

**65.154 "Employer", "employee" defined -- Spouse to acknowledge action in writing if not named as beneficiary by employee.**

- (1) KRS 344.030 notwithstanding, for the purposes of this section, "employer" shall mean the sponsor of and "employee" shall mean a member of a pension plan governed by the federal "Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974," and any member of a state pension plan or a pension plan of any unit of local government.
- (2) For any employee who elects not to take a joint and survivor annuity or who selects a beneficiary other than the spouse if living, the employer shall provide forms which provide for the spouse of the employee to acknowledge by signature such action.

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