

National 2021-2022 Legislative Agenda March 1, 2022 (updated)

<u>New York State Legislation</u>	Senate#	Sponsor	Assembly#	Sponsor
1- Health Ins. Protection (Retirees) Protects Benefits earned upon Retirement	S5030-22	Lanza		Weprin waiting fiscal note/number
2-Veteran's Supplementation (Retirees) ¼% per month up to 36 months (total 3%)	S5110A-22 in committee	Brooks	A6468 in assembly committee waiting for match	Barrett
3-COLA Enhancement Bills				
a) Reduces Eligibility age from 62 to 55 with 5 years' service	S6651B-22 in committee	Gounardes	A-Pending waiting fiscal note/number	Abbate
b) Five year additional (look-back) for older retirees	S6060C-22 in committee	Gounardes	A-Pending waiting fiscal note/number	Abbate
c) Increases the COLA from 50% to 100% of CPI (not to exceed 3%)	7b cost? not numbered	Gounardes	A-Pending	Abbate
d) Raises the maximum CPI from 3% to 5%	S6030C-22 in committee	Gounardes "	A-Pending waiting fiscal note/number	Abbate
e) Raises the Surviving Spouse COLA from 50% to 100%	S5631C-22 in committee	Gounardes	A-Pending waiting fiscal note/number	Abbate
f) Increases the CAP from \$18,000 to \$21,000	S6835B-22 in committee	Gounardes	A8226-22 waiting fiscal note/number Waiting for match	Steck
4-Form Temporary Task Force VSF	S2681-21	Addabbo	A3716-21	Gunther
5-Extend VSF to All NYC Police, Fire, Corrections	S5107 City 1 comm	Sanders	A-Pending	
6-Prohibits the diminution of Health Insurance Benefits to certain retired firefighters, police officers and their dependents	S5184 In senate committee	Sanders	A05108 passed assembly	Abbate

The above-captioned bills are being aggressively supported by the National. (Some bills have yet to be assigned numbers). As bills are revised, copies will be sent to Chapter Presidents. We have submitted *Memoranda of Support* for these bills. We are supporting any legislation which benefits our retirees and their families, and we will keep you up-dated.

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