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Member Update July 26, 2022

PANJ is aware of possible significant rate increases for healthcare and prescription costs that are being considered by the State Health Benefits Commission. The proposed increase would not only affect active employees enrolled in the healthcare plans but would also affect retirees under the age of 65. The Division of Pensions and Benefits recently delayed a vote on the proposed increases due to more time needed to address questions and concerns.

PANJ will utilize all means necessary to oppose this increase. Members are suffering already with record inflation and cannot and should not have to assume unprecedented and record setting health care increases.

There has been significant outrage from legislative leaders, unions and other groups.

PANJ will continue to make it clear that we are opposed to such a drastic increase in healthcare costs.

In Solidarity,

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