

## LIAISON MEMORANDUM NUMBER 11-09

**To:** Agency Liaison and Payroll Officers

**From:** Cindy Rougeou  
Executive Director

**Re:** Applying for Disability

**Date:** February 21, 2011

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As of January 1, 2011, the disability retirement application process has changed. Applicants must now select a retirement option at the time the disability application is completed and submitted to LASERS. Previously, a member chose an option once they were approved for disability.

It is suggested that each member contemplating disability retirement request an estimate from LASERS as to the benefit provided for the various options. This will ensure that a member is given the opportunity to make an informed decision. Once an option is chosen, and a member is retired, the option cannot be changed.

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