

Sixty-second  
Legislative Assembly  
of North Dakota

## ENGROSSED SENATE BILL NO. 2344

Introduced by

Senator Christmann

1 A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 21-10-01 of the North Dakota Century Code,  
2 relating to the composition of the state investment board.

3 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:**

4 **SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Section 21-10-01 of the North Dakota Century Code is  
5 amended and reenacted as follows:

6 **21-10-01. State investment board - Membership - Term - Compensation - Advisory**  
7 **council.**

8 1. The North Dakota state investment board consists of the governor, the state treasurer,  
9 the commissioner of university and school lands, the director of workforce safety and  
10 insurance, the insurance commissioner, ~~three~~two members of the teachers' fund for  
11 retirement board or the board's designees who do not need ~~not to~~ be members of the  
12 fund as selected by that board, two of the elected members of the public employees  
13 retirement system board as selected by that board, and ~~one member of the public~~  
14 ~~employees retirement system board as selected by that board and~~ three~~two~~ members  
15 ~~selected by the governor. Of the three members selected by the governor, one must~~  
16 ~~be a member of the North Dakota bankers association or the independent community~~  
17 ~~banks of North Dakota and two must hold either a financial industry regulatory~~  
18 ~~authority series 7 registration or a North American securities administrators~~  
19 ~~association series 65 registration~~ One of the members selected by the governor must  
20 be chosen from a list of three candidates submitted by the North Dakota bankers  
21 association and the independent community banks of North Dakota. The other  
22 member selected by the governor must hold a financial industry regulatory authority  
23 series 7 registration or a higher level of registration and be chosen from a list of three  
24 candidates submitted by the North Dakota association for insurance and financial

1 advisers. The director of workforce safety and insurance may appoint a designee,  
2 subject to approval by the workforce safety and insurance board of directors, to attend  
3 the meetings, participate, and vote when the director is unable to attend. The teachers'  
4 fund for retirement board may appoint an alternate designee with full voting privileges  
5 to attend meetings of the state investment board when ~~athe~~ selected member is  
6 unable to attend. The public employees retirement system board may appoint an  
7 ~~alternate~~ designee with full voting privileges from the public employees retirement  
8 system board to attend meetings of the state investment board when ~~athe~~ selected  
9 member is unable to attend. A member of the state investment board who is appointed  
10 by the governor may designate an alternate with full voting privileges to attend  
11 meetings of the board if the member is unable to attend. The members of the state  
12 investment board, except elected and appointed officials and the director of workforce  
13 safety and insurance or the director's designee, are entitled to receive as  
14 compensation sixty-two dollars and fifty cents per day and necessary mileage and  
15 travel expenses as provided in sections 44-08-04 and 54-06-09 for attending meetings  
16 of the state investment board.

- 17 2. The state investment board may establish an advisory council composed of individuals  
18 who are experienced and knowledgeable in the field of investments. The state  
19 investment board shall determine the responsibilities of the advisory council. Members  
20 of the advisory council are entitled to receive the same compensation as provided the  
21 members of the advisory board of the Bank of North Dakota and necessary mileage  
22 and travel expenses as provided in sections 44-08-04 and 54-06-09.