

## RETIREMENT BOARD POLICY AND REFERENCE MANUAL

SUBJECT: REEXAMINATION OF

**DISABILITY RETIREE UNDER** 

THE MINIMUM RETIREMENT AGE FOR FITNESS FOR DUTY

Section: 2-17

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SYSTEM(S): JOINT

Approved:

Retirement Administra

## **PURPOSE**

Pursuant to Municipal Code Sections 3-337, 3-414 and 3-548, the Retirement Boards may require a disability retiree who is under the minimum retirement age (age 50 for Fire and Police System and age 55 for the Employees System) to submit to a medical examination in order to determine whether the retiree continues to be incapacitated from the performance of the duties of the job from which the member retired.

## **POLICY**

It is the policy of the Retirement Boards to medically reexamine any disability retiree under the minimum retirement age of the System should information come to the Board's attention indicating that the retiree may no longer be disabled and is capable of performing his or her prior job duties with the City.

## Procedure:

If information comes to the attention of the Retirement Board or staff, the Board will consider whether a reexamination needs to the performed. If so directed by the Board, staff will contact the retiree and the Board's Medical Advisor who will schedule an appropriate exam and report the results to the Boards for consideration.

The follow up examination will be at Board expense and failure of the retiree to keep the established appointment for examination (except in emergency situations) may result in immediate cancellation of the retiree's disability benefit in accordance with Sections 3-337, 3-414 and 3-548 of the code.

Adopted 11/05/2003

<sup>2</sup> Annual Review, administrative changes, adopted 8/13/2008.