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SENATE BILL 21-191

SENATE SPONSORSHIP

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A BILL FOR AN ACT

101 **CONCERNING THE REMOVAL OF RESIDENCY REQUIREMENTS FOR**
102 **STUDENT MEMBERS TO SERVE ON THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR**
103 **WESTERN COLORADO UNIVERSITY.**

Bill Summary

(Note: This summary applies to this bill as introduced and does not reflect any amendments that may be subsequently adopted. If this bill passes third reading in the house of introduction, a bill summary that applies to the reengrossed version of this bill will be available at <http://leg.colorado.gov>.)

The bill removes the residency requirements for student members to serve on the board of trustees for Western Colorado university.

Shading denotes HOUSE amendment. Double underlining denotes SENATE amendment.
Capital letters or bold & italic numbers indicate new material to be added to existing statute.
Dashes through the words indicate deletions from existing statute.

1 *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Colorado:*

2 **SECTION 1.** In Colorado Revised Statutes, 23-56-102, **amend**
3 (3) as follows:

4 **23-56-102. Board of trustees - creation - members - powers -**
5 **duties.** (3) The tenth member of the board of trustees is a full-time junior
6 or senior student at Western Colorado university, elected by the members
7 of the student body of Western Colorado university. The term of the
8 student member is one year, beginning July 1, 2003, and beginning July
9 1 each year thereafter. The student member is advisory, without the right
10 to vote and without the right to attend executive sessions of the board of
11 trustees, as provided by section 24-6-402. ~~The student member shall have~~
12 ~~resided in the state of Colorado for not less than three years prior to the~~
13 ~~student's election.~~

14 **SECTION 2. Act subject to petition - effective date.** This act
15 takes effect at 12:01 a.m. on the day following the expiration of the
16 ninety-day period after final adjournment of the general assembly; except
17 that, if a referendum petition is filed pursuant to section 1 (3) of article V
18 of the state constitution against this act or an item, section, or part of this
19 act within such period, then the act, item, section, or part will not take
20 effect unless approved by the people at the general election to be held in
21 November 2022 and, in such case, will take effect on the date of the
22 official declaration of the vote thereon by the governor.