

HB 1368 -- NORTHWEST MISSOURI STATE UNIVERSITY BOARD OF REGENTS

Currently, the board of regents for Northwest Missouri State University (NMSU) is composed of nine members. This bill clarifies that eight members are voting members and one student member is nonvoting. No more than four voting members can belong to any one political party. Six of the voting members must be residents of the university's historic statutory service region with one of them residing in Nodaway County. The other two voting members must live outside the service region and in different Congressional districts. The regents in office on August 28, 2008, will continue to serve the terms of their original appointments. A majority of voting members is required for the appropriation or disbursement of money and for the employment or dismissal of teachers. The board of regents of NMSU must continue to comply with all other current provisions of law regarding boards of regents.