

2025 Legislative Session | KPERS Bill Recap

Senate Bill 237: Using Retirement Accounts for Child Support

Where It's At



Quick Look

SB 237, as amended by Senate Committee, allows courts to consider KPERS accounts for the payment of child support arrearages.

Hearings

February 14 – Senate Judiciary Committee

February 17 – Passed Senate Committee as amended

March 6 – Passed Senate 40-0

March 17 – House Judiciary Committee

March 18 – Passed House Judiciary Committee

March 20 - Passed House 118-0

March 24 - Contents Amended into HB 2062

The Fine Print

If a KPERS member becomes delinquent in their child support payments, a court can order the use of the person's KPERS account to make a one-time payment toward the child support arrearage.

The payment is subject to a distributable event (retirement, withdrawal or death) allowed by the plan. This payment would result in an actuarial reduction to the member's lifetime benefit.

