

Mandate Review Request #2012040010

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Name of Local Government: Pelham Union Free School District
Type of Local Government: School District
County: Westchester

Name of Mandate: Tiers 3 & 4 Contributions After 10 Years

Type of Mandate: Statute

Citation for Mandate: N.Y. Const. art. 5, § 7

Description of Mandate: To restore 3% TRS and ERS employee contribution requirements for employees with over 10 years service.

Recommended Change: Revoke the applicable section of the 2000 pension enhancement legislation.

Estimated Savings from the Recommended Change to the Local Government: The suspension of this contribution has artificially inflated the cost of pension contributions to local municipalities while a

Estimated Statewide Savings from the Recommended Change: Unknown.

Description of Methodology Used in Estimating Savings: Based upon ERS and TRS cost estimates in determining ongoing and future percentages to support the cost of operating these two retirement systems.