



Sen. Rupp Named to Joint Committee on Public Employee Retirement

JEFFERSON CITY — Sen. Scott T. Rupp, R-Wentzville, has been named to serve on the Joint Committee on Public Employee Retirement (JCPER), a committee of six Senate and six House members responsible for review and oversight of the state’s public employee retirement system.

“I’m proud to have been chosen for this important assignment that affects so many of our hard-working public servants,” said Sen. Rupp. “The work this committee does affects the lives of so many of our workers and impacts our abilities to recruit and retain the best public employee pool in the country.”

First created in 1983, the JCPER is a permanent committee that conducts oversight of Missouri’s 118 public pension plans comprising more than 291,000 active employees and 190,000 benefit recipients and totaling more than \$50 billion in plan assets. The JCPER provides assistance to the Missouri General Assembly and local political subdivisions through analysis of pension-related legislation and any associated financial impact. More information on Missouri’s public plans is on the JCPER website at <http://www.jcper.org/>.

“I appreciate this chance to serve those who serve this state,” said Sen. Rupp. “We’re proud of our public employees’ work, and I want to make sure they and their families are properly rewarded after their work is done.”

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