Sixty-eighth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota

## **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.

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

- 4 **SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Section 15.1-08-02 of the North Dakota Century Code is
- 5 amended and reenacted as follows:
- 6 15.1-08-02. Military installation School board members Terms of office -
- 7 Qualifications Vacancies.
- 8 The board of a school district formed under this chapter consists of five members. The
- 9 superintendent of public instruction shall adopt rules providing appointment procedures. The
- 10 superintendent, after consultation with the base commander and with the approval of the state
- 11 board of public school education, shall appoint board members in April of each year. The A
- 12 board members member must reside on be an active member or spouse of an active member of
- the military installation, or a retired member or spouse of a retired member of the military
- 14 installation whose permanent residence is located within the state and is no greater than twenty
- 15 <u>miles from the military installation</u>. The school board members shall serve three-year terms
- 16 except that the superintendent of public instruction shall designate two of the members initially
- 17 appointed to serve two-year terms and two of the members initially appointed to serve one-year
- terms. If a vacancy occurs, the school board shall appoint an individual to serve for the
- 19 remainder of the unexpired term.