

**FIRST ENGROSSMENT  
with House Amendments  
ENGROSSED SENATE BILL NO. 2223**

Introduced by

Senators Meyer, Burckhard, Kreun

Representatives Hagert, Heinert, M. Ruby

1 A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 15.1-08-02 of the North Dakota Century Code,  
2 relating to the residency requirement for military installation school board members; and to  
3 declare an emergency.

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

5 **SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Section 15.1-08-02 of the North Dakota Century Code is  
6 amended and reenacted as follows:

7 **15.1-08-02. Military installation - School board members - Terms of office -**  
8 **Qualifications - Vacancies.**

9 The board of a school district formed under this chapter consists of five members. The  
10 superintendent of public instruction shall adopt rules providing appointment procedures. The  
11 superintendent, after consultation with the base commander and with the approval of the state  
12 board of public school education, shall appoint board members in April of each year. The A  
13 board membersmember must reside onbe an active member or spouse of an active member of  
14 the military installation, or a retired member or spouse of a retired member of the military  
15 installation whose permanent residence is located within the state and is no greater than twenty  
16 miles from the military installation. An individual who serves on the board of a school district in  
17 the district where they reside may not simultaneously be appointed to the board of a military  
18 installation. The school board members shall serve three-year terms except that the  
19 superintendent of public instruction shall designate two of the members initially appointed to  
20 serve two-year terms and two of the members initially appointed to serve one-year terms. If a  
21 vacancy occurs, the school board shall appoint an individual to serve for the remainder of the  
22 unexpired term.

23 **SECTION 2. EMERGENCY.** This Act is declared to be an emergency measure.