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# THE CENTRAL STATES PENSION FUND

## Economic Impact on Texas's 15th District

<p><b>339</b></p> <p><b>CENTRAL STATES PENSION FUND PARTICIPANTS IN DISTRICT</b></p> <p>Retired (167), active (37), and inactive (135) pension plan participants in the 15th District</p> <p>These participants rely on the strength of their multiemployer pension plan for their future retirement security.</p>	<p><b>6</b></p> <p><b>CENTRAL STATES PENSION FUND EMPLOYERS WITH EMPLOYEES IN DISTRICT</b></p> <p>Number of companies who employ participants residing in Texas's 15th District</p> <p>These employers provide the jobs that are the lifeline of the District's local economy. Bipartisan pension legislation would provide relief to these employers from increasing liabilities that are putting jobs at risk.</p>	<p><b>\$269,076</b></p> <p><b>CONTRIBUTIONS MADE ON CENTRAL STATES PENSION FUND PARTICIPANTS IN DISTRICT</b></p> <p>Plan contributions made on behalf of 15th District participants in 2020</p> <p>These contributions help ensure that Central States participants, including 15th District constituents, will have a hard earned pension in their retirement.</p>
<p><b>\$2,288,926</b></p> <p><b>ANNUAL BENEFITS PAID</b></p> <p>Total annual payments to pension beneficiaries in the 15th District</p> <p>Research shows that retirement benefits strengthen local businesses and economies by encouraging economic activity, leading to higher incomes for workers and more jobs created by local employers.</p>	<p><b>\$179,153</b></p> <p><b>ANNUAL IN-DISTRICT TAXES PAID</b></p> <p>Total annual federal tax payments made by retirees on their benefits</p> <p>On average, each retiree pays \$1,048 in federal tax revenue every year on their benefits.</p>	<p><b>\$57,049,315</b></p> <p><b>PENSIONS AT RISK</b></p> <p>Current pensions at risk in Texas's 15th District</p> <p>The loss of this retirement income to Texas's 15th District constituents may result in reduced economic activity in the district, weakened local businesses, lower incomes for workers and fewer jobs.</p>

Top Employers with Participants Residing in District: YRC INC / USF HOLLAND INC ABF FREIGHT SYSTEM INC ASSOCIATED WHOLESALE GROCERS INC ACTIVE USA LLC ERICKSON TRANSPORT JACK COOPER TRANSPORT COMPANY LLC

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