



Attention State Employees



Your Pension is at Risk!

Maryland Governor Martin O'Malley has submitted a budget that calls for reducing the state's contribution to the employees' pension plan by \$100 million dollars a year!

That's not fair!

- The governor's proposal could result in reduced payments to retirees.
- The reduction of state contributions to the pension fund could trigger a demand for even greater employee contributions to the pension plan—perhaps as much as 9 percent.
- The reduction of the state's contribution to the pension fund could result in reduced Cost of Living Adjustment (COLA) payments to retirees.



**Join the
Maryland Professional Employees Council (MPEC) &
AFT-Healthcare—Maryland**

**February 18th
From 11:00 until 2:00 p.m.
Room L-1, 201 West Preston Street
Baltimore, Maryland**

You can't afford to miss this informative session on how you can fight to protect your pension and retirement security!