AN ACT TO AMEND TITLE 29 OF THE DELAWARE CODE RELATING TO THE STATE EMPLOYEES' PENSION PLAN.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE:

Section 1. Amend §5501(d), Title 29 of the Delaware Code by making insertions as shown by underlining and deletions as shown by strike through as follows:

(d) "Correction officer" shall mean an employee employed by the Department of Correction in a position responsible for supervising correctional officers inmates in secured facilities and/or classified with a correctional officer job title and authorized to receive hazardous duty level A-1 per the state merit rules authorized in § 5914 of this title.

Section 2. The provisions of this bill shall become effective January 1, 2016.

SYNOPSIS

This bill clarifies the definition of a Correction Officer in the State Employees’ Pension Plan by expanding the existing requirements from supervising inmates to supervising Correctional Officers in secure facilities and/or classified with a correctional officer job code.

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