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**LEGISLATIVE BILL 1116**

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Committee: Government, Military and Veterans Affairs

A BILL

1 FOR AN ACT relating to the Nebraska Capitol Commission; to amend  
2 section 81-1108.32, Reissue Revised Statutes of Nebraska;  
3 to change membership provisions; and to repeal the  
4 original section.  
5 Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

1           Section 1. Section 81-1108.32, Reissue Revised Statutes  
2 of Nebraska, is amended to read:

3           81-1108.32 The Nebraska Capitol Commission is hereby  
4 created. The commission shall consist of the Governor, the Speaker of  
5 the Legislature, the ~~State Court Administrator~~, Chief Justice of the  
6 Supreme Court, the dean of the College of Architecture at the  
7 University of Nebraska-Lincoln, the Director of the Nebraska State  
8 Historical Society, and three other residents of Nebraska appointed  
9 by the Governor. One appointive member shall be appointed from each  
10 congressional district. The terms of the appointive members shall be  
11 staggered so that one term expires on March 1, 1994, one term expires  
12 on March 1, 1995, and one term expires on March 1, 1996. As the terms  
13 of the appointive members expire, the Governor shall, on or before  
14 March 1 of each year, appoint or reappoint a member of the commission  
15 for a term of three years to succeed the member whose term expires.  
16 Any member appointed after March 1 shall serve for the remaining  
17 portion of the three-year term.

18           The Governor shall serve as the chairperson of the  
19 Nebraska Capitol Commission, the Speaker of the Legislature shall  
20 serve as the vice-chairperson of the commission, and the State  
21 Capitol Administrator or his or her representative shall serve as the  
22 nonvoting secretary of the commission.

23           In the absence of the Governor, he or she may designate  
24 the Lieutenant Governor as his or her representative. In the absence  
25 of the Speaker of the Legislature, he or she may designate the

1 chairperson of the Executive Board of the Legislative Council or the  
2 Clerk of the Legislature as his or her representative. In the absence  
3 of the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, he or she may designate  
4 the State Court Administrator as his or her representative.  
5 Representatives of the Governor, ~~and the Speaker of the Legislature,~~  
6 and the Chief Justice shall have full voting privileges for the  
7 meeting in attendance.

8           The members of such commission shall be reimbursed for  
9 their actual and necessary expenses while away from home engaged in  
10 the performance of their duties as members of the commission as  
11 provided in sections 81-1174 to 81-1177.

12           Sec. 2. Original section 81-1108.32, Reissue Revised  
13 Statutes of Nebraska, is repealed.