

**Sixty-ninth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota
In Regular Session Commencing Tuesday, January 7, 2025**

HOUSE BILL NO. 1063
(Government and Veterans Affairs Committee)
(At the request of the Public Service Commission)

AN ACT to create and enact a new section to chapter 49-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to public service commission requirements for open meetings; and to declare an emergency.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:

SECTION 1. A new section to chapter 49-02 of the North Dakota Century Code is created and enacted as follows:

Public service commission open meetings.

Except as otherwise provided by law, a meeting of the public service commission is subject to the requirements of chapter 44-04. A meeting of the public service commission does not include a quorum of members attending a legislative committee. The public service commission is exempt from posting notice at the location of a meeting, as required under section 44-04-20, if the meeting was not scheduled or organized by the public service commission.

SECTION 2. EMERGENCY. This Act is declared to be an emergency measure.

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Speaker of the House

Michelle L. Attinder
President of the Senate

Bruce J. Reich
Chief Clerk of the House

Sharon Meyer
Secretary of the Senate

This certifies that the within bill originated in the House of Representatives of the Sixty-ninth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota and is known on the records of that body as House Bill No. 1063 and that two-thirds of the members-elect of the House of Representatives voted in favor of said law.

Vote: Yeas 89 Nays 0 Absent 5

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Vote: Yeas 45 Nays 1 Absent 1

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Received by the Governor at 9:25A M. on April 14th, 2025.

Approved at 1:00P M. on April 15th, 2025.

Kelly J.
Governor

Filed in this office this 17th day of April, 2025,

at 8:23 o'clock A M.

Michael Howe
Secretary of State