

IPPFA BULLETIN

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The Coalition for Qualified Plan Status that was organized by the ***IPPFA*** and whose members include ***AFFI, IGFOA, ILFOP, IMTA, IPFA, IPPFA, and MAP*** who worked closely with Scott Brandt, Acting Chief Administrator of the Public Pension Division of the Department of Insurance was successful in acquiring a favorable decision by the IRS to issue determination letters for Downstate Police and Fire Pension Funds. Attached is a copy of the letter sent to Scott Brandt from the coalition's law firm Ice Miller. ([Click here for letter](#))

Thank you to the coalition and to all the funds that participated and made contributions to the coalition. For funds that did not make a contribution, there is still time to make a contribution to protect our pension plans.