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THE BLENDED RETIREMENT SYSTEM: RESERVE COMPONENT

The Fiscal Year 2016 National Defense Authorization Act provides our military force with a modernized retirement plan built for retirement savings. Beginning in 2018, Reserve Component service members can get automatic and matching Thrifts Savings Plan contributions, a mid-career compensation incentive, and if they obtain 20 years of service, monthly retired pay for life starting at age 60.* All service members under the current system are grandfathered into today's retirement system.

RETIREMENT SYSTEM SELECTION FOR RESERVE COMPONENT MEMBERS

MORE THAN 4,320 RETIREMENT POINTS

remain under the
legacy plan

LESS THAN 4,320 RETIREMENT POINTS AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2017

Opt in to new BRS plan,
or stay in the legacy plan

NEW ACCESSIONS AFTER JANUARY 1, 2018

automatically enrolled
in the new BRS plan



You can find additional information at <http://militarypay.defense.gov>

Blended Retirement Sources: Fiscal Year 2016 National Defense Authorization Act, sections 631, 632, 634, and 635

