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VETO MESSAGE FROM THE
GOVERNOR OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
REGARDING SENATE BILL 70 OF THE 2026 REGULAR SESSION

I, Andy Beshear, Governor of the Commonwealth of Kentucky, pursuant to the authority granted under section 88 of the Kentucky Constitution, do hereby veto the following:

Senate Bill 70 of the 2026 Regular Session of the General Assembly in its entirety.

This bill claims to broaden the experience for appointees to the Public Pension Oversight Board, but in reality only adds more members of the General Assembly and allows a retired legislator to serve on a board that is already too large. My administration attempted to work with the bill sponsor to streamline the appointments to help the Board be more impactful. Those requests were ignored and responsibilities were shifted to another constitutional officer.

For these reasons, I am vetoing Senate Bill 70.

This, the 23rd day of April, 2026.

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Andy Beshear".

Andy Beshear
Governor