## §839.811

Wrong coverage is:	And retire- ment deduc- tions were	And you are corrected to	Then
(5) CSRS Offset	Not taken	CSRS	You may elect to have retirement deductions withheld from future salary.
(6) CSRS Offset	Not taken	FERS	<ul> <li>You may pay a deposit to OPM for past retirement deductions.</li> <li>Your retirement deductions for past service under FERS will be treated as an overpayment of salary.</li> </ul>
(7) FERS	Taken	CSRS or CSRS Offset.	You are considered to have elected retirement deductions as a re- employed annuitant under the corrected coverage.     Employer must pay any additional retirement deductions due for past service.

EMPLOYER RETIREMENT CONTRIBUTIONS

§ 839.811 Does my employer owe more money if I had a qualifying retirement coverage error and the employer retirement contributions for my new retirement plan are more than what was already paid?

Yes, your employer must pay any additional retirement contributions to the Fund.

§839.812 Will my employer get a refund if I had a qualifying retirement coverage error and the employer retirement contributions for my new retirement plan are less than what was already paid?

No, if you were erroneously in CSRS, CSRS Offset, or Social Security-Only, then a correction of a retirement coverage error will not reduce the employer retirement contribution owed. Also, the FERCCA states that an employer may not remove from the Fund FERS employer contributions when correcting a qualifying retirement coverage error under this part.

## RECORDS CORRECTION

## § 839.821 Who is responsible for correcting my records?

- (a) Your current employer will correct your records in accordance with OPM instructions. Your employer must not delay correcting your records.
- (b) For former employees and retirees, the last employer will correct the records. For survivors, the employee's last employer will correct the records. If an employer no longer exists as an

organization, and there is no successor agency, then OPM will correct the records.

§839.822 Which employer is responsible for submitting the employee and employer retirement deductions and contributions and correcting my records if I had different employers?

Your current or most recent employer will be responsible for this purpose. Even if that employer was not involved in the retirement coverage error, it must issue corrected records for the entire period of the retirement coverage error.

## Subpart I—Social Security Taxes

- § 839.901 When will my employer begin withholding Social Security taxes if I was erroneously in CSRS during my qualifying retirement coverage error and my corrected coverage will now require me to pay Social Security taxes?
- (a) If you are in CSRS by mistake and belong in CSRS Offset, FERS, or Social Security-Only, your employer must begin withholding Social Security taxes by changing your retirement coverage to CSRS Offset. Your employer must begin this withholding as soon as possible after the error is discovered.
- (b) Your employer will correct your retirement coverage back to the date the error first occurred once you are notified of the error and have an opportunity to make any elections that you are eligible to make.