{stdlongdate} Member ID: {stdMbrPERSLinkID}

{stdMbrFullName}

{stdMbrAdrCorStreet1}

{x stdMbrAdrCorStreet2}

{stdMbrAdrCorCity} {stdMbrAdrCorState} {stdMbrAdrCorZip}

**RE:**

Dear {stdMbrSalutation}:

This is to inform you that you have reached the salary threshold under section 401(a)(17) of the internal revenue code for the year {qu year}.

What this means is that no retirement contributions can be accepted by the North Dakota Public Employees Retirement System on salary you receive over and above the federally established amount for the remainder of {qu year}. This occurred effective with your {qu Payroll month and year} payroll. Therefore, while you will earn service credit for this time as long as you continue to be an eligible employee, there will be no retirement contributions made on your behalf. This will also preclude you from receiving PEP contributions for month(s) and no employer contributions are accepted. However, it will not impact your retiree health insurance credit or your service credit for retirement benefit calculation purposes.

This notice is informational only. No action is necessary on your part.

If you have any questions, please call NDPERS at {stdNDPERSPhoneNumber} or {stdNDPERSTollFreePhoneNumber}.

Sincerely,

NDPERS Benefits Division

C: Employer Payroll Contact