74-4927b. Insured death and disability benefits and accidental death benefit for certain employees of educational institutions under state board of education; employer's contribution; file of beneficiaries. (1) For the purposes of providing the "insured death benefit" and "insured disability benefit" as prescribed in K.S.A. 74-4927, and amendments thereto, and for the purposes of providing the "accidental death benefit" as prescribed in subsection (2) of K.S.A. 74-4916, and amendments thereto, to those members of the faculty and other persons employed by educational institutions under the management of the state board of education who are receiving assistance in the purchase of retirement annuities as provided in K.S.A. 74-4925, and amendments thereto, the term "member" as used in subsection (2) of K.S.A. 74-4916, and amendments thereto, and in K.S.A. 74-4927, and amendments thereto, shall include the aforementioned members of the faculty and other persons employed by educational institutions under the management of the state board of education and who are receiving such assistance.

- (2) Each institution under the state board of education furnishing such assistance shall pay to the Kansas public employees retirement system in such manner as the board of trustees shall prescribe each payroll period an amount sufficient to pay the employer's contribution to the group insurance reserve as provided in K.S.A. 74-4927, and amendments thereto, and an amount sufficient to pay the amount of the employer's contribution attributable to the accidental death benefit as prescribed in subsection (2) of K.S.A. 74-4916, and amendments thereto. Subsection (2) of K.S.A. 74-4932, and amendments thereto, shall also apply in determining such contributions and benefits.
- (3) Each such institution under the state board of education shall maintain a file of the beneficiaries named by the persons covered under the provisions of this act in the form and manner as prescribed by the board of trustees.
- (4) In the event that a member of the faculty or other person as herein defined becomes eligible for the insured disability benefit, the respective educational institutions under the board of education hereinbefore described shall continue to provide the assistance including the payment of employers and employees contributions in the purchase of the retirement annuities provided in K.S.A. 74-4925, and amendments thereto, until the date of retirement.

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