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TERRY L. SPIELER, Secretary.

AN ACT

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

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Section A. Section 174.332, RSMo, is repealed and one new section 2 enacted in lieu thereof, to be known as section 174.332, to read as follows:

174.332. 1. Notwithstanding the provisions of section 174.050 to the

2 contrary, the board of regents of Northwest Missouri State University shall be

3 composed of nine members, eight of whom shall be voting members and one who

4 shall be a nonvoting member. Not more than four voting members shall belong

5 to any one political party. Not more than two voting members shall be

6 residents of the same county. The appointed members of the board serving

on August 28, 2008, shall continue to serve until the expiration of the terms for

8 which the appointed members were appointed and until such time a successor is

9 duly appointed.

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

11 (1) Six voting members shall be residents of the university's historic

12 statutory service region, as described in section 174.010 and modified by section

13 174.250, provided at least one member shall be a resident of Nodaway County;

14 (2) Two voting members shall be residents of a county in the state that

 $15 \quad \text{is outside the university's historic statutory service region, as described in section} \\$

16 174.010 and modified by section 174.250, provided these two members shall not

17 be appointed from the same congressional district; and

18 (3) One nonvoting member shall be a full-time student of the university,

19 a United States citizen, and a resident of Missouri.

3. A majority of the voting members of the board shall constitute a

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

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

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