

SECOND REGULAR SESSION

[PERFECTED]

# HOUSE BILL NO. 1368

## 94TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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INTRODUCED BY REPRESENTATIVE THOMSON.

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Reported from the Committee on Rules February 27, 2008 with recommendation that the bill Do Pass by Consent with no time limit for debate.

Perfectured by Consent March 5, 2008.

D. ADAM CRUMBLISS, Chief Clerk

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## AN ACT

To repeal section 174.332, RSMo, and to enact in lieu thereof one new section relating to Northwest Missouri State University.

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*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the state of Missouri, as follows:*

Section A. Section 174.332, RSMo, is repealed and one new section enacted in lieu  
2 thereof, to be known as section 174.332, to read as follows:

174.332. **1.** Notwithstanding the provisions of section 174.050 to the contrary, the board  
2 of regents of Northwest Missouri State University shall be composed of nine members, [six of  
3 whom shall reside in the district in which the university is situated with at least one member of  
4 the board being a resident of Nodaway County and two additional members selected from any  
5 of the seven college districts as contained in section 174.010, provided that no more than one  
6 member be appointed from the same congressional district, one of which shall serve a term of  
7 three years and one of which shall serve a term of six years. All subsequent members appointed

EXPLANATION — Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in the above bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted from the law. Matter in **bold-face** type in the above bill is proposed language.

8 shall serve a term of six years pursuant to the provisions of section 174.070] **eight of whom**  
9 **shall be voting members and one who shall be a nonvoting member. Not more than four**  
10 **voting members shall belong to any one political party. The appointed members of the**  
11 **board serving on August 28, 2008, shall continue to serve until the expiration of the terms**  
12 **for which the appointed members were appointed and until such time a successor is duly**  
13 **appointed.**

14 **2. The board of regents shall be appointed as follows:**

15 **(1) Six voting members shall be residents of the university's historic statutory**  
16 **service region, as described in section 174.010 and modified by section 174.250, provided**  
17 **at least one member shall be a resident of Nodaway County;**

18 **(2) Two voting members shall be residents of a county in the state that is outside**  
19 **the university's historic statutory service region, as described in section 174.010 and**  
20 **modified by section 174.250, provided these two members shall not be appointed from the**  
21 **same congressional district; and**

22 **(3) One nonvoting member shall be a full-time student of the university, a United**  
23 **States citizen, and a resident of Missouri.**

24 **3. A majority of the voting members of the board shall constitute a quorum for the**  
25 **transaction of business; however, no appropriation of money nor any contract that shall**  
26 **require any appropriation or disbursement of money shall be made, nor teacher employed**  
27 **or dismissed, unless a majority of the voting members of the board vote for the same.**

28 **4. Except as specifically provided in this section, the appointments and terms of**  
29 **office for the voting and nonvoting members of the board, and all other duties and**  
30 **responsibilities of the board, shall comply with the provisions of state law regarding boards**  
31 **of regents.**

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