White Knoll Middle School students and local firefighters await a visit from South Carolina Governor Jim Hodges.

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Captain Tom Giordano of the Red Hook fire station in Brooklyn, NY, talks with NBC's "Today" show anchor David Bloom Thanksgiving morning after he was presented a check for a new fire truck from White Knoll Middle School representatives.



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October 24, 2001

State Budget and Control Board South Carolina Retirement Systems Columbia, South Carolina 29211

Gentlemen:

The laws governing the operation of the various Retirement Systems provide that actuarial valuations of the assets and liabilities of the Systems shall be made annually for the South Carolina Retirement System and the Police Officers Retirement System and no less frequently than biennially for the General Assembly Retirement System and the Judges and Solicitors Retirement System. We have submitted the results of the actuarial valuations prepared as of July 1, 2000. In preparing the valuations the actuary relied on data provided by the Systems. While not verifying the data at source, the actuary performed tests for consistency and reasonability. Our firm, as actuary, is responsible for all of the actuarial trend data in the financial section of the report and the supporting schedules in the actuarial section.

The financing objective of the Systems is that contribution rates will remain relatively level over time as a percentage of payroll. Contribution rates are developed using the entry age normal cost method. The normal contribution rate to cover current cost has been determined as a level percentage of payroll. A market related value of plan assets is used for actuarial valuation purposes. Gains and losses are reflected in the unfunded accrued liabilities that are being amortized by regular annual contributions as a level percent of payroll within a 30-year period, assuming 4% annual payroll growth for the South Carolina Retirement System, 2% annual payroll growth for the General Assembly Retirement System and 5½% annual payroll growth for the Police Officers Retirement System and the Judges and Solicitors Retirement System.

The assumptions recommended by the actuary are in the aggregate reasonably related to the experience under the Systems and to reasonable expectations of anticipated experience under the systems. The assumptions and methods used for funding purposes meet the parameters set for the disclosures presented in the financial section by Government Accounting Standards Board (GASB) Statement No. 25, Financial Reporting for Defined Benefit Pension Plans and Note Disclosures for Defined Contribution Plans. The following schedules present summaries of the principal results of the valuations prepared as of July 1, 2000 and the actuarial methods and assumptions used to prepare the valuations.

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In our opinion the Systems are operating on an actuarially sound basis. Assuming that contributions to the Systems are made by the employers from year to year in the future at the rates recommended on the basis of the successive actuarial valuations, the continued sufficiency of the retirement funds to provide the benefits called for under the Systems may be safely anticipated.

Sincerely,

Gabriel, Roeder, Smith & Company

W. Michael Carter, F.S.A. Senior Consultant

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South Carolina Retirement System Valuation Balance Sheet

As of Actuarial Valuation at July 1, 2000 (All dollar amounts are in thousands)

Current assets:	
Employee Annuity Savings Fund	\$ 4,563,513
Employer Annuity Accumulation Fund	12,722,595
Total current assets	17,286,108
Future member contributions to Employee	
Annuity Savings Fund	2,921,448
Prospective contributions to Employer	
Annuity Accumulation Fund:	
Normal contributions	2,573,523
Accrued liability contributions	2,128,864
Total prospective employer contributions	4,702,387
Total Assets	\$24,909,943
LIABILITIES	
Employee Annuity Savings Fund:	
Past member contributions	\$4,563,513
Future member contributions	2,921,448
Total contributions to Employee Annuity	
Savings Fund	7,484,961
Employer Annuity Accumulation Fund:	
Benefits currently in payment	7,484,050
Benefits to be paid to current active members	9,940,932
Total benefits payable from Employer	
Annuity Accumulation Fund	17,424,982
Total Liabilities	\$24,909,943

Police Officers Retirement System Valuation Balance Sheet

As of Actuarial Valuation at July 1, 2000 (All dollar amounts are in thousands)

Current assets:	
Employee Annuity Savings Fund	\$ 427,449
Employer Annuity Accumulation Fund	1,581,105
Total current assets	2,008,554
Future member contributions to Employee	
Annuity Savings Fund	424,423
Propsoective contributions to Employer	
Annuity Accumulation Fund:	
Normal contributions	550,445
Accrued liability contributions	87,437
Total prospective employer contributions	637,882
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Total Assets	\$3,070,859
LIABILITIES	
Employee Annuity Savings Fund:	
Past member contributions	\$ 427,449
Future member contributions	424,423
Total contributions to Employee Annuity	
Savings Fund	851,872
Employer Annuity Accumulation Fund:	
Benefits currently in payment	844,631
Benefits to be paid to current active members	1,374,356
Total hopofite payable from Employer	
Total benefits payable from Employer	2 210 007
Annuity Accumulation Fund	2,218,987
Total Liabilities	\$ 3,070,859

General Assembly Retirement System Valuation Balance Sheet As of Actuarial Valuation at July 1, 2000

Current assets:	
Employee Annuity Savings Fund	\$ 9,220,000
Employer Annuity Accumulation Fund	31,510,000
Total current assets	40,730,000
Future member contributions to Employee	
Annuity Savings Fund	4,086,020
Propsoective contributions to Employer	
Annuity Accumulation Fund:	
Normal contributions	5,810,320
Accrued liability contributions	23,216,831
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Total prospective employer contributions	29,027,151
Total Assets	\$73,843,171
LIABILITIES	
Employee Annuity Savings Fund:	
Past member contributions	\$ 9,220,000
Future member contributions	4,086,020
Total contributions to Employee Annuity	
Savings Fund	13,306,020
Employer Annuity Accumulation Fund:	
Benefits currently in payment	39,408,634
Benefits to be paid to current active members	21,128,517
Total hanafita navahla from Employer	
Total benefits payable from Employer	40 E27 1E1
Annuity Accumulation Fund	60,537,151
Total Liabilities	\$73,843,171

Judges and Solicitors Retirement System Valuation Balance Sheet As of Actuarial Valuation at July 1, 2000

Current assets:	
Employee Annuity Savings Fund	\$ 12,979,000
Employer Annuity Accumulation Fund	74,557,000
Total current assets	87,536,000
Future member contributions to Employee	
Annuity Savings Fund	10,536,813
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Propsoective contributions to Employer	
Annuity Accumulation Fund:	
Normal contributions	31,851,280
Accrued liability contributions	
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Total prospective ampleyer contributions	00 04E 001
Total prospective employer contributions	88,945,881
Total Assets	\$187,018,694
LIABILITIES	
Employee Annuity Savings Fund:	
Past member contributions	\$ 12,979,000
Future member contributions	10,536,813
Total contributions to Employee Annuity	
Savings Fund	23,515,813
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Employer Annuity Accumulation Fund:	
Benefits currently in payment	94,632,558
Benefits to be paid to current active members	68,870,323
Total benefits payable from Employer	
Annuity Accumulation Fund	163,502,881
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Total Liabilities	\$187,018,694

South Carolina Retirement System Results of the Valuation as of July 1, 2000

(All dollar amounts are in thousands)

		<u>Assumptions</u>
(1)	Actuarial liabilities	
	Present value of prospective benefits payable in respect of:	
	(a) Present retired members and beneficiaries	\$ 7,484,050
	(b) Present active and inactive members	17,425,893
	(c) Total actuarial liabilities	24,909,943
(2)	Present value of future normal contributions	
	(a) Employee at 6.00%	2,921,448
	(b) Employer at 4.61%	2,573,523
	(c) Total future normal contributions	5,494,971
(3)	Actuarial accrued liability = (1)(c) - (2)(c)	19,414,712
(4)	Current Assets	17,286,108
(5)	Present value of unfunded actuarial accrued liability contributions = (3) - (4)	\$ 2,128,864
(6)	Unfunded accrued liability rates	
	(a) State(b) Others	2.94% 2.09%
(7)	Unfunded accrued liability liquidation period	16 years
(8)	Group life insurance benefit contribution rate	.15%

Police Officers Retirement System Results of the Valuation as of July 1, 2000

(1)	Askusada Habilikka	Assumptions
(1)	Actuarial liabilities	
	Present value of prospective benefits payable in respect of:	
	(a) Present retired members and beneficiaries	\$ 844,631
	(b) Present active and inactive members	2,226,228
	(c) Total actuarial liabilities	3,070,859
(2)	Present value of future normal contributions	
	(a) Employee at 6.50%	424,423
	(b) Employer at 8.43%	550,445
	(c) Total future normal contributions	974,868
(3)	Actuarial accrued liability = (1)(c) - (2)(c)	2,095,991
(4)	Current Assets	2,008,554
(5)	Present value of unfunded actuarial accrued liability contributions = (3) - (4)	\$ 87,437
(6)	Unfunded accrued liability rate	1.87%
(7)	Unfunded accrued liability liquidation period	7 years
(8)	Group life insurance benefit contribution rate	.20%
(9)	Accidental death benefit contribution rate	.20%

General Assembly Retirement System Results of the Valuation as of July 1, 2000

(1) Actuarial liabilities

(b) Employer at 14.22%

(c) Total future normal contributions

	Present value of prospective benefits payable in respect of:					
	(a)	Present retired members and beneficiaries	\$ 39,408,634			
	(b)	Present active and inactive members	34,434,537			
	(c)	Total actuarial liabilities	73,843,171			
(2)	Pres	ent value of future normal contributions				
	(a)	Employee at 10.00%	4,086,020			

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Judges and Solicitors Retirement System Results of the Valuation as of July 1, 2000

(1)	Actuarial liabilities					
	Present value of prospective benefits payable in respect of:					
	(a) Present retired members and beneficiaries	\$ 94,632,558				
	(b) Present active and inactive members	92,386,136				
	(c) Total actuarial liabilities	187,018,694				
(2)	Present value of future normal contributions					
	(a) Employee at 7.00%	10,536,813				
	(b) Employer at 21.16%	31,851,280				
	(c) Total future normal contributions	42,388,093				
(3)	Actuarial accrued liability = (1)(c) - (2)(c)	144,630,601				
(4)	Current Assets	87,536,000				
(5)	Present value of unfunded actuarial accrued liability contributions = (3) - (4) \$ 57,094,60					
(6)	Unfunded accrued liability liquidation period	29 years				

South Carolina Retirement System Outline of Actuarial Assumptions and Methods

INTEREST RATE: 7.25% per annum, compounded annually.

SALARY INCREASES:

	Annual		Annual
Age	Rate	Age	Rate
25	9.00%	45	4.50%
30	7.50%	50	4.25%
35	6.00%	55	4.00%
40	5.25%	60	4.00%

SEPARATIONS FROM SERVICE: Representative values of the assumed and annual rates of separation from active service are as follows:

SERVICE RETIREMENT:

Annual Rates of

	Reduced Service	Unreduced Service	Reduced Service	Unreduced Service	Reduced Service	Unreduced Service
<u>Age</u>	Retirement	Retirement*	<u>Retirement</u>	Retirement*	<u>Retirement</u>	Retirement*
	Male Te	eachers	Female	Teachers	Male & Emplo	Female byees
50		10.0%		15.0%		12.0%
55	10.0%	15.0%	10.0%	20.0%	7.5%	15.0%
60	10.0%	15.0%	12.0%	20.0%	7.5%	15.0%
61	15.0%	20.0%	15.0%	25.0%	10.0%	20.0%
62	20.0%	30.0%	20.0%	45.0%	25.0%	30.0%
63	15.0%	30.0%	20.0%	30.0%	15.0%	25.0%
64	15.0%	30.0%	20.0%	30.0%	15.0%	30.0%
65		30.0%		30.0%		30.0%
66		20.0%		20.0%		20.0%
67		10.0%		20.0%		15.0%
68		10.0%		20.0%		15.0%
69		10.0%		20.0%		15.0%
70		100.0%		100.0%		100.0%

^{*}Plus 25% in year when first become eligible for unreduced service retirement before age 65.

SEPARATION FROM SERVICE (continued):

Annual Rates of

			<u>Withdrawal</u> Years of Service					
Age	Mortality	Disability	0 - 4	5 - 9	10 +			
Male Teachers								
25	0.06%	0.04%	12.65%	8.25%				
30	0.07%	0.06%	10.95%	4.95%	2.80%			
35	0.07%	0.08%	11.25%	5.55%	2.10%			
40	0.10%	0.15%	8.85%	5.35%	1.50%			
45	0.18%	0.25%	10.15%	4.75%	1.50%			
50	0.30%	0.40%	8.45%	4.75%	1.90%			
55	0.46%	0.65%	8.45%	4.35%	2.90%			
60	0.65%	1.00%						
64	0.90%	1.25%						
		Female 1	<u>Teachers</u>					
25	0.03%	0.05%	9.55%	6.85%				
30	0.04%	0.07%	10.05%	4.95%	3.15%			
35	0.04%	0.07%	8.95%	4.75%	2.45%			
40	0.05%	0.12%	7.45%	4.05%	2.15%			
45	0.08%	0.25%	7.05%	3.65%	1.95%			
50	0.13%	0.40%	7.05%	3.75%	1.95%			
55	0.21%	0.65%	7.35%	3.55%	2.35%			
60	0.33%	1.00%						
64	0.49%	1.25%						
		Male Em	ployees					
25	0.06%	0.05%	15.85%	9.45%				
30	0.07%	0.10%	13.25%	7.15%	4.35%			
35	0.07%	0.15%	12.25%	6.65%	3.65%			
40	0.10%	0.25%	11.35%	6.25%	3.05%			
45	0.18%	0.35%	9.95%	5.35%	2.75%			
50	0.30%	0.50%	8.65%	5.35%	2.45%			
55	0.46%	0.80%	8.45%	4.75%	2.85%			
60	0.65%	1.00%						
64	0.90%	1.25%						
		<u>Female E</u>	mployees					
25	0.03%	0.05%	14.15%	8.65%				
30	0.04%	0.07%	12.75%	7.45%	4.75%			
35	0.04%	0.14%	11.85%	6.15%	3.45%			
40	0.05%	0.18%	10.65%	5.65%	3.15%			
45	0.08%	0.26%	9.25%	5.35%	2.55%			
50	0.13%	0.44%	8.95%	4.75%	2.85%			
55	0.21%	0.70%	7.55%	4.65%	2.75%			
60	0.33%	1.07%						
64	0.49%	1.49%						

DEATH AFTER RETIREMENT: 1983 Group Annuity Mortality Tables for service retirement and dependent beneficiaries. A special mortality table is used for disability retirements.

COST OF LIVING INCREASES: None assumed.

ADOPTION DATE: The current actuarial assumptions were adopted by the State Budget and Control Board on March 9, 1999.

VALUATION METHOD: Projected benefit with level percentage entry age normal cost and open-end unfunded accrued liability. The gross normal cost rate is based upon the new entrant cohort as of July 1, 2000. The gross normal cost rate will reflect any future changes in benefit provisions, assumptions, and significant demographic trends. The gross normal cost rate derived in this manner will be updated as part of each future experience study. Gains and losses are reflected in the period remaining to liquidate the unfunded accrued liability. Group life insurance benefits are provided on a one-year term cost basis.

PAYROLL GROWTH RATE: 4.00% per annum.

VALUATION OF TEACHER AND EMPLOYEE RETENTION INCENTIVE (TERI): All members are assumed to elect TERI coverage when they are first eligible for an unreduced retirement benefit. Members in the TERI are exposed to current retirement rates during TERI coverage and 100% terminate employment at the end of the TERI period (5 years).

ASSET VALUATION METHOD: Actuarial Value, as developed in the following schedule. The actuarial value of assets recognizes a portion of the difference between the market value of assets and the expected value of assets, based on the assumed valuation rate of return. The amount recognized each year is 20% of the difference between market value and expected value. The actuarial value of assets is limited to a range between 80% and 120% of market value.

Development of Actuarial Value of Assets (All dollar amounts are in thousands)

(1)	Actuarial Value of Assets on July 1, 1999	\$ 16,120,513
(2)	1999/2000 Net Cash Flow a. Contributions b. Disbursements c. Net Cash Flow (2)a - (2)b	830,303 857,608 (27,305)
(3)	Expected Investment Return [(1) x .0725] + [(2)c x .03625]	1,167,747
(4)	Expected Actuarial Value of Assets on July 1, 1999 (1) + (2)c + (3)	17,260,955
(5)	Market Value of Assets on July 1, 2000	17,386,719
(6)	Excess of Market Value over Expected Actuarial Value (5) - (4)	125,764
(7)	20% Adjustment towards Market .20 x (6)	25,153
(8)	Actuarial Value of Assets on July 1, 2000 (4) + (7)	\$ 17,286,108

Police Officers Retirement System Outline of Actuarial Assumptions and Methods

INTEREST RATE: 7.25% per annum, compounded annually.

SEPARATION FROM SERVICE AND SALARY INCREASES: Representative values of the adopted annual rates of separation and annual rates of salary increases are as follows:

Annual Rate of Service Salary **Disability** Age <u>Withdrawal</u> **Death** Retirement* **Increases** 20 7.00% 0.05% 0.10% 9.00% 25 7.00% 0.07% 8.00% 0.12% 30 4.25% 0.08% 0.16% 6.85% 35 4.00% 0.10% 0.30% 6.10% 40 2.90% 0.14% 0.40% 5.75% 45 0.60% 5.25% 2.80% 0.20% 10.00% 50 2.00% 0.32% 0.75% 10.00% 5.25% 55 0.50% 10.00% 5.25% 60 0.71% 15.00% 5.25% 1.02% 25.00% 5.25%

DEATHS AFTER RETIREMENT: 1983 Group Annuity Mortality Tables for service retirement and dependent beneficiaries set forward two years. A special mortality table is used for disability retirements.

COST OF LIVING INCREASES: None assumed.

ADOPTION DATE: The current actuarial assumptions were adopted by the State Budget and Control Board on March 9, 2000.

PAYROLL GROWTH RATE: 5.25% per annum.

VALUATION METHOD: Projected benefit method with level percentage entry age normal cost and open-end unfunded accrued liability. Gains and losses are reflected in the period remaining to liquidate the unfunded accrued liability. Group life insurance and accidental death benefits are provided in a one-year term cost basis.

^{*}An additional 15% are assumed to retire when first eligible for unreduced service retirement.

ASSET VALUATION METHOD: Actuarial Value, as developed in the following schedule. The actuarial value of assets recognizes a portion of the difference between the market value of assets and the expected value of assets, based on the assumed valuation rate of return. The amount recognized each year is 20% of the difference between market value and expected value. The actuarial value of assets is limited to a range between 80% and 120% of market value.

Development of Actuarial Value of Assets (All dollar amounts are in thousands)

(1)	Actuarial Value of Assets on July 1, 1999	\$ 1,844,517
(2)	1999/2000 Net Cash Flow a. Contributions b. Disbursements	124,087 95,153
	c. Net Cash Flow (2)a - (2)b	28,934
(3)	Expected Investment Return	
	[(1) x .0725] + [(2)c x .03625]	134,776
(4)	Expected Actuarial Value of Assets on July 1, 1999	
	(1) + (2)c + (3)	2,008,227
(5)	Market Value of Assets on July 1, 2000	2,009,860
(6)	Excess of Market Value over Expected Actuarial Value	
	(5) - (4)	1,633
(7)	20% Adjustment towards Market .20 x (6)	327
(8)	Actuarial Value of Assets on July 1, 2000 (4) + (7)	\$ 2,008,554
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General Assembly Retirement System Outline of Actuarial Assumptions and Methods

INTEREST RATE: 7.25% per annum, compounded annually.

SEPARATION FROM SERVICE: Representative values of the adopted annual rates of separation are as follows:

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Mortality		Disability		Service	
<u>Age</u>	<u>Male</u>	<u>Female</u>	<u>Male</u>	<u>Female</u>	Retirement
20	0.04%	0.03%	0.01%	0.02%	
25	0.05%	0.03%	0.01%	0.03%	
30	0.08%	0.04%	0.02%	0.04%	
35	0.12%	0.06%	0.03%	0.04%	
40	0.18%	0.08%	0.06%	0.07%	
45	0.25%	0.13%	0.11%	0.12%	
50	0.35%	0.20%	0.20%	0.20%	
55	0.50%	0.29%	0.34%	0.35%	
60					40%
65					10%
70					100%

SALARY INCREASES: Salaries are assumed to increase at an annual rate of 2 percent.

DEATHS AFTER RETIRMENT: 1983 Group Annuity Tables for service retirement and dependent beneficiaries. A special mortality table is used for disability retirements.

SPOUSES: 100% of active and special members were assumed married with the wife four years younger.

COST OF LIVING INCREASES: 2% per annum, compounded annually.

ADOPTION DATE: The current actuarial assumptions were adopted by the State Budget and Control Board on April 23, 1996.

PAYROLL GROWTH RATE: 2.00% per annum.

VALUATION METHOD: Projected benefit method with level percentage entry age normal cost and open-end unfunded accrued liability. Gains and losses are reflected in the amortization of the unfunded accrued liability. Group life insurance benefits are provided on a one-year term cost basis.

ASSET VALUATION METHOD: Actuarial Value, as developed in the following schedule. The actuarial value of assets recognizes a portion of the difference between the market value of assets and the expected value of assets, based on the assumed valuation rate of return. The amount recognized each year is 20% of the difference between market value and expected value. The actuarial value of assets is limited to a range between 80% and 120% of market value.

Development of Actuarial Value of Assets (All dollar amounts are in thousands)

(1)	Actuarial Value of Assets on July 1, 1999			
(2)	1999/2000 Net Cash Flow a. Contributions b. Disbursements c. Net Cash Flow (2)a - (2)b	3,319 4,085 (766)		
(3)	Expected Investment Return			
	[(1) x .0725] + [(2)c x .03625]	2,777		
(4)	Expected Actuarial Value of Assets on July 1, 1999			
	(1) + (2)c + (3)	40,696		
(5)	Market Value of Assets on July 1, 2000	40,865		
(6)	Excess of Market Value over Expected			
	Actuarial Value (5) - (4)	169		
(7)	20% Adjustment towards Market .20 x (6)	34		
(8)	Actuarial Value of Assets on July 1, 2000 (4) + (7)	\$ 40,730		

Judges and Solicitors Retirement System Outline of Actuarial Assumptions and Methods

VALUATION INTEREST RATE: 7.25% per annum, compounded annually.

SEPARATION FROM ACTIVE SERVICE: Representative values of the assumed annual rates of disability and death are as follows:

	Annual Rate of					
		Pre-retirement Death				
<u>Age</u>	Disability	<u>Male</u>	<u>Female</u>			
25	0.05%	0.09%	0.05%			
30	0.06%	0.11%	0.05%			
35	0.07%	0.14%	0.09%			
40	0.10%	0.18%	0.11%			
45	0.15%	0.28%	0.17%			
50	0.25%	0.46%	0.25%			
55	0.44%	0.75%	0.36%			
60	0.82%	1.44%	0.53%			
65	2.10%	3.30%	0.83%			
69	5.20%	4.50%	1.28%			

NORMAL RETIREMENT AGE: Upon meeting the retirement eligibility requirement, 10% of members under age 70 are assumed to retire each year with 100% retiring upon attaining age 70.

SALARY INCREASE RATE: 5.25% per annum, compounded annually.

DEATHS AFTER RETIREMENT: 1983 Group Annuity Mortality Tables for service retirement and dependent beneficiaries. A special mortality table is used for disability retirements.

SPOUSES: 95% of active members were assumed married with the spouse four years younger.

COST OF LIVING INCREASES: 4.25% per annum, compounded annually.

ADOPTION DATE: The current actuarial assumptions were adopted by the State Budget and Control Board on April 23, 1996.

PAYROLL GROWTH RATE: 5.25% per annum.

VALUATION METHOD: Projected benefit method with level percentage entry age normal cost and open-end unfunded accrued liability. Gains and losses are reflected in the period remaining to liquidate the unfunded accrued liability. Group life insurance benefits are provided on a one-year cost basis.

ASSET VALUATION METHOD: Actuarial Value, as developed in the following schedule. The actuarial value of assets recognizes a portion of the difference between the market value of assets and the expected value of assets, based on the assumed valuation rate of return. The amount recognized each year is 20% of the difference between market value and expected value. The actuarial value of assets is limited to a range between 80% and 120% of market value.

Development of Actuarial Value of Assets (All dollar amounts are in thousands)

(1)	Actuarial Value of Assets on July 1, 1999	\$ 81,780
(2)	1999/2000 Net Cash Flow a. Contributions b. Disbursements c. Net Cash Flow (2)a - (2)b	6,853 7,132 (279)
(3)	Expected Investment Return	F 010
	[(1) x .0725] + [(2)c x .03625]	5,919
(4)	Expected Actuarial Value of Assets on July 1, 1999 (1) + (2)c + (3)	87,420
(5)	Market Value of Assets on July 1, 2000	87,998
(6)	Excess of Market Value over Expected Actuarial Value (5) - (4)	578
(7)	20% Adjustment towards Market .20 x (6)	116
(8)	Actuarial Value of Assets on July 1, 2000 (4) + (7)	\$ 87,536

South Carolina Retirement System Schedule of Active Member Valuation Data As of July 1, 2000

Valuation Date	Number of Employers	Number	Annual Payroll (in thousands)	Annual Average Pay	% Increase In Average Pay
7-01-00	729	196,825	\$ 5,881,847	\$ 29,884	5.49%
7-01-99	726	193,213	5,473,759	28,330	3.83%
7-01-98	720	190,259	5,191,048	27,284	2.78%
7-01-97	725	185,597	4,927,124	26,547	4.40%
7-01-96	713	178,540	4,540,100	25,429	3.28%
7-01-95	718	175,410	4,318,800	24,621	4.80%
7-01-94	707	173,973	4,087,078	23,493	1.01%
7-01-93	755	171,546	3,989,960	23,259	3.46%
7-01-92	738	168,752	3,793,708	22,481	1.68%
7-01-91	729	165,751	3,664,611	22,109	2.90%

Police Officers Retirement System Schedule of Active Member Valuation Data As of July 1, 2000

Valuation Date	Number of Employers	Number	Annual Payroll (in thousands)	Annual Average Pay	% Increase In Average Pay
7-01-00	297	24,782	\$ 716,749	\$ 28,922	4.82%
7-01-99	307	23,127	638,086	27,591	4.11%
7-01-98	301	22,883	606,426	26,501	2.83%
7-01-97	297	21,829	562,553	25,771	4.31%
7-01-96	291	20,461	505,516	24,706	2.20%
7-01-95	280	19,657	475,176	24,173	5.11%
7-01-94	267	18,665	429,264	22,998	1.29%
7-01-93	276	17,760	403,249	22,705	1.63%
7-01-92	269	17,466	390,220	22,342	3.28%
7-01-91	262	17,368	375,706	21,632	3.34%

General Assembly Retirement System Schedule of Active Member Valuation Data As of July 1, 2000

Valuation Date	Number of Employers	Number	Annual Payroll (in thousands)	Annual Average Pay	% Increase In Average Pay
7-01-00	2	213	\$ 4,858	\$ 22,808	0.31%
7-01-99	2	219	4,979	22,737	(0.26%)
7-01-98	2	211	4,810	22,797	0.00%
7-01-97	2	207	4,721	22,800	1.79%
7-01-96	2	213	4,772	22,400	0.00%
7-01-95	2	210	4,704	22,400	0.00%
7-01-94	2	212	4,749	22,400	60.0%
7-01-93	2	211	2,954	14,000	0.00%
7-01-92	2	212	2,968	14,000	0.00%
7-01-91	2	198	2,772	14,000	2.94%

Judges and Solicitors Retirement System Schedule of Active Member Valuation Data As of July 1, 2000

Valuation Date	Number of Employers	Number	Annual Payroll (in thousands)	Annual Average Pay	% Increase In Average Pay
7-01-00	2	125	\$ 13,214	\$ 105,715	4.49%
7-01-99	2	126	12,748	101,174	4.99%
7-01-98	2	120	11,564	96,363	3.05%
7-01-97	2	120	11,221	93,508	6.38%
7-01-96	2	115	10,109	87,904	0.81%
7-01-95	2	108	9,417	87,194	5.13%
7-01-94	2	109	9,040	82,936	-0.55%
7-01-93	2	106	8,840	83,396	3.41%
7-01-92	2	110	8,871	80,645	-1.79%
7-01-91	2	101	8,294	82,119	6.95%

South Carolina Retirement System The Number and Earnable Compensation of Active Members As of July 1, 2000

(All dollar amounts are in thousands)

GROUP	NUMBER	ANNUAL COMPENSATION	
State Employees	65,912	\$ 2,138,783	
Teachers	85,905	2,549,770	
Other	45,008	1,193,294	
Total	196,825	\$ 5,881,847	

Note: In addition, there are 134,149 inactive members. The results of the valuation were adjusted to take these members into account.

Police Officers Retirement System The Number and Earnable Compensation of Active Members As of July 1, 2000

(All dollar amounts are in thousands)

GROUP	NUMBER	ANNUAL COMPENSATION	
Men	18,442	\$ 555,429	
Women	6,340	161,320	
Total	24,782	\$ 716,749	

Note: There are in addition 7,218 members not on the payroll as of July 1, 2000 but included in the individual accounts maintained by the System. The results of the valuation were adjusted to take these members into account.

General Assembly Retirement System The Number and Earnable Compensation of Active Members As of July 1, 2000

(All dollar amounts are in thousands)

GROUP	NUMBER	ANNUAL COMPENSATION
Men	188	\$ 4,298
Women	25	560
Total	213	\$ 4,858

Note: There are 77 inactive members with contributions still in the System. The results of the valuation were adjusted to take these members into account.

Judges and Solicitors Retirement System The Number and Earnable Compensation of Active Members

As of July 1, 2000

(All dollar amounts are in thousands)

GROUP	NUMBER	ANNUAL COMPENSATION	
Men	108	\$	11,407
Women	17		1,807
Total	125	\$	13,214

Note: There are seven inactive members with contributions still in the System. The results of the valuation were adjusted to take these members into account.

South Carolina Retirement System The Number and Annual Retirement Allowances of Retired Members and Beneficiaries As of July 1, 2000

GROUP	NUMBER	ANNUAL RETIREMENT ALLOWANCES	
	Service Re	etirements	
Employees:			
Men	12,416	\$ 202,622	
Women	12,167	131,427	
Teachers:			
Men	5,155	97,973	
Women	20,563	266,835	
Total	50,301	698,857	
	Disability Retirements		
Employees:			
Men	2,386	23,476	
Women	2,542	23,110	
Teachers:			
Men	662	7,844	
Women	2,467	24,796	
Total	8,057	79,226	
	Beneficiaries of Members and A		
Men	1,015	6,447	
Women	4,632	40,100	
Total	5,647	46,547	
Grand Total	64,005	\$ 824,630	

Police Officers Retirement System The Number and Annual Retirement Allowances of Retired Members and Beneficiaries

As of July 1, 2000

GROUP	NUMBER	ANNUAL RETIREMENT ALLOWANCES	
Service and Early Retirements:			
Men	4,077	\$ 64,071	
Women	445	3,984	
Total	4,522	68,055	
Disability Retirements:			
Men	854	12,659	
Women	155	1,598	
Total	1,009	14,257	
Beneficiaries of Deceased Members:			
Men	26	130	
Women	765	6,704	
Total	791	6,834	
Grand Total	6,322	\$ 89,146	

General Assembly Retirement System The Number and Annual Retirement Allowances of Beneficiaries and Contingent Beneficiaries As of July 1, 2000

(All dollar amounts are in thousands)

GROUP	NUMBER	ANNUAL RETIREMENT ALLOWANCES
Beneficiaries:	168	\$ 2,922
Women	14	234
Total	182	3,156
Contingent Beneficiaries:		
Men	4	44
Women	49	776
Total	53	820
Grand Total	235	\$ 3,976

Judges and Solicitors Retirement System The Number and Annual Retirement Allowances of Beneficiaries and Contingent Beneficiaries As of July 1, 2000

GROUP	NUMBER	ANNUAL RETIREMENT ALLOWANCES
Service Retirements:		
Men	78	\$ 6,286
Women	0	0
Total	78	6,286
Disability Retirements:		
Men	1	79
Women	0	0
Total	1	79
Beneficiaries of Deceased Members:		
Men	0	0
Women	36	986
Total _	36	986
Grand Total	115	\$ 7,351

South Carolina Retirement System Schedule of Retirants Added to and Removed from Rolls

(Dollar amounts except average allowance in thousands)

Year	Year Added to Rolls Annual		Removed	from Rolls Annual	Rolls End	of the Year Annual	% Increase in Annual	Average Annual
Ended	Number	Allowances	Number	Allowances	Number	Allowances	Allowances	Allowances
7-01-00	4,772	\$ 93,459	1,830	\$ 17,139	64,005	\$ 824,630	10.2%	\$ 12,884
7-01-99	4,961	68,522	2,436	12,175	61,063	748,310	8.1%	12,255
7-01-98	4,580	61,751	2,169	13,592	58,538	691,963	7.5%	11,321
7-01-97	4,601	78,201	2,346	10,928	56,127	643,804	11.7%	11,470
7-01-96	3,368	49,605	1,572	11,383	53,872	576,531	7.1%	10,702
7-01-95	4,153	58,435	1,399	9,970	52,076	538,289	9.9%	10,337
7-01-94	4,650	61,741	1,283	9,486	49,322	489,824	11.9%	9,931
7-01-93	3,169	50,738	1,246	7,900	45,955	437,569	10.9%	9,522
7-01-92	3,249	44,501	1,284	7,911	44,032	394,731	10.2%	8,965
7-01-91	3,100	43,809	1,209	7,776	42,067	358,141	11.2%	8,514

Police Officers Retirement System Schedule of Retirants Added to and Removed from Rolls

(Dollar amounts except average allowance in thousands)

	Added	l to Rolls	Removed	from Rolls	Rolls End	of the Year	% Increase	Average
Year		Annual		Annual		Annual	in Annual	Annual
Ended	Number	Allowances	Number	Allowances	Number	Allowances	Allowances	<u>Allowances</u>
7-01-00	549	\$ 9,979	152	\$ 1,581	6,322	\$ 89,146	10.4%	\$ 14,101
7-01-99	606	8,490	238	1,731	5,925	80,748	9.1%	13,628
7-01-98	492	6,924	154	1,085	5,557	73,989	8.6%	13,315
7-01-97	533	9,024	176	759	5,219	68,150	13.8%	13,058
7-01-96	415	5,866	100	791	4,862	59,885	9.3%	12,317
7-01-95	504	9,404	90	768	4,547	54,810	18.7%	12,054
7-01-94	523	6,025	81	594	4,133	46,174	13.3%	11,172
7-01-93	357	6,153	101	635	3,691	40,743	15.7%	11,038
7-01-92	258	5,647	83	629	3,435	35,225	16.6%	10,225
7-01-91	331	3,787	81	452	3,160	30,207	12.4%	9,559

General Assembly Retirement System Schedule of Retirants Added to and Removed from Rolls

(Dollar amounts except average allowance in thousands)

Year Ended	Added_	Annual Allowances	Removed Number	Annual Allowances	Rolls End	of the Year Annual Allowances	% Increase in Annual Allowances	Average Annual Allowances
7-01-00	8	\$ 118	7	\$ 110	235	\$ 3,976	0.2%	\$ 16,919
7-01-99	16	257	6	62	234	3,968	5.2%	16,957
7-01-98	9	125	6	159	224	3,773	(0.9%)	16,844
7-01-97	18	233	4	92	221	3,807	3.8%	17,226
7-01-96	6	159	4	43	207	3,666	3.3%	17,710
7-01-95	24	1,567	2	27	205	3,550	76.6%	17,317
7-01-94	8	61	1	7	183	2,010	2.8%	10,984
7-01-93	22	295	2	13	176	1,956	16.8%	11,114
7-01-92	6	63	4	36	156	1,674	1.6%	10,731
7-01-91	15	162	2	27	154	1,647	8.9%	10,695

Judges and Solicitors Retirement System Schedule of Retirants Added to and Removed from Rolls

(Dollar amounts except average allowance in thousands)

	Added	to Rolls	Removed	from Rolls	Rolls End	of the Year	% Increase	Average
Year		Annual		Annual		Annual	in Annual	Annual
Ended	Number	Allowances	Number	Allowances	Number	Allowances	Allowances	Allowances
7-01-00	7	\$ 772	4	\$ 276	115	\$ 7,351	7.2%	\$ 63,926
7-01-99	9	598	3	209	112	6,855	6.0%	61,205
7-01-98	8	812	3	198	106	6,466	10.5%	60,996
7-01-97	4	746	4	187	101	5,852	10.6%	57,941
7-01-96	7	1,014	0	0	101	5,293	11.9%	52,406
7-01-95	8	802	1	63	94	4,729	18.5%	50,309
7-01-94	5	185	0	0	87	3,990	4.9%	45,862
7-01-93	8	521	1	70	82	3,805	13.4%	46,402
7-01-92	10	482	0	0	75	3,354	16.8%	44,720
7-01-91	3	237	1	56	65	2,872	6.7%	44,185

Summary of Accrued and Unfunded Accrued Liabilites

(amounts expressed in thousands)

	Valuation Date	Valuation Assets	Aggregate Accrued Liabilities	Assets as a % of Accrued Liabilities	Unfunded Accrued Liabilities	Annual Active Member Payroll	UAL as a % of Active Member Payroll
SCRS	7-01-00	\$ 17,286,108	\$ 19,414,712	89.0%	\$ 2,128,864	\$ 5,881,847	36.2%
	7-01-99	16,120,513	16,298,438	98.9%	177,925	5,473,759	3.3%
	7-01-98	14,946,070	15,952,345	93.7%	1,006,275	5,191,048	19.4%
	7-01-97	13,621,362	14,977,179	90.9%	1,355,817	4,927,124	27.5%
	7-01-96	12,499,235	14,062,092	88.9%	1,562,857	4,540,100	34.4%
	7-01-95	11,453,462	12,980,497	88.2%	1,527,035	4,318,827	35.4%
	7-01-94	10,308,386	12,776,483	80.7%	2,468,097	4,087,078	60.4%
	7-01-93	9,392,497	11,752,769	79.9%	2,360,272	3,989,960	59.2%
	7-01-92	8,472,313	10,763,891	78.7%	2,291,578	3,793,708	60.4%
	7-01-91	7,612,942	8,875,807	77.1%	2,262,865	3,664,611	61.7%
	Valuation Date	Valuation Assets	Aggregate Accrued Liabilities	Assets as a % of Accrued Liabilities	Unfunded Accrued Liabilities	Annual Active Member Payroll	UAL as a % of Active Member Payroll
PORS			Accrued Liabilities	of Accrued	Accrued Liabilities	Active Member Payroll	of Active
PORS	Date	Assets	Accrued Liabilities	of Accrued Liabilities	Accrued Liabilities	Active Member Payroll	of Active Member Payroll
PORS	7-01-00	Assets \$ 2,008,554	Accrued Liabilities \$ 2,095,991	of Accrued Liabilities 95.8%	Accrued Liabilities 87,437	Active Member Payroll \$ 716,749	of Active Member Payroll 12.2%
PORS	7-01-00 7-01-99	Assets \$ 2,008,554 1,844,517	Accrued <u>Liabilities</u> \$ 2,095,991 1,898,237	of Accrued Liabilities 95.8% 97.2%	Accrued Liabilities \$ 87,437 53,720	Active Member Payroll \$ 716,749 638,086 606,426	of Active Member Payroll 12.2% 8.4%
PORS	7-01-00 7-01-99 7-01-98	Assets \$ 2,008,554 1,844,517 1,684,641	Accrued Liabilities \$ 2,095,991 1,898,237 1,733,578	of Accrued Liabilities 95.8% 97.2% 97.2%	Accrued Liabilities \$ 87,437 53,720 48,937	* 716,749 638,086 606,426 562,553	of Active Member Payroll 12.2% 8.4% 8.1%
PORS	7-01-00 7-01-99 7-01-98 7-01-97	Assets \$ 2,008,554 1,844,517 1,684,641 1,512,390	Accrued Liabilities \$ 2,095,991 1,898,237 1,733,578 1,570,816	of Accrued Liabilities 95.8% 97.2% 97.2% 96.3%	Accrued Liabilities \$ 87,437 53,720 48,937 58,426	* 716,749 638,086 606,426 562,553 505,516	of Active Member Payroll 12.2% 8.4% 8.1% 10.4% 11.9%
PORS	7-01-00 7-01-99 7-01-98 7-01-97 7-01-96	Assets \$ 2,008,554 1,844,517 1,684,641 1,512,390 1,367,549	Accrued Liabilities \$ 2,095,991 1,898,237 1,733,578 1,570,816 1,427,785	95.8% 97.2% 97.2% 96.3% 95.8%	Accrued Liabilities \$ 87,437 53,720 48,937 58,426 60,236	* 716,749 638,086 606,426 562,553 505,516 475,176	of Active Member Payroll 12.2% 8.4% 8.1% 10.4% 11.9%
PORS	7-01-00 7-01-99 7-01-98 7-01-97 7-01-96 7-01-95	Assets \$ 2,008,554 1,844,517 1,684,641 1,512,390 1,367,549 1,236,610	Accrued Liabilities \$ 2,095,991 1,898,237 1,733,578 1,570,816 1,427,785 1,299,119	95.8% 97.2% 97.2% 96.3% 95.8% 95.2%	Accrued Liabilities \$ 87,437	\$ 716,749 638,086 606,426 562,553 505,516 475,176 429,264	of Active Member Payroll 12.2% 8.4% 8.1% 10.4% 11.9% 13.2%
PORS	7-01-00 7-01-99 7-01-98 7-01-97 7-01-96 7-01-95 7-01-94	\$ 2,008,554 1,844,517 1,684,641 1,512,390 1,367,549 1,236,610 1,096,530	Accrued Liabilities \$ 2,095,991 1,898,237 1,733,578 1,570,816 1,427,785 1,299,119 1,201,090	95.8% 97.2% 97.2% 96.3% 95.8% 95.2% 91.3%	Accrued Liabilities \$ 87,437 53,720 48,937 58,426 60,236 62,509 104,560	\$ 716,749 638,086 606,426 562,553 505,516 475,176 429,264 403,249	of Active Member Payroll 12.2% 8.4% 8.1% 10.4% 11.9% 13.2% 24.4%

Note: Effective 7-1-95, actuarial assumptions were changed as a result of a 5 year experience study, the interest assumption was changed from 8% to 7.25%, an assumption of future COLA adjustments were removed (SCRS and PORS) and the method of valuing assets was changed from book value to a smoothed market value.

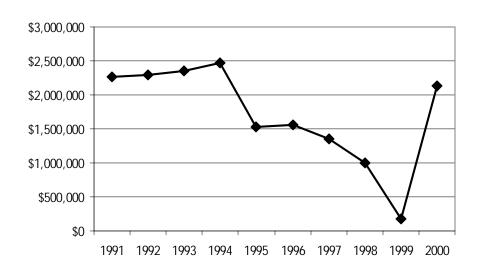
Effective 7-1-99, actuarial assumptions were changed as a result of a 5 year experience study. The rates of salary increase assumption, the assumed retirement rates, disability incidence assumptions and withdrawal rate assumption were revised for both SCRS and PORS. In addition, the assumed mortality rate of retired SCRS members were revised, along with the assumed mortality rates of active and disabled members for PORS.

Effective for the 7-1-2000 valuation eligibility for an unreduced annuity under SCRS was reduced from 30 years service to 28 years. The SCRS also adopted a deferred retirement option plan.

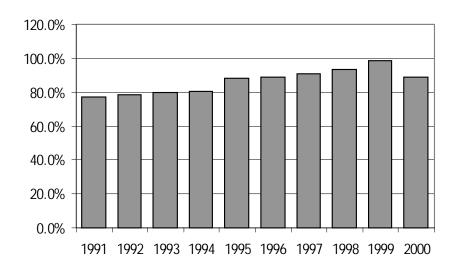
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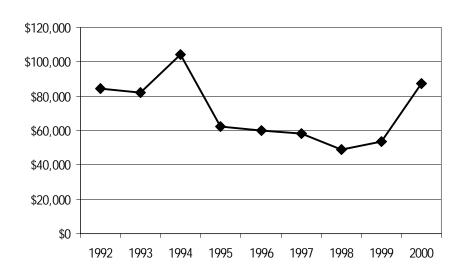
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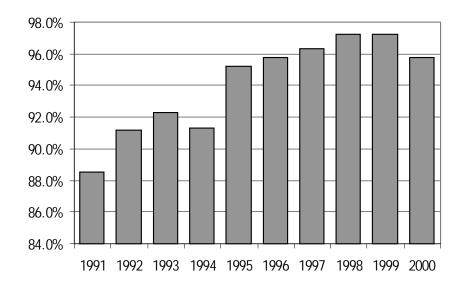
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Summary of Accrued and Unfunded Accrued Liabilites

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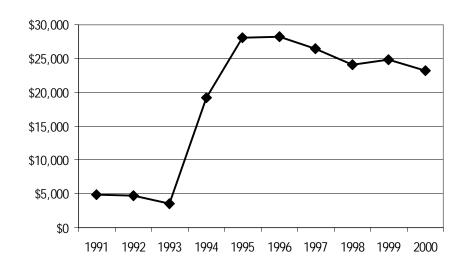
	Valuation Date		uation ssets	Å	gregate accrued abilities	Assets as a % of Accrued Liabilities	Unfunded Accrued Liabilities	Annual Active Member Payroll	UAL as a % of Active Member Payroll
GARS	7-01-00	\$	40,730	\$	63,947	63.7%	\$ 23,217	\$ 4,858	477.9%
	7-01-99		38,685		63,501	60.9%	24,816	4,979	498.4%
	7-01-98		36,260		60,330	60.1%	24,070	4,810	500.4%
	7-01-97		33,627		60,052	56.0%	26,425	4,721	559.7%
	7-01-96		31,702		59,914	52.9%	28,213	4,771	591.3%
	7-01-95		30,528		58,577	52.1%	28,049	4,704	596.3%
	7-01-94		28,662		47,839	59.9%	19,177	4,749	403.8%
	7-01-93		26,790		30,408	88.1%	3,618	2,954	122.5%
	7-01-92		24,851		29,558	84.1%	4,707	2,968	158.6%
	7-01-91		22,883		27,779	82.4%	4,896	2,772	176.6%
	Valuation Date		uation ssets	Ā	gregate accrued abilities	Assets as a % of Accrued Liabilities	Unfunded Accrued Liabilities	Annual Active Member Payroll	UAL as a % of Active Member Payroll
JSRS	Date	As	ssets	A Lia	abilities	of Accrued Liabilities	Accrued Liabilities	Active Member Payroll	of Active Member Payroll
JSRS	7-01-00		87,536	Ā	abilities 144,631	of Accrued Liabilities 60.5%	Accrued Liabilities \$ 57,095	Active Member Payroll \$ 13,214	of Active Member Payroll 432.1%
JSRS	Date	As	ssets	A Lia	abilities	of Accrued Liabilities	Accrued Liabilities	Active Member Payroll	of Active Member Payroll
JSRS	7-01-00 7-01-99	As	87,536 81,780	A Lia	144,631 134,272	of Accrued Liabilities 60.5% 60.9%	Accrued Liabilities \$ 57,095 52,492	Active Member Payroll \$ 13,214 12,748	of Active Member Payroll 432.1% 411.8%
JSRS	7-01-00 7-01-99 7-01-98	As	87,536 81,780 75,699	A Lia	144,631 134,272 124,756	of Accrued Liabilities 60.5% 60.9% 60.7%	Accrued Liabilities \$ 57,095	Active Member Payroll \$ 13,214	of Active Member Payroll 432.1% 411.8% 424.2%
JSRS	7-01-00 7-01-99 7-01-98 7-01-97	As	87,536 81,780 75,699 68,980	A Lia	144,631 134,272 124,756 112,185	of Accrued Liabilities 60.5% 60.9% 60.7% 61.5%	Accrued Liabilities \$ 57,095 52,492 49,057 43,205	* 13,214 12,748 11,564 11,221	of Active Member PayrolI 432.1% 411.8% 424.2% 385.0%
JSRS	7-01-00 7-01-99 7-01-98 7-01-97 7-01-96	As	87,536 81,780 75,699 68,980 62,850	A Lia	144,631 134,272 124,756 112,185 101,020	of Accrued Liabilities 60.5% 60.9% 60.7% 61.5% 62.2%	Accrued Liabilities \$ 57,095 52,492 49,057 43,205 38,170	* 13,214 12,748 11,564 11,221 10,109	of Active Member Payroll 432.1% 411.8% 424.2% 385.0% 377.6%
JSRS	7-01-00 7-01-99 7-01-98 7-01-97 7-01-96 7-01-95	As	87,536 81,780 75,699 68,980 62,850 57,917	A Lia	144,631 134,272 124,756 112,185 101,020 94,420	60.5% 60.9% 60.7% 61.5% 62.2% 61.3%	Accrued Liabilities \$ 57,095 52,492 49,057 43,205 38,170 36,503	* 13,214 12,748 11,564 11,221 10,109 9,417	of Active Member Payroll 432.1% 411.8% 424.2% 385.0% 377.6% 387.6%
JSRS	7-01-00 7-01-99 7-01-98 7-01-97 7-01-96 7-01-95 7-01-94	As	87,536 81,780 75,699 68,980 62,850 57,917 52,040	A Lia	144,631 134,272 124,756 112,185 101,020 94,420 83,322	60.5% 60.9% 60.7% 61.5% 62.2% 61.3%	Accrued Liabilities \$ 57,095 52,492 49,057 43,205 38,170 36,503 31,282	* 13,214 12,748 11,564 11,221 10,109 9,417 9,040	of Active Member Payroll 432.1% 411.8% 424.2% 385.0% 377.6% 387.6% 346.0%

Note: Effective 7-1-95, the interest assumption was changed from 8% to 7.25% and the method of valuing assets was changed from book value to a smoothed market value.

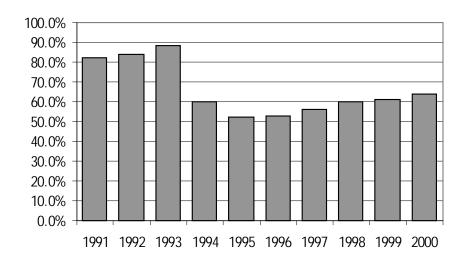
General Assembly Retirement System Funding Progress with Funded Ratios

UNFUNDED ACCRUED LIABILITIES

(amounts expressed in thousands)



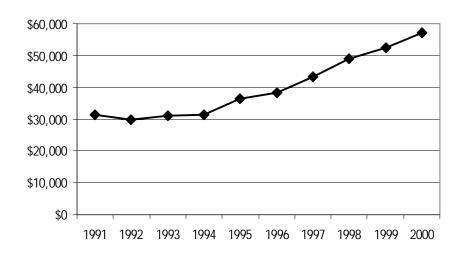
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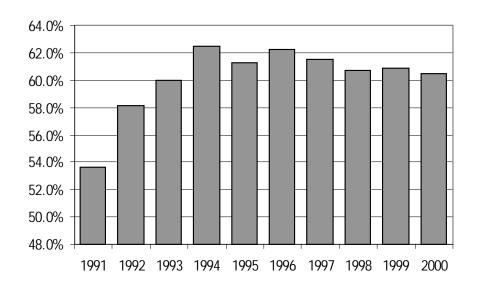
Judges and Solicitors Retirement System Funding Progress with Funded Ratios

UNFUNDED ACCRUED LIABILITIES

(amounts expressed in thousands)



FUNDED RATIOS
(assets as a percentage of accrued liabilities)



South Carolina Retirement System Analysis of the Increase in the Unfunded Accrued Liability

As of July 1, 2000

(Amounts expressed in millions)

Item:	Inc	ount of crease crease)
Required amortization payment	\$	(110)
Experience:		
Valuation asset growth		(30)
Salary increases greater than expected		360
Other experience		(80)
Plan changes		1,810
Total	\$	1,950

Police Officers Retirement System Analysis of the Increase in the Unfunded Accrued Liability

As of July 1, 2000

(Amounts expressed in millions)

Item:	Amoun Increa (Decrea	ase
Required amortization payment	\$	(8)
Experience:		
Valuation asset growth		(0)
Salary increases greater than expected		43
Other experience		(1)
Total	\$	34

Note: This analysis was not performed for the General Assembly Retirement System and the Judges and Solicitors Retirement System.

Solvency Test

(amounts expressed in thousands)

	Valuation		(1) Active Member	ı	(2) Retirants &	(3) tive Members pployer Funded	١	<i>V</i> aluation	Portion of A		
	Date	Co	ntributions	Be	neficiaries	 Portion)	_	Assets	(1)	(2)	(3)
SCRS	7-01-00	\$	4,563,513	\$	7,484,050	\$ 7,367,149	\$	17,286,108	100%	100%	71.1%
	7-01-99		4,278,861		6,944,021	5,075,556		16,120,513	100%	100%	96.5%
	7-01-98		3,972,263		6,305,903	5,674,179		14,946,070	100%	100%	82.3%
	7-01-97		3,657,217		5,866,156	5,453,806		13,621,362	100%	100%	75.1%
	7-01-96		3,399,816		5,349,968	5,312,308		12,499,235	100%	100%	70.6%
	7-01-95		3,085,531		4,950,378	4,944,588		11,453,462	100%	100%	69.1%
	7-01-94		2,838,478		5,561,280	4,376,725		10,308,386	100%	100%	43.6%
	7-01-93		2,558,019		4,920,436	4,274,314		9,392,497	100%	100%	44.8%
	7-01-92		2,291,219		4,474,227	3,998,445		8,472,313	100%	100%	42.7%
	7-01-91		2,044,630		4,056,100	3,775,077		7,612,942	100%	100%	40.1%
PORS	7-01-00	\$	427,449	\$	844,631	\$ 823,911	\$	2,008,554	100%	100%	89.4%
	7-01-99		389,456		783,042	725,739		1,844,517	100%	100%	92.6%
	7-01-98		352,424		702,155	678,999		1,684,641	100%	100%	92.8%
	7-01-97		314,217		645,356	611,243		1,512,390	100%	100%	90.4%
	7-01-96		284,655		565,405	577,726		1,367,549	100%	100%	89.6%
	7-01-95		251,255		519,795	528,069		1,236,610	100%	100%	88.2%
	7-01-94		226,608		547,189	427,293		1,096,530	100%	100%	75.5%
	7-01-93		199,005		459,268	405,601		981,524	100%	100%	79.7%
	7-01-92		174,014		402,116	378,814		870,615	100%	100%	77.7%
	7-01-91		149,622		349,365	365,987		765,510	100%	100%	72.8%

Note: Effective 7-1-95, actuarial assumptions were changed as a result of a 5 year experience study, the interest assumption was changed from 8% to 7.25%, an assumption of future COLA adjustments were removed (SCRS and PORS) and the method of valuing assets was changed from book value to a smoothed market value.

Effective 7-1-99, actuarial assumptions were changed as a result of a 5 year experience study. The rates of salary increase assumption, the assumed retirement rates, disability incidence assumptions and withdrawal rate assumption were revised for both SCRS and PORS. In addition, the assumed mortality rate of retired SCRS members were revised, along with the assumed mortality rates of active and disabled members for PORS.

Effective for the 7-1-2000 valuation eligibility for an unreduced annuity under SCRS was reduced from 30 years service to 28 years. The SCRS also adopted a deferred retirement option plan.

Solvency Test

(amounts expressed in thousands)

	Valuation Date	Me	(1) active ember ributions		(2) etirants & eficiaries	(3) ive Members ployer Funded Portion)	uation ssets	Portion of Liabilities (1)		
	— Date	COITE	IDUCTIONS	Den	CITCIAITCS	 Tortion	 			(3)
GARS	7-01-00	\$	9,220	\$	39,409	\$ 15,318	\$ 40,730	100%	80.0%	0.0%
	7-01-99		8,459		40,298	14,744	38,685	100%	75.0%	0.0%
	7-01-98		7,898		38,282	14,150	36,260	100%	74.1%	0.0%
	7-01-97		7,224		39,214	13,614	33,627	100%	67.3%	0.0%
	7-01-96		6,811		37,876	15,228	31,702	100%	65.7%	0.0%
	7-01-95		6,160		37,387	15,030	30,528	100%	65.2%	0.0%
	7-01-94		5,609		26,786	15,404	28,622	100%	85.9%	0.0%
	7-01-93		5,271		16,516	8,621	26,790	100%	100%	58.0%
	7-01-92		5,129		14,275	10,154	24,851	100%	100%	53.6%
	7-01-91		4,624		14,176	8,979	22,883	100%	100%	45.5%
JSRS	7-01-00	\$	12,979	\$	94,633	\$ 37,019	\$ 87,536	100%	78.8%	0.0%
	7-01-99		12,286		87,464	34,522	81,780	100%	79.5%	0.0%
	7-01-98		11,424		81,193	32,139	75,699	100%	79.2%	0.0%
	7-01-97		10,819		70,724	30,642	68,980	100%	82.2%	0.0%
	7-01-96		9,633		65,238	26,149	62,850	100%	81.6%	0.0%
	7-01-95		9,566		58,586	26,268	57,917	100%	82.5%	0.0%
	7-01-94		8,992		43,752	30,578	52,040	100%	98.4%	0.0%
	7-01-93		7,948		42,000	27,760	46,600	100%	92.0%	0.0%
	7-01-92		7,053		37,058	27,150	41,421	100%	92.7%	0.0%
	7-01-91		6,556		31,902	29,122	36,253	100%	93.1%	0.0%

Note: Effective 7-1-95, the interest assumption was changed from 8% to 7.25% and the method of valuing assets was changed from book value to a smoothed market value.

Summary of Basic Provisions

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SCRS	PORS	GARS	JSRS
1. Membership			
Generally all employees are required to participate in the Systems as a condition of employment.	Generally all full time employ- ees whose principal duties are the preservation of public order, protection or prevention and control of property destruction by fire.	All persons are required to participate upon taking office as member of the General Assembly.	All solicitors, judges of a Circuit or Family Court and justices of the Court of Appeals and Supreme Court are required to participate upon taking office.
2. Employee Contributions			
6% of salary.	6.5% of salary.	10% of earnable compensation	7% of total salary.
3. Employer Contributions			
Class II – 7.55% of salary for State Departments and Public Schools.	10.3% of salary.	Annual lump-sum appropriation	40.76%
6.7% of salary for all other participating employers.			
Group Life Insurance .15% of salary.	.2% of salary.	Included within annual lump- sum appropriation.	.75%
Accidental Death Program N/A	.2% of salary.	N/A	N/A
4. Vesting Requirements			
5 years – entitled to a deferred annuity commencing at age 60.	5 years – entitled to a deferred annuity commencing at age 55.	8 years	12 years
5. Normal Retirement Age			
Age 65.	Age 55 with 5 years of service.	Age 60.	Age 72.
6. Requirements for Full Servi	ce Retirement		
Age 65 or 28 years of credited service.	Age 55 with 5 years of service or 25 years of credited service.	Age 60 or 30 years of service.	Age 70 with 15 years of service, age 65 with 20 years service, 25 years service regardless of age.
7. Early Retirement			ago.
Age 60 with 5% reduction for each year under age 65;	N/A	N/A	N/A
Age 55 with 25 years service, reduced 4% for each year of service under 28.			

SCRS	PORS	GARS	JSRS									
3. Formula for Normal Service Retirement												
1.82% of AFC times years of credited service.	Class I - \$10.97 per month. Class II - 2.14% of AFC times years of credited service.	4.82% of earnable compensation times years of credited service.	Annual allowance of 71.3% of the current active salary of the position.									
9. Requirements for Disability	Requirements for Disability Retirement											
5 years of earned service unless injury is job related.	5 years of earned service unless injury is job related.	5 years of credited service.	5 years of credited service.									
10. Formula for Disability Retirement												
Service retirement benefit based upon continued service to age 65 with no change in compensation.	Service retirement benefit based upon continued service to age 55 with no change in compensation.	The greater of:a. Service benefit based upon actual credited service.b. 50% of service benefit based upon continued service to earlier of age 60 or 35 years service.	Service retirement formula.									
11. Benefit Options												
Option A Formula benefit as calculated in item 8. Any unrecovered contributions paid upon death.	Option A Formula benefit as calculated in item 8. Any unrecovered contributions paid upon death.	Maximum Benefit Formula benefit as calculated in item 8. Any unrecovered contributions paid upon death.	Maximum Benefit Formula as calculated in item 8. Continued benefit of one- third of retirant's benefit to a spouse beneficiary upon death of retirant.									
Option B Provides a reduced continued benefit of equal amount to the beneficiary of retirant. Amount reverts to Option A if benefi- ciary predeceases member.	Option B Provides a reduced continued benefit of equal amount to the beneficiary of retirant. Amount reverts to Option A if benefi- ciary predeceases member.	Option 1 Provides a reduced continued benefit of equal amount to the beneficiary of retirant.	Optional Allowance provides a reduced retirement allowance to retirant with a continued benefit of one-third of the retirant's allowance to a nonspouse beneficiary.									
Option C Provides a continued benefit of 50% of the retirant's annuity payable to the retirant's beneficiary. Amount reverts to Option A if beneficiary predeceases member.	Option C Provides a continued benefit of 50% of the retirant's annuity payable to the retirant's beneficiary. Amount reverts to Option A if beneficiary predeceases member.	Option 2 Provides one-half of retired member's benefit to a surviving designated beneficiary.										
		Revert to Maximum This feature will allow your benefits to be changed to the Maximum Benefit if you select Option 1 or 2 and your beneficiary predeceases you.	N/A									

SCRS PORS JSRS GARS 12. Post Retirement Increase Increase in CPI, up to 4%. As legislated. Increase in CPI, up to 4%. As legislated. Increases approved annually Increases approved annually subject to compliance with subject to compliance with funding policy. funding policy. 13. Teacher and Employee Retention Incentive (TERI) N/A Upon meeting normal retire-N/A N/A ment eligibility, a member can elect to enter the TERI for a maximum of 5 years, after which employment will cease. The retirement benefits will be accumulated in TERI accounts and will be paid to members upon the earlier of actual retirement or the end of participation period. 14. Accidental Death Program N/A Provides an annuity to the N/A N/A window (or specified beneficiary) of a member whose death was while in performance of duty. Annuity would equal 50% of member's compensation at the time of death. 15. Group Life Insurance Benefits Lump-sum payment equal to Lump-sum payment equal to Lump-sum payment equal to Lump-sum payment equal to one year's salary payable to the beneficiary upon the death of an active member with at least one year of service. one year of service. one year of service. one year of service. No service requirement for No service requirements for No service requirement for No service requirement for death resulting from actual death resulting from actual death resulting from actual death resulting from actual performance of duties. performance of duties. performance of duties. performance of duties. Lump-sum payment to retiree's Lump-sum payment to retiree's Lump-sum payment to retiree's Lump-sum payment to retiree's beneficiary of up to \$6,000 beneficiary of up to \$6,000 beneficiary of up to \$3,000 beneficiary of up to \$3,000 based upon years of service at based upon year of service at based upon years of service at based upon years of service at retirement. retirement. retirement. retirement. 16. Withdrawal of Employee Contributions Accumulated contributions and Accumulated contributions and Accumulated contributions and Accumulated contributions and credited interest payable within credited interest payable within credited interest payable within credited interest payable within 6 months but not less than 90 6 months but not less than 90 6 months after termination of 6 months after termination of days after termination of all days after termination of all all covered employment. all covered employment. covered employment. covered employment.



White Knoll Middle School student Staci Smith is interviewed by NBC's "Today" show anchor David Bloom as Captain Tom Giordano of the Red Hook fire station in Brooklyn, NY looks on.



From left to right, Maurice Hallman, Staci Smith, Captain Tom Giordano, Dr. Nancy Turner, Thomas Dunn, and Leigh Tyson, appear on NBC's "Today" show Thanksgiving Day.

Statistical Section



Maurice Hallman, Leigh Tyson, Thomas Dunn, and Staci Smith, students at White Knoll Middle School in West Columbia, SC, fold the flag from the World Trade Center site after riding on a float with New York City Mayor Rudolph Giuliani and Yankees manager Joe Torre in the Macy's Thanksgiving Day Parade.

Statistical Section

South Carolina Retirement System Revenue by Source

(Amounts expressed in thousands)

Year Ended June 30,	mployee tributions	% of Total Revenue	Total Employer ntributions	% of Total Revenue	Investment Income*	% of Total Revenue	S	upplemental Benefit Revenue	% of Total Revenue	Total Revenue	
2001	\$ 435,075	19.6%	\$ 491,329	22.1%	\$ 1,293,997	58.2%	\$	3,518	0.1%	\$ 2,223,919	
2000	379,491	23.3%	455,914	27.9%	792,282	48.6%		3,873	0.2%	1,631,560	
1999	353,119	30.1%	419,918	35.9%	393,856	33.6%		4,356	0.4%	1,171,249	
1998	335,849	12.7%	398,845	15.1%	1,904,740	72.0%		4,880	0.2%	2,644,314	
1997	306,678	16.2%	374,452	19.7%	1,212,272	63.8%		5,305	0.3%	1,898,707	
1996	298,198	23.1%	359,268	27.8%	628,562	48.7%		5,813	0.4%	1,291,841	
1995	288,997	12.7%	340,843	14.9%	1,644,707	72.1%		6,293	0.3%	2,280,840	
1994	275,223	19.0%	323,180	22.3%	841,332	58.2%		6,848	0.5%	1,446,583	
1993	257,733	18.3%	312,781	22.2%	830,466	59.0%		7,331	0.5%	1,408,311	
1992	248,148	19.0%	298,021	22.9%	749,808	57.5%		7,728	0.6%	1,303,705	

Police Officers Retirement System Revenue by Source

(Amounts expressed in thousands)

Year Ended June 30,	Employee Contributions		% of Total Revenue	Total Employer ntributions	% of Total Revenue	Investment Income*		% of Total Revenue	S	upplemental Benefit Revenue	% of Total Revenue	Total Revenue	
2001	\$	56,952	18.9%	\$ 94,312	31.3%	\$	149,574	49.7%	\$	104	0.1%	\$	300,942
2000		50,438	22.9%	76,267	34.6%		93,425	42.4%		113	0.1%		220,243
1999		46,211	27.2%	70,197	41.3%		53,304	31.4%		124	0.1%		169,836
1998		44,590	14.0%	66,619	20.8%		207,998	65.1%		132	0.1%		319,339
1997		38,931	16.7%	62,038	26.6%		131,834	56.6%		137	0.1%		232,940
1996		37,237	22.9%	55,956	34.4%		69,379	42.6%		142	0.1%		162,714
1995		34,762	13.7%	52,350	20.6%		166,836	65.6%		150	0.1%		254,098
1994		31,487	18.6%	47,866	28.2%		90,088	53.1%		158	0.1%		169,599
1993		29,183	18.3%	44,753	28.1%		85,230	53.5%		167	0.1%		159,333
1992		27,827	18.8%	43,313	29.2%		77,018	51.9%		186	0.1%		148,344

^{*} Investment income for fiscal years ended June 30, 1995, and after include unrealized gains and losses in accordance with GASB Statement 25.

General Assembly Retirement System

Revenue by Source

(Amounts expressed in thousands)

Year Ended June 30,	ployee ibutions	% of Total Revenue	Em	Total nployer ributions	% of Total Revenue	estment come*	% of Total Revenue	Total venue
2001	\$ 904	14.0%	\$	2,510	39.0%	\$ 3,022	47.0%	\$ 6,436
2000	638	12.5%		2,636	51.7%	1,827	35.8%	5,101
1999	783	16.6%		2,768	58.5%	1,180	24.9%	4,731
1998	686	8.8%		2,796	35.7%	4,337	55.5%	7,819
1997	566	9.5%		2,492	41.7%	2,922	48.9%	5,980
1996	586	15.1%		1,679	43.1%	1,626	41.8%	3,891
1995	603	10.1%		1,225	20.4%	4,160	69.5%	5,988
1994	339	8.8%		1,163	30.2%	2,346	61.0%	3,848
1993	375	9.7%		1,239	32.2%	2,234	58.1%	3,848
1992	390	10.5%		1,147	30.7%	2,194	58.8%	3,731

Judges and Solicitors Retirement System

Revenue by Source

(Amounts expressed in thousands)

Year Ended June 30,	ployee ibutions	% of Total Revenue	Em	Total nployer ributions	% of Total Revenue	estment come*	% of Total Revenue	R	Total evenue
2001	\$ 2,216	14.6%	\$	5,875	38.6%	\$ 7,128	46.8%	\$	15,219
2000	1,194	11.2%		5,659	53.2%	3,791	35.6%		10,644
1999	1,364	14.8%		5,485	59.6%	2,352	25.6%		9,201
1998	1,246	7.9%		4,991	31.7%	9,520	60.4%		15,757
1997	1,321	11.0%		4,771	39.6%	5,949	49.4%		12,041
1996	970	11.6%		4,244	50.5%	3,185	37.9%		8,399
1995	833	6.4%		4,080	31.2%	8,170	62.4%		13,083
1994	938	9.9%		3,930	41.6%	4,576	48.5%		9,444
1993	1,023	11.4%		3,910	43.4%	4,070	45.2%		9,003
1992	926	11.0%		3,827	45.4%	3,673	43.6%		8,426

^{*} Investment income for fiscal years ended June 30, 1995, include unrealized gains and losses in accordance with GASB Statement 25.

South Carolina Retirement System Summary of Expenses by Type

(Amounts expressed in thousands)

											Admin	istrative	
Year							Grou	ıp Life	An	nuity	Charges	and Other	Total
Ended	Membe	r Refunds	Annuity	Expenses	TERI E	xpenses	Ехр	enses	Supp	lements	Ехр	enses	Expenses
June 30,	Amount	% Increase	Amount	% Increase	Amount	% Increase	Amount	% Increase	Amount	% Increase	Amount	% Increase	
2001	\$68,894	-4.9%	\$864,235	10.9%	\$56,487	-	\$12,850	28.2%	\$3,518	-9.2%	\$15,374	1.3%	\$1,021,358
2000	72,452	-14.3%	779,297	8.9%	-		10,026	27.3%	3,873	-11.1%	15,175	11.1%	880,823
1999	84,536	37.2%	715,878	8.0%	-	-	7,873	-15.1%	4,356	-10.7%	13,659	6.5%	826,302
1998	61,629	17.2%	662,825	9.9%	-	-	9,277	16.6%	4,880	-8.0%	12,822	17.6%	751,433
1997	52,568	1.4%	602,922	7.7%	-	-	7,957	-15.6%	5,305	-8.7%	10,899	3.5%	679,651
1996	51,833	14.3%	559,991	6.8%	-	-	9,429	19.6%	5,813	-7.6%	10,526	15.4%	637,592
1995	45,358	15.4%	524,311	12.2%	-	-	7,881	8.8%	6,293	-8.1%	9,124	59.8%	592,967
1994	39,291	8.0%	467,185	9.6%	-	-	7,241	-8.0%	6,848	-6.6%	5,711	-12.7%	526,276
1993	36,392	2.0%	426,401	11.1%	-	-	7,870	3.6%	7,331	-5.1%	6,542	8.7%	484,536
1992	35,681		383,943	10.6%	-	-	7,595	4.7%	7,728	-4.7%	6,018	19.0%	440,965

Police Officers Retirement System Summary of Expenses by Type

(Amounts expressed in thousands)

															istrative	
Year					Accid	dental					Anr	nuity	CI	harges	and Other	Total
Ended	Member	r Refunds	Annuity	Expenses	Death E	xpenses	Gı	roup Lif	e Expenses		Suppl	ements		Exp	enses	Expenses
June 30.	Amount	% Increase	Amount	% Increase	Amount	% Increase	Aı	mount	% Increase	Ar	mount	% Increase	Ar	mount	% Increase	
2001	\$ 11,498	8.0%	\$ 94,439	11.9%	\$ 797	8.3%	\$	1,399	-0.4%	\$	104	-8.0%	\$	1,551	1.7%	\$109,788
2000	10,643	-2.7%	84,386	8.7%	736	5.3%		1,404	118.0%		113	-8.9%		1,525	14.5%	98,807
1999	10,940	29.0%	77,654	9.1%	699	9.6%		644	-53.1%		124	-6.1%		1,332	19.9%	91,393
1998	8,482	14.7%	71,161	11.3%	638	3.2%		1,373	49.4%		132	-3.6%		1,111	2.5%	82,897
1997	7,392	5.7%	63,958	9.8%	618	6.6%		919	-16.5%		137	-3.5%		1,084	-5.3%	74,108
1996	6,991	4.9%	58,257	8.6%	580	2.8%		1,101	13.6%		142	-5.3%		1,145	17.0%	68,216
1995	6,665	19.5%	53,653	18.8%	564	-1.9%		969	22.8%		150	-5.1%		979	64.8%	62,980
1994	5,577	9.6%	45,145	14.2%	575	7.9%		789	-20.7%		158	-5.4%		594	-12.5%	52,838
1993	5,090	7.9%	39,522	13.2%	533	24.2%		995	11.2%		167	-10.2%		679	11.1%	46,986
1992	4,718	6.3%	34,917	15.3%	429	3.9%		895	27.3%		186	-2.6%		611	22.2%	41,756

General Assembly Retirement System Summary of Expenses by Type

(Amounts expressed in thousands)

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Year Ended			Refunds			Expenses			Expenses	Λ	Expe		EX	penses
June 30,	Amo	ount	% Increase	Amo	unt	% Increase	Amou	nı	% Increase	Am	ount	% Increase		
2001	\$	38	137.5%	\$	4,197	5.0%	\$	42	16.7%	\$	71	6.0%	\$	4,348
2000		16	-67.3%		3,998	1.4%		36	300.0%		67	3.1%		4,117
1999		49	-22.2%		3,941	4.5%		9	0.0%		65	-65.4%		4,064
1998		63	152.0%		3,771	0.5%		9	-88.3%		188	652.0%		4,031
1997		25	-40.5%		3,751	4.8%		77	97.4%		25	-7.4%		3,878
1996		42	223.1%		3,579	23.2%		39	290.0%		27	8.0%		3,687
1995		13	-55.2%		2,905	47.5%		10	400.0%		25	56.3%		2,953
1994		29	-25.6%		1,969	6.8%		2	-75.0%		16	-15.8%		2,016
1993		39	-30.4%		1,843	9.4%		8	60.0%		19	5.6%		1,909
1992		56	-9.7%		1,684	6.6%		5	-81.5%		18	12.5%		1,763

Judges and Solicitors Retirement System Summary of Expenses by Type

(Amounts expressed in thousands)

Year Ended June 30,	Member Re Amount %	funds Increase	Annuity Amount	Expenses % Increase	Group Lift Amount	e Expenses % Increase	Charges	istrative and Other enses % Increase	Total penses
2001	\$ -	-100.0%	\$ 7,426	6.4%	\$ 6	-60.0%	\$ 6	7 0.0%	\$ 7,499
2000	71	39.2%	6,979	2.4%	15	150.0%	6	11.7%	7,132
1999	51		6,813	11.7%	6	500.0%	60	20.0%	6,930
1998			6,100	12.1%	1	-80.0%	50	0.0%	6,151
1997			5,443	3.1%	5	66.7%	50	-5.7%	5,498
1996			5,278	15.1%	3	200.0%	53	3 15.2%	5,334
1995	2		4,584	18.0%	1	-98.9%	46	64.3%	4,633
1994			3,884	2.5%	92	2966.7%	28	-9.7%	4,004
1993			3,790	19.8%	3	-66.7%	3	10.7%	3,824
1992	58		3,163	11.1%	9	350.0%	28	3 16.7%	3,258

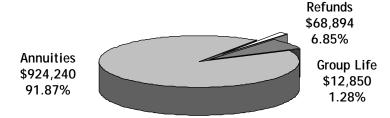
Summary of Benefit Expenses by Type

(Amounts expressed in thousands)

South Carolina Retirement System

			Re	funds		A	nnui	ty Expense	es	 Grou	up Li	ife Expen	ses			
Year Ended June 30,	M	ember		vivor/ other	Total efunds	Member		urvivor/ Other	Total Annuities	active ember		etired ember		Total Group Life	ı	Total Benefit Expenses
2001	\$	65,767	\$	3,127	\$ 68,894	\$ 875,053	\$	49,187	\$ 924,240	\$ 6,947	\$	5,903	\$	12,850	\$	1,005,984
2000		69,468		2,984	72,452	738,149		45,021	783,170	6,979		3,047		10,026		865,648
1999		82,589		1,947	84,536	678,403		41,831	720,234	4,802		3,071		7,873		812,643
1998		58,886		2,743	61,629	628,804		38,901	667,705	6,344		2,933		9,277		738,611
1997		50,239		2,329	52,568	573,137		35,090	608,227	5,158		2,799		7,957		668,752

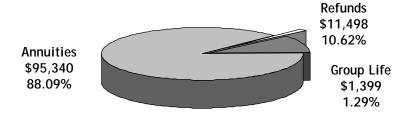
Schedule of Benefit Expenses For the Year Ended June 30, 2001



Police Officers Retirement System

			Ref	unds			Ar	nui	ty Expens	es		Grou	up Lif	e Expen	ses		
Year Ended June 30,	M	lember		vivor/ ther	Total efunds	IV	lember		ırvivor/ Other		Total	ctive mber		ired mber		Total Group Life	Total Benefit openses
2001	\$	10,983	\$	515	\$ 11,498	\$	87,208	\$	8,132	\$	95,340	\$ 878	\$	521	\$	1,399	\$ 108,237
2000		10,382		261	10,643		77,143		7,356		84,499	1,082		322		1,404	96,546
1999		10,649		261	10,940		71,546		6,931		78,477	286		358		644	90,061
1998		8,238		244	8,482		65,379		6,552		71,931	1,077		296		1,373	81,786
1997		7,233		159	7,392		58,650		6,063		64,713	602		317		919	73,024

Schedule of Benefit Expenses For the Year Ended June 30, 2001



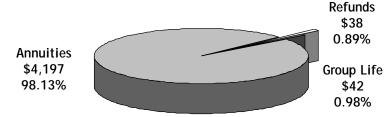
Summary of Benefit Expenses by Type

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General Assembly Retirement System

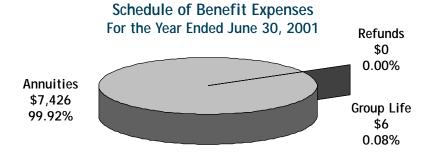
			Refu	nds			An	nuit	y Expens	es		 Grou	ıp Li	fe Expen	ses			
Year Ended June 30,	Mem	nber	Surviv Oth		tal unds	M	ember		rvivor/ Other		Total nuities	ctive ember		etired ember	Gr	otal oup ife	Be	otal nefit enses
2001	\$	38	\$	-	\$ 38	\$	3,308	\$	889	\$	4,197	\$ 26	\$	16	\$	42	\$	4,277
2000		3		13	16		3,178		820		3,998	23		13		36		4,050
1999		49			49		3,108		833		3,941			9		9		3,999
1998				63	63		3,019		752		3,771			9		9		3,843
1997				25	25		3,001		750		3,751	70		7		77		3,853

Schedule of Benefit Expenses For the Year Ended June 30, 2001



Judges and Solicitors Retirement System

		Refunds			Ar	nuit	ty Expens	es			Grou	ıp Life	Expens	es			
Year Ended June 30,	Member	Survivor/ Other	Total Refunds	N	Member		rvivor/ Other		Total nuities	Activ Memb		Reti Mem		Tota Grou Lif	up	Be	otal nefit enses
2001	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$	6,380	\$	1,046	\$	7,426	\$	-	\$	6	\$	6	\$	7,432
2000	71		71		6,043		936		6,979		-		15		15		7,065
1999	51		51		6,022		791		6,813		-		6		6		6, 870
1998					5,368		732		6,100				1		1		6, 101
1997					4,687		756		5,443				5		5		5 ,448



Note: Total benefit expenses above reflect benefit expenses only and do not include administrative expenses.

South Carolina Retirement System Distribution of Retiree Population and Average Benefit

	Service	Retirees	Disability	Retirees	Benefic	iaries	То	tal
	Number	Average Monthly	Number	Average Monthly	Number	Average Monthly	Number	Average Monthly
June 2001	Number	Benefit	Number	Benefit	Number	Benefit	Number	Benefit
State Agency	21,646	\$ 1,388.37	3,653	\$ 830.03	2,779	\$ 811.71	28,078	\$ 1,258.66
Public Schools	29,242	1,276.86	3,256	880.87	1,823	658.52	34,321	1,206.45
Other				710.55				775.56
	7,702	834.45	1,545		1,284	500.51	10,531	
Total	58,590	1,259.90	8,454	827.77	5,886	696.38	72,930	1,164.33
June 2000								
State Agency	17,553	1,240.34	3,490	788.86	2,653	782.66	23,696	1,122.61
Public Schools	25,474	1,142.96	3,075	844.35	1,733	628.09	30,282	1,083.17
Other	6,996	764.91	1,443	674.51	1,219	481.44	9,658	715.63
Total	50,023	1,124.26	8,008	789.56	5,605	669.36	63,636	1,042.07
June 1999								
State Agency	16,682	1,193.21	3,340	759.07	2,521	760.82	22,543	1,080.54
Public Schools	24,322	1,096.22	2,873	813.55	1,644	622.62	28,839	1,041.06
Other	6,699	728.98	1,327	651.54	1,142	476.62	9,168	686.34
Total	47,703	1,078.57	7,540	760.90	5,307	656.85	60,550	1,002.05
	47,703	1,076.57	7,540	700.70	3,307	050.65	00,550	1,002.03
June 1998	15.070	1 140 02	2 1 41	720.00	2 410	740 41	21 420	1 040 10
State Agency	15,869	1,148.03	3,141	738.99	2,410	740.41	21,420	1,042.18
Public Schools	23,279	1,059.01	2,705	793.29	1,572	606.62	27,556	1,007.12
Other	6,326	704.14	1,202	632.96	1,102	457.13	8,630	662.69
Total	45,474	1,040.71	7,048	741.75	5,084	637.64	57,606	968.56
June 1997								
State Agency	15,270	1,090.97	2,909	706.19	2,299	707.12	20,478	993.22
Public Schools	22,603	1,007.84	2,537	766.04	1,483	573.91	26,623	960.63
Other	6,077	671.78	1,085	604.33	1,045	428.10	8,207	631.83
Total	43,950	990.25	6,531	712.52	4,827	605.79	55,308	923.90
June 1996								
State Agency	14,662	1,056.94	2,702	689.47	2,212	718.52	19,576	967.98
Public Schools	22,121	966.43	2,365	753.98	1,447	628.85	25,933	928.22
Other	5,630	650.57	948	611.46	942	429.20	7,520	617.91
Total	42,413	955.79	6,015	702.54	4,601	631.08	53,029	898.89
June 1995								
State Agency	14,344	1,027.00	2,591	680.76	2,111	679.30	19,046	941.36
Public Schools	21,415	932.09	2,195	727.64	1,365	581.81	24,975	894.98
Other	5,449	624.82	885	582.23	905	460.00	7,239	599.01
Total	41,208	924.50	5,671	683.53	4,381	603.62	51,260	870.42
June 1994								
State Agency	13,358	978.80	2,437	653.45	2,016	694.36	17,811	902.09
Public Schools	21,020	890.92	2,106	712.10	1,352	673.59	24,478	863.53
Other	5,239	595.98	824	569.61	867	408.57	6,930	569.40
Total	39,617	881.55	5,367	663.59	4,235	629.22	49,219	836.07
June 1993								
State Agency	12,354	927.58	2,298	626.97	1,902	677.93	16,554	857.16
Public Schools	19,948	855.15	1,959	678.02	1,199	577.80	23,106	825.74
Other	4,792	570.47	769	530.24	790	405.99	6,351	545.14
Total	37,094	842.49	5,026	632.07	3,891	591.86	46,011	798.31
June 1992	,		-,0		-,		. = / =	
State Agency	11,746	874.67	2,159	598.15	1,790	631.39	15,695	808.88
Public Schools	19,322	811.84	1,872	643.06	1,105	550.40	22,299	784.72
Other	4,501	535.34	722	529.32	760	410.75	5,983	518.78
Total	35,569	797.60	4,753	605.38	3,655	561.02	43,977	757.16
iotai	33,307	171.00	4,133	003.30	3,033	301.02	7J,711	737.10

Police Officers Retirement System Distribution of Retiree Population and Average Benefit

	Service I	Retirees	Disability	Retirees	Benefic	iaries	6	Tot	al
	Number	Average Monthly Benefit	Number	Average Monthly Benefit	Number	Mo	erage onthly enefit	Number	Average Monthly Benefit
June 2001	4,988	\$ 1,244.38	1,021	\$ 1,193.53	843	\$	726.00	6,852	\$ 1,173.03
June 2000	4,518	1,212.72	931	1,153.23	788		700.55	6,237	1,139.14
June 1999	4,193	1,194.00	879	1,111.40	767		677.55	5,839	1,113.73
June 1998	3,921	1,174.01	840	1,077.90	732		672.39	5,493	1,092.47
June 1997	3,693	1,142.39	761	1,015.09	691		654.81	5,145	1,058.08
June 1996	3,474	1,110.57	666	984.61	664		663.50	4,804	1,031.31
June 1995	3,252	1,093.29	614	967.12	610		652.71	4,476	1,015.94
June 1994	2,927	1,051.19	561	936.23	545		602.30	4,033	974.54
June 1993	2,605	994.66	520	910.67	524		610.68	3,649	927.55
June 1992	2,414	931.80	484	877.30	487		561.13	3,385	870.68

Note: Due to the small population size of the GARS and JSRS, presentations for these Systems are not shown. Statistics were generated from initial processing of data and may vary slightly from final information submitted to the Actuary.

Participating Employers

Participating Employers Covered By Statute	<u>SCRS</u>	<u>PORS</u>
State Agencies & Institutions of Higher Education		43
<u>NAME</u>	<u>SCRS</u>	<u>PORS</u>
Participating Employers Covered By Separate Agreement	528	253
Abbeville County		
City of Abbeville		
Town of Due West		
Donalds-Due West Water & Sewer Authority	☑	
Town of Calhoun Falls	☑	
City of North Augusta	☑	
Aiken County		
Aiken-Bamberg-Barnwell-Edgefield Regional Library Board	☑	
City of New Ellenton	☑	
Beech Island Rural Community Water District		
Town of Wagener		
Housing Authority of the City of Aiken		
Three Rivers Solid Waste Authority		
Town of Jackson		
Town of Monetta		
Lower Savannah Council of Government		
Commission of Public Works, New Ellenton		
Valley Public Service Authority		
Aiken County Commission on Alcohol and Drug Abuse		
Allendale County		☑
Allendale-Hampton Jasper Regional Library		
Town of Allendale		☑
Allendale County Office on Aging		<u> </u>
Town of Fairfax		
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Town of Honea Path		☑
Anderson County		✓
Anderson County Library Board		
Town of Williamston		
Anderson County Commission on Alcohol and Drug Abuse		
Town of Pendleton		✓
Belton-Honea Path Water Authority		
Homeland Park Water District		_
Town of West Pelzer		✓
Broadway Water and Sewer District		
Starr-Iva Water Company		
Town of Pelzer		
Anderson County Disabilities & Special Needs Board		
Sandy Springs Water Company		
Pendleton District Historical and Recreation Commission	☑	

<u>NAME</u>	<u>SCRS</u>	PORS
City of Belton	. 🗹	\checkmark
Bamberg County		\checkmark
City of Bamberg		$\overline{\checkmark}$
Bamberg County Office on Aging		
City of Denmark		
Town of Olar		
Bamberg County Disabilities & Special Needs Board		
Town of Ehrhardt		$\overline{\mathbf{V}}$
Bamberg Board of Public Works		
Town of Williston		
Barnwell County		V
City of Barnwell		ت ت
Axis I Center of Barnwell		
Town of Elko		
Generations Unlimited		
Allendale-Barnwell County Disabilities & Special Needs Board		
Town of Blackville		
Town of Snelling		
Beaufort County		☑
City of Beaufort		
Beaufort-Jasper County Water Authority		
Beaufort Memorial Hospital	. ☑	
South Island Public Service District		
Lowcountry Regional Transportation Authority		_
Bluffton Township Fire District		✓
Town of Port Royal		
Fripp Island Public Service District		
Berkeley County		$\overline{\checkmark}$
City of Hanahan		$\overline{\checkmark}$
Berkeley County Water and Sewer Authority		
Town of St. Stephen		$\overline{\checkmark}$
Moncks Corner Water Works Commission		
Town of Moncks Corner		$\overline{\checkmark}$
Town of Jamestown		$\overline{\checkmark}$
The Ernest E. Kennedy Center	. 🗹	
Berkeley Charleston Dorchester RTMA	. 🗹	
Calhoun County	. 🗹	\checkmark
Town of St. Matthews	. 🗹	$\overline{\checkmark}$
Town of Cameron	. 🗹	$\overline{\checkmark}$
Calhoun County Disabilities & Special Needs Board	. 🗹	
Calhoun County Council on Aging		
Upper Calhoun Rural Water District		
Charleston County		$\overline{\checkmark}$
Charleston Commissioners of Public Works		
Charleston County Library		
Charleston Memorial Hospital		
City of Charleston		
Town of Mt. Pleasant		$\overline{\checkmark}$
Mt. Pleasant Water and Sewer Commission		

Town of Sullivans Island	<u>NAME</u>	<u>SCRS</u>	<u>PORS</u>
James Island Public Service District Commission	Town of Sullivans Island	☑	
Charleston County Park and Recreation Commission	St. Andrews Public Service District Commission	☑	
City of North Charleston Ø Charleston County Airport District Ø North Charleston Sewer District Ø Housing Authority of the City of North Charleston Ø City of Isle of Palms Ø St. Andrews Parish Parks and Playgrounds Ø Town of Ravenel Ø Town of Lincolnville Ø Town of Lincolnville Ø Isle of Palms Water and Sewer Commission Ø Charleston County Housing and Redevelopment Authority Ø Town of Hollywood Ø St. Paul's Fire District Ø Charleston Naval Complex Redevelopment Ø Town of Seabrook Island Ø Town of Seabrook Island Ø Town of Kiawah Island Ø Lowcountry Regional EMS Council Ø Gaffney Board of Public Works Ø Cherockee County Ø Cherockee County Ø Cherokee County Public Library Ø Cherokee County County Disabilities & Special Needs Board Ø Cherokee County Disabilities & Special Needs Board	James Island Public Service District Commission	☑	
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Chesterfield County	Town of Cheraw	☑	
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Town of McBee		
Chesterfield County Disability & Special Needs Board		
Chesterfield Soil and Water Conservation District	☑	
Town of Jefferson	☑	
Mt. Croghan	☑	
Chesterfield County Rural Water Company, Inc.	☑	
Clarendon County		
City of Manning		
Harvin Clarendon County Library		
Town of Summerton		
Town of Turbeville		
Clarendon County Commission on Alcohol & Drug Abuse		
Clarendon County Disabilities & Special Needs Board		
Colleton County	<u> </u>	$\overline{\mathbf{A}}$
City of Walterboro		_ ☑
Colleton County Disabilities & Special Needs Board		_
Town of Edisto Beach		☑
Darlington County		☑
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Darlington County Community Action Agency		
Darlington County Community Action Agency		
Darlington Court Library		
City of Hartsville		✓
Rubicon		
City of Darlington		✓
Hartsville Community Center Building Commission	☑	
Darlington County Water and Sewer Commission		
Darlington County Disabilities & Special Needs Board		
Housing Authority of Darlington		
Darlington County Soil & Water Conservation District		
Dillon County		☑
City of Dillon		$\overline{\mathbf{A}}$
Dillon County Employment and Training Programs		
Town of Latta		
Town of Lake View	☑	
Town of St. George	☑	
Dorchester County		
St. George Water and Sewer Department		
Dorchester County Library	☑	
Summerville Commission of Public Works	☑	
Town of Summerville	☑	
Dorchester County Commission on Alcohol and Drug Abuse	☑	
Dorchester County Board of Disabilities & Special Needs	☑	
Town of Ridgeville	☑	
Defender Corporation for Dorchester County		
Town of Harleyville		
Edgefield County Water & Sewer Authority		
Edgefield County		
Town of Trenton		$\overline{\checkmark}$
Town of Edgefield		$\overline{\checkmark}$
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<u>NAME</u>	<u>SCRS</u>	PORS
Town of Johnston	. 🗹	\checkmark
Town of Winnsboro	. 🗹	\checkmark
Fairfield County	. 🗹	\checkmark
Fairfield County Library		
Fairfield County Memorial Hospital		
Fairfield County Substance Abuse Commission		
Fairfield County Council on Aging		
Town of Ridgeway		$\overline{\checkmark}$
City of Florence		$\overline{\checkmark}$
Florence County		
Building Commission of the City and County of Florence		
Town of Pamplico		
Town of Olanta		
Pee Dee Regional Transportation Authority		
Town of Scranton		
Florence County Commission on Alcohol and Drug Abuse		_
Town of Coward		
The Pee Dee Tourism Commission		
Florence County Disabilities and Special Needs Board		
Pee Dee Regional Council of Governments		
Town of Timmonsville		V
City of Lake City		☑
Johnsonville Rural Fire District		∀
Lake City Development Corporation		Ľ
City of Johnsonville		
Florence Regional Airport		
Housing Authority of Florence		[7
City of Georgetown		☑
Georgetown County		V
Rural Community Water District of Georgetown County		
Georgetown County Water and Sewer District		
Georgetown County Disabilities & Special Needs Board		
Georgetown Soil and Water Conservation District		
Georgetown County Alcohol and Drug Abuse Commission		
Greenville Commission of Public Works		_
City of Greenville		✓
Greer Commission of Public Works		
Greenville County Library		
Greenville County		
Western Carolina Regional Sewer Authority		
Parker Sewer and Fire Subdistrict		
City of Greer		
Greenville-Spartanburg Airport District		
Donaldson Development Commission Donaldson Center		
The Grady Hipp Nursing Center	. 🗹	
Greater Greenville Sanitation Commission	. 🗹	
Defender Corporation of Greenville County		
Greenville County Disabilities & Special Needs Board		
Berea Public Service District Commission	. 🗹	

<u>NAME</u>	<u>SCRS</u>	PORS
City of Mauldin	. 🗹	\checkmark
Gantt Fire Sewer and Police District	. 🗹	$ \mathbf{\nabla}$
Greenville County Recreation District	. 🗹	
Greenville County Commission on Alcohol-Drug Abuse	. 🗹	
Belmont Fire and Sanitation District Commission		$ \mathbf{\nabla}$
Wade Hampton Fire and Sewer District	. 🗹	
Greenville Airport Commission	. 🗹	
Greenville County Museum Commission	. 🗹	
City of Fountain Inn	. 🗹	\checkmark
City of Travelers Rest		\checkmark
Metropolitan Sewer Sub-District		
Donaldson Fire Service Area		
South Greenville Area Fire District	. 🗹	
Greenville Redevelopment Authority		
Duncan Chapel Fire District		
SC Appalachian Council of Governments		
Lake Cunningham Fire District		\checkmark
City of Simpsonville		\checkmark
Greenwood Commissioners of Public Works		
City of Greenwood		$\overline{\checkmark}$
Greenwood County		$\overline{\checkmark}$
Abbeville-Greenwood Regional Library Board		
Greenwood Metropolitan District Commission		
Housing Authority of the City of Greenwood		
Emerald Multi-County Board for Disabilities & Special Needs		
Old Ninety Six Tourism Commission		
Town of Ware Shoals	. 🗹	$\overline{\checkmark}$
Upper Savannah Council of Governments		
Hampton County		$\overline{\checkmark}$
Commission of Public Works Municipal Utilities		
Gleams Human Resources Commission		
Town of Varnville		
Town of Brunson		
Hampton County Disabilities & Special Needs Board		
Lowcountry Council of Governments		
Defender Corporation of Allendale, Hampton and Jasper		
Town of Estill		$\overline{\checkmark}$
Horry County		$\overline{\checkmark}$
City of Conway		$\overline{\checkmark}$
City of Myrtle Beach		$\overline{\checkmark}$
Town of Surfside Beach		<u> </u>
City of Loris		<u> </u>
Public Defender Corporation of Horry County		_
Grand Strand Water and Sewer Authority		
Housing Authority of the City of Conway		
Horry County Commission on Alcohol and Drug Abuse		
Horry Soil Conservation District		
Town of Atlantic Beach		
Town of Aynor		
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Waccamaw Economic Opportunity Council	☑	
Horry County Solid Waste Authority, Inc.		
Horry County Disabilities & Special Needs Board		
Jasper County		\checkmark
Town of Ridgeland	☑	
Jasper County Development Board		
Jasper County Board of Disabilities & Special Needs		
City of Hardeeville		
City of Camden & Municipal Utilities		
Kershaw County		
Lugoff Water District of Kershaw County		
Town of Elgin		
Town of Bethune		<u> </u>
Kershaw County Board of Disabilities and Special Needs		_
Kershaw County Commission on Alcohol & Drug Abuse		
Lancaster County		$\overline{\mathbf{V}}$
City of Lancaster		<u> </u>
Lancaster County Library		
Town of Heath Springs		
Lancaster County Water and Sewer District		
Lancaster County Disabilities & Special Needs Board		
Town of Kershaw	 [7]	V
Lancaster County Commission on Alcohol & Drug Abuse		
Lancaster County Natural Gas Authority		
Lancaster County Council on Aging		
City of Clinton		V
Laurens County		∀
Laurens Commissioners of Public Works		Ľ
Gateway Counseling Center		
Town of Gray Court		
Laurens County Disabilities & Special Needs Board		
Laurens County Water and Sewer Commission		☑
Lee County		∀
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Town of Bishopville	<u>v</u>	V
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Lexington County		☑
City of West Columbia		☑
City of West Columbia		V
Lexington Medical Center		
Town of Lexington		☑
Town of Batesburg-Leesville		✓
Recreation District Lexington County		
Irmo-Chapin Recreation District		
Town of Springdale		⊻
Town of Gaston		☑
Town of Pelion		\checkmark
Town of Swansea		-
Town of Chapin		⊻
Town of Irmo	⊻	$\overline{\checkmark}$

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South Carolina Midlands Emergency Medical Service Management Association	☑	
Gaston Rural Community Water District		
Lexington County Defender Agency, Inc.		
Lexington County Joint Municipal W&S Commission		
Town of Pine Ridge		
Lexington-Richland Alcohol & Drug Abuse Council		
Irmo Fire District		
Town of South Congaree		<u> </u>
Marion County		$\overline{\mathbf{Z}}$
City of Marion		☑
City of Mullins		☑
Marion County Library		_
Marion County Commission on Alcohol and Drug Abuse		
Town of Sellers		
Marlboro-Dillon County Disabilities & Special Needs Board		
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Town of Nichols		⊻
Marlboro County		☑
City of Bennettsville		\square
Marlboro County Commission on Alcohol and Drug Abuse		
Defender Corporation of Marlboro County		
Marlboro County Disabilities & Special Needs Board		_
Town of McColl		_
Town of Clio		✓
Town of McCormick		$\overline{\mathbf{A}}$
McCormick County		
McCormick Commission of Public Works		
McCormick County Water and Sewer Authority		
McCormick Health Care Center		
City of Newberry	☑	
Newberry County	☑	
Newberry-Saluda Regional Library	☑	
Clinton Newberry Natural Gas Authority		
Newberry County Nursing Home Commission	☑	
Housing Authority of City of Newberry	☑	
Town of Prosperity	☑	
Town of Little Mountain	☑	
Town of Whitmire	☑	
Whitmire Commission of Public Works		
Newberry County Water and Sewer Authority		
Town of Pomaria		
Newberry Disabilities & Special Needs Board		
Westview Behavioral Health Services		
Westminster Commissioners of Public Works		
Oconee County		$\overline{\mathbf{A}}$
City of Seneca		☑
Seneca Light and Water Plant		۳
City of Walhalla		☑
Town of Westminster		☑
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Oconee County Sewer Commission	[▼]	

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Town of West Union	. 🗹	\checkmark
Pioneer Rural Water District		
City of Orangeburg	. 🗹	\checkmark
Orangeburg Department of Public Utilities		
Orangeburg County		
Town of Branchville		$\overline{\checkmark}$
Town of Elloree		
Town of North		<u> </u>
Town of Livingston		_
Town of Norway		$\overline{\mathbf{A}}$
Town of Springfield		<u> </u>
Town of Bowman		_
Town of Santee		
Town of Vance		
Orangeburg County Disabilities & Special Needs Board		
Town of Cordova		
Santee Cooper Counties Promotion Commission		
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City of Easley		_
City of Liberty		☑
Pickens County Combined Utility System of Fooley		V
Combined Utility System of Easley		
City of Pickens		☑
Town of Central		
Pickens County Commission on Alcohol and Drug Abuse		
Housing Authority of the City of Easley		
City of Clemson		\checkmark
Town of Six Mile		
Town of Norris		
Easley Central Water District		
Pickens County Disabilities & Special Needs Board		
Southside Rural Community Water District		
Richland Memorial Hospital		
Richland County Public Library		_
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City of Columbia		☑
East Richland County Public Service District		
Recreation District and Recreation Commission of Richland County		
Richland-Lexington Airport District		\checkmark
City of Forest Acres		\checkmark
Columbia Museum of Art		
Town of Eastover		
Richland/Lexington Disabilities & Special Needs Board		
Riverbanks Park Commission		
Defender Corporation of Richland County		
Town of Saluda		
Saluda County		
Saluda Commission of Public Works		
Saluda County Commission on Alcohol and Drug Abuse	. 🗹	
Town of Ridge Spring	. 🗹	

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Town of Ward	☑	
Old Town Fire and Rescue Department	☑	
Saluda County Water & Sewer Authority		
Spartanburg Commissioners of Public Works		
Spartanburg Sanitary Sewer District		
Spartanburg County		
Spartanburg Regional Medical Center		
Spartanburg Public Library		
Liberty-Chesnee-Fingerville Water District		
Town of Woodruff		V
Woodruff Roebuck Water District	🖂	
Startex-Jackson-Wellford-Duncan Water District		
Town of Lyman		
Town of Wellford		<u>✓</u>
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Town of Chesnee		V
Inman-Campobello Water District		
Town of Cowpens		☑
Town of Landrum		☑
Town of Pacolet		☑
Town of Campobello		☑
City of Inman		☑
Housing Authority of Town of Woodruff		
North Spartanburg Area Fire & Rescue District		
Town of Duncan		
City of Spartanburg	☑	
Glendale Fire District	☑	
Metropolitan Subdistrict Water & Sewer	☑	
Hilltop Fire District	☑	$\overline{\checkmark}$
Westview Fairforest Fire Department	☑	$\overline{\checkmark}$
City of Sumter	☑	
Sumter County	☑	
Sumter County Library		
Housing Authority of City of Sumter	☑	
Santee-Lynches Council for Governments		
Sumter County Commission on Alcohol and Drug Abuse		
Town of Mayesville		
Town of Pinewood		
Santee-Wateree Regional Transportation Authority		
Sumter County Disabilities & Special Needs Board		
Sumter Conservation District		
Union County		$\overline{\checkmark}$
City of Union		✓
Union Carnegie Library		_
Town of Jonesville		$\overline{\mathbf{A}}$
Union County Disabilities & Special Needs Board		
Housing Authority of City of Union		
Union County Development Board		
Town of Carlisle		
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Union County Council on Aging		

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Williamsburg County	☑	
Town of Kingstree	☑	
Williamsburg County Recreation Commission	☑	
Williamsburg County Library	☑	
Williamsburg County Disabilities & Special Needs Board		
Town of Hemingway	☑	
City of Rock Hill		
York County	☑	
Town of Fort Mill	☑	\checkmark
York County Library		
Town of Clover		$\overline{\checkmark}$
City of York		$\overline{\mathbf{Q}}$
Housing Authority of Fort Mill		
Cultural & Heritage Commission of York County		
York County Disabilities & Special Needs Board		
City of Tega Cay		
Catawba Regional Planning Council	<u> </u>	_
Town of Smyrna		
York County Convention and Visitors Bureau		
Catawba Area Agency on Aging		
York County Council on Aging		
York Soil & Water Conservation District		
Municipal Association of South Carolina		
South Carolina Education Association		
South Carolina Employees' Association		
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South Carolina High School League		
Central Midlands Regional Planning Council		
South Carolina State Credit Union		
South Carolina State Firemens Association		
South Carolina Law Enforcement Officers Association		
Palmetto State Teachers Association		
South Carolina Association of Counties		_
South Carolina Sheriff's Association		$\overline{\checkmark}$
South Carolina Association of School Administrators		_
City of Aiken		✓
City of Anderson		✓
Anderson County Fire Protection Commission		✓
Town of Hilton Head Island		\square
City of Folly Beach		☑
Town of Bluffton		$\overline{\mathbf{Q}}$
St. Johns Fire District Commission		$\overline{\mathbf{Q}}$
Town of Andrews		
Piedmont Park Fire District		
Poplar Springs Fire Department		
Town of Sycamore		
Charleston Area Transportation	☑	
Town of Ruby		
Darlington Council On Aging	☑	

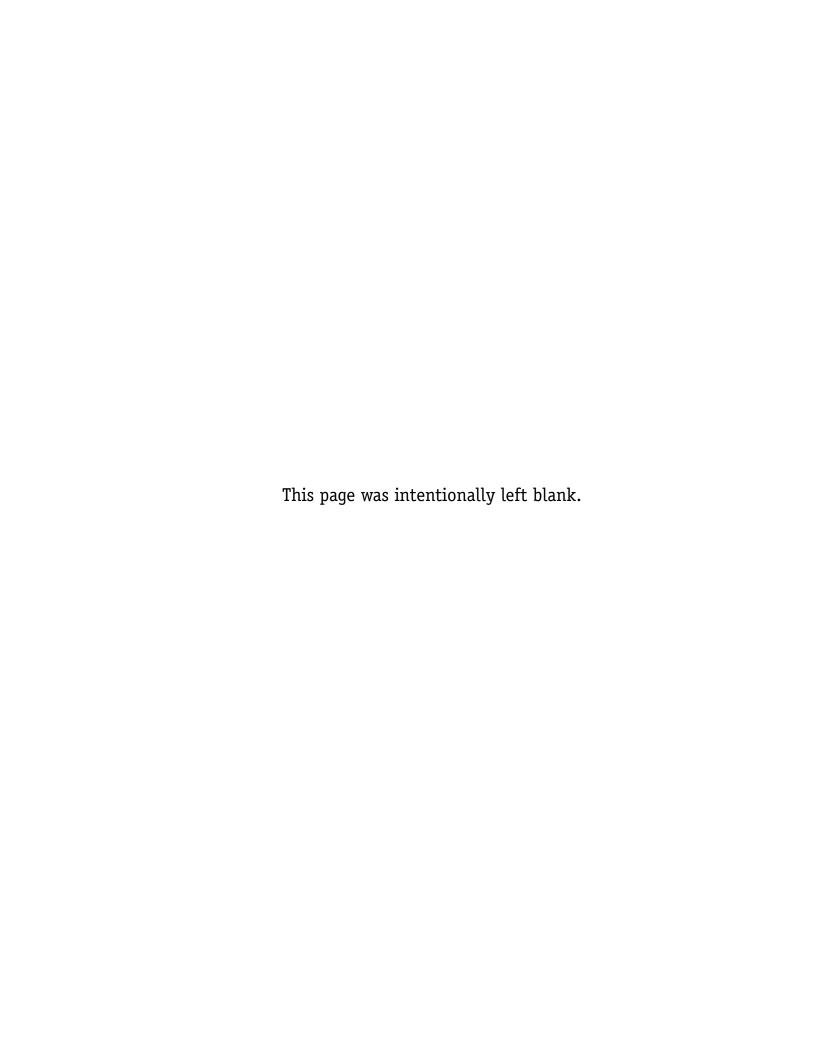
<u>NAME</u>	SCRS	PORS
Dorchester Human Development	☑	
Lancaster County Council on Aging	☑	
Boiling Springs Fire Department		$\overline{\checkmark}$
Town of Burnettown		$\overline{\checkmark}$
Burton Fire District		$\overline{\checkmark}$
Ladys Island - St. Helena Fire District		$\overline{\checkmark}$
Sheldon Township Fire Agency		$\overline{\checkmark}$
Daufuskie Island Fire District		$\overline{\checkmark}$
City of Goose Creek		$\overline{\checkmark}$
Berkeley County School District		$\overline{\checkmark}$
Charleston County School District		$\overline{\checkmark}$
Town of Cottageville		$\overline{\checkmark}$
Town of Lamar		
Town of Society Hill		$\overline{\checkmark}$
Old Fort Fire Control Board		
Dorchester School District Two		
Ashley River Fire District		
South Lynches Fire Department		
Murrells Inlet-Garden City Fire District		
Piedmont Public Service District		
Slater-Marietta Fire Department		$\overline{\mathbf{A}}$
Town of Ninety Six		$\overline{\mathbf{A}}$
Town of Hampton		
City of North Myrtle Beach		
Town of Briarcliffe Acres		
Lugoff Fire District		$\overline{\mathbf{A}}$
City of Laurens		$\overline{\mathbf{A}}$
McCormick County School District		
Town of Holly Hill		
Croft Fire District		
Pelham-Batesville Fire District		
Roebuck Fire Department		
Reidville Fire District		
Spartanburg County School District 5		$\overline{\checkmark}$
Una Fire Department		<u> </u>
Tyger River Fire District		<u> </u>
Town of Crookwillo		

South Carolina Retirement Systems' Mission Statement

The Mission of the South Carolina Retirement Systems is to administer a comprehensive program of retirement benefits responsive to the needs of public employees and to perform fiduciary duties as stewards of the contributions and disbursements of the pension trust funds.

South Carolina Retirement Systems' Vision Statement

To empower our employees to provide comprehensive service in a professional manner for our members, employers, and retirees through timely and accurate processing of payments, claims, inquiries, and other account information using effective and appropriate leading edge technology.



This year's Comprehensive Annual Financial Report acknowledges the sacrifices made by firefighters and police officers, and the dedication of a group of students in honoring the memory of those fallen heroes and providing hope for the future. The students of White Knoll Middle School in West Columbia, SC, raised more than the initial \$354,000 needed to replace a fire truck lost in the aftermath of the September 11, 2001, terrorist attacks. As of December 6, 2001, the children had raised \$520,000, all of which will be used to purchase and outfit a new fire truck for the Red Hook fire department in Brooklyn, NY. Red Hook lost seven of its firefighters at the World Trade Center site. As the White Knoll Middle School family honors the sacrifices made by New York's firefighters, the South Carolina Retirement Systems would like to express its appreciation for all firefighters and police officers, especially those in our state. We are honored to be the stewards of the pension funds for these courageous and committed heroes.

We extend our most sincere thanks to Dr. Nancy Turner, principal of White Knoll Middle School, for sharing this story and her personal photographs, and allowing us to share them with you.

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