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### Retirement Application Changes

We've modified the Retirement Application Packets!

- The Retirement Checklist has been changed to make it easier to read and understand.
- An Insurance Participation Election form was added to the SERS Pension Application Packets to ensure members understand their responsibilities and insurance options.

The completion, signature and date of this form is required.

### Furlough Days

We will send out another NewsFlash in the near future once all of the information about furlough days is resolved.

### Important Reminder

As a reminder from page three of the RC manual, "membership in the State Employees' Retirement System is automatic after a six-month qualifying period for most employees.

After the six-month qualifying period is completed, a membership record and beneficiary form will be mailed to the new SERS member. ***Please do not give these forms to a new employee at your agency!***