{stdlongdate} Member ID: {stdMbrPERSLinkID}

{stdMbrFullName}

{stdMbrAdrCorStreet1}

{x stdMbrAdrCorStreet2}

{stdMbrAdrCorCity} {stdMbrAdrCorState} {stdMbrAdrCorZip}

**RE: USERRA SERVICE GRANTED FOR VESTING & RULE**

Dear {stdMbrSalutation}:

NDPERS received verification of your interruption of covered employment with {OrgName}. The verification indicates that your interruption was due to activation in the military that is covered under the Uniformed Services Employment and Re-employment Rights Act (USERRA). Therefore, we have credited your vesting service credit account with {ProratedVSC} months of service to reflect your military service from {StartDate} to {EndDate}. As of your last retirement contribution, you have a total of {MemberTotalVSC} months of vesting service credit.

Please note that the vesting service credit account is used to determine your eligibility for benefits. This includes vesting and determining when you are entitled to unreduced benefits. The vesting service credit account is not used to determine the amount of your monthly benefit. In order for these months of service to be used in determining the amount of your monthly benefit, you would be required to pay any missed employee contributions required by the plan and USERRA. Please review information on the PERS website about this option.

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

Sincerely,

NDPERS Benefits Division