

HOUSE BILL NO. HB0194

School facilities commission-membership.

Sponsored by: Representative(s) Hastert, Bagby, Berger, Cooper, Harvey, Martin, Petersen, Powers and Thompson and Senator(s) Boggs, Caller and Northrup

A BILL

for

1 AN ACT relating to the school facilities commission;  
2 modifying commission membership and appointments as  
3 specified; providing for initial appointments and  
4 terminating terms of existing appointments; and providing  
5 for an effective date.

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7 *Be It Enacted by the Legislature of the State of Wyoming:*

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9 **Section 1.** W.S. 21-15-113(a) is amended to read:

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11 **21-15-113. School facilities commission; membership;**  
12 **conflict of interest; terms; chairman; meetings;**  
13 **compensation.**

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1 (a) The school facilities commission is established  
2 to consist of ~~seven (7)~~ eight (8) members ~~comprised of~~  
3 including the state superintendent of public instruction  
4 ~~and six (6) members~~ as an ex officio member and seven (7)  
5 members who are Wyoming residents appointed ~~as follows:~~  
6 from each appointment district pursuant to W.S. 9-1-218.

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8 ~~(i) By the governor:~~

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10 ~~(A) One (1) member of the state board of~~  
11 ~~education;~~

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13 ~~(B) Three (3) members who shall have~~  
14 ~~knowledge and experience in the following areas, with each~~  
15 ~~appointment representing one (1) specified area of~~  
16 ~~expertise;~~

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18 ~~(I) Five (5) of the commissioners shall~~  
19 ~~be appointed by the governor and if deemed necessary, shall~~  
20 ~~have knowledge or experience in~~ building and facility  
21 engineering, construction and operations, ~~;~~

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23 ~~(II) b~~uilding design and  
24 specifications;

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~~(III)~~ and estimating, bidding and building construction.

~~(ii)~~ The remaining two (2) appointments shall be made by the state superintendent of public instruction, ~~two (2) members who~~ from remaining appointment districts and shall if deemed necessary, have knowledge and experience in ~~the following areas, with each appointment representing one (1) specified area of expertise:~~

~~(A)~~ school facilities planning and management; and

~~(B)~~ the state educational program for public schools as required by law.

## **Section 2.**

(a) Notwithstanding W.S. 21-15-113, terms of school facilities commission members appointed under W.S. 21-15-113 prior to the effective date of this act shall terminate effective May 31, 2004.

1           (b) Notwithstanding W.S. 21-15-113 as amended under  
2 section 1 of this act, the terms of initial appointments to  
3 the school facilities commission as modified under this act  
4 shall commence on June 1, 2004, with three (3) of the seven  
5 (7) initial appointments appointed to a term of two (2)  
6 years and the remaining four (4) initial appointments  
7 appointed to a term of four (4) years.

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9           **Section 3.** This act is effective immediately upon  
10 completion of all acts necessary for a bill to become law  
11 as provided by Article 4, Section 8 of the Wyoming  
12 Constitution.

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