



CHAPTER 116
ARTICLE 1 - THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA

N.C.G.S. § 116-6.

Election and terms of members of Board of Governors.

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- § 116-6(a)

Members of the Board of Governors shall be elected as follows:

(1)

Twelve members of the Board of Governors shall be elected by resolution of the House of Representatives. Six members shall be elected at the regular legislative session in 2025 and every two years thereafter.

(2)

Twelve members of the Board of Governors shall be elected by the Senate. Six members shall be elected at the regular legislative session in 2025 and every two years thereafter. In electing members to the Board of Governors, the Senate shall select from a slate of candidates. The slate shall be prepared as provided by resolution of the Senate. If a sufficient number of nominees who are legally qualified are submitted, then the slate of candidates shall list at least twice the number of candidates for the total seats open. All qualified candidates shall compete against all other qualified candidates. The Senate shall hold its elections within 30 legislative days after appointments to its education committee are complete.
- § 116-6(b)

Repealed by Session Laws 2001-503, s. 1, effective December 19, 2001.
- § 116-6(c)

Repealed by Session Laws 2023-136, s. 11.1(b), effective October 10, 2023.
- § 116-6(d)

All terms shall commence on July 1 of odd-numbered years and all members shall serve for four-year overlapping terms.

- § 116-6(e)

No person may serve more than three full four-year terms. Service for a partial term to fill a vacancy as provided in G.S. 116-7 shall not count toward the three-term limitation.
- § 116-6(f)

Any person who has served at least one full term as chair of the Board of Governors shall be a member emeritus of the Board of Governors for one four-year term beginning at the expiration of that member's term. Members emeriti have all the rights and privileges of membership except they do not have a vote.
- § 116-6(g)

Any person who has served at least one term as a member of the Board of Governors after having served as Governor of North Carolina shall be a member emeritus of the Board of Governors, with all the rights and privileges of membership as in G.S. 116-6(f).

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APPARATUS I
9 ACTS

Amendment lineage

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Nº	YEAR	ACT	CHARACTER
01	1971	c. 1244, s. 1	ENACTED
02	1987	c. 228	AMENDED
03	1989	c. 274	AMENDED
04	1991	c. 220, ss. 2, 3	AMENDED
05	1991	c. 436, s. 1	AMENDED
06	2001	S.L. 2001-503, s. 1	AMENDED
07	2015	S.L. 2015-300, s. 1	AMENDED
08	2017	S.L. 2017-1, s. 1	AMENDED
09	2023	S.L. 2023-136, s. 11.1(b)	AMENDED

APPARATUS II
2 AUTHORITIES

Authorities referenced

Every G.S. cross-reference appearing in the text of this section, in order of first appearance. Nothing is characterized; the operative language is quoted from the section itself.

REFERENCE	APPEARS IN	OPERATIVE LANGUAGE IN THIS SECTION
G.S. 116-7	(e)	<i>"fill a vacancy as provided in"</i>
G.S. 116-6(f)	(g)	<i>"and privileges of membership as in"</i>

APPARATUS III

Citation

FULL SECTION

N.C. Gen. Stat. § 116-6 (2023).

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N.C. Gen. Stat. § 116-6(a) (2023).

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