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DATE: July 30, 2012

PAYROLL LETTER #12-011

TO: All Agencies/Campuses in the Uniform State Payroll System

FROM: Lisa Crowe, Chief
Personnel and Payroll Services Division (PPSD)

RE: 1959 SURVIVOR BENEFIT PROGRAM, 5TH LEVEL DEDUCTION

On May 16, 2012, the CalPERS Board of Administration approved the required premiums for the State 5th Level pool of the 1959 Survivor Benefit Program.

The approved 2012/2013 state employee and employer premium rates will remain at the current rate of \$5.45 each, per member, per month.

The Survivors Benefit is identified in the legacy payroll system as deduction codes 077 and 078. The deduction code 077 amount is \$2.00 and the deduction code 078 amount is \$3.45.

The Survivors Benefit is identified in the MyCalPAYS system as wage type 5260. The Benefit Option 2 for Survivors is for the full amount of \$5.45.

For further information, please reference the CalPERS Circular Letter No. 200-025-12 dated June 15, 2012. If you have questions concerning this letter, please contact the Customer Contact Center at (916) 372-7200.

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