SENATE PUBLIC AFFAIRS COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR SENATE BILL 54

50TH LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - FIRST SESSION, 2011

AN ACT

RELATING TO REAL ESTATE; ADDING A REPRESENTATIVE OF AN APPRAISAL MANAGEMENT COMPANY TO THE REAL ESTATE APPRAISERS BOARD; AMENDING PROVISIONS RELATING TO THE BOARD; RECONCILING MULTIPLE AMENDMENTS TO THE SAME SECTION OF LAW IN LAWS 2003.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

SECTION 1. Section 61-30-5 NMSA 1978 (being Laws 1990, Chapter 75, Section 5, as amended by Laws 2003, Chapter 328, Section 3 and by Laws 2003, Chapter 408, Section 32) is amended to read:

"61-30-5. REAL ESTATE APPRAISERS BOARD CREATED.--

A. There is created a "real estate appraisers board" consisting of [seven] eight members appointed by the governor. The board [shall be] is administratively attached to the regulation and licensing department.

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- B. There shall be four real estate appraiser members of the board who shall be licensed or certified.

 Membership in a professional appraisal organization or association shall not be a prerequisite to serve on the board.

 No more than two real estate appraiser members shall be from any one licensed or certified category.
 - C. Board members shall be appointed to five-year terms and shall serve until their successor is appointed and qualified. Real estate appraiser members may be appointed for no more than two consecutive five-year terms.
 - D. No more than two members shall be from any one county within New Mexico, and at least one real estate appraiser member shall be from each congressional district.
 - E. One member of the board shall represent lenders or their assignees engaged in the business of lending funds secured by mortgages. Two members shall be appointed to represent the public. The public members shall not have been real estate appraisers or engaged in the business of real estate appraisals or have any financial interest, direct or indirect, in real estate appraisal or any real-estate-related business.
 - F. Vacancies on the board shall be filled by appointment by the governor for the unexpired term within sixty days of the vacancy.
 - G. The board is administratively attached to the .185645.1

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H. One member of the board shall be a New Mexico

resident and a representative of an appraisal management

company as defined pursuant to the Appraisal Management Company

Registration Act."

SECTION 2. TEMPORARY PROVISION.--Current members of the real estate appraisers board shall continue to serve in their current term of office. One member who is a representative of an appraisal management company shall be appointed for an initial three-year term. Thereafter, appointment to that position shall be for a five-year term.

SECTION 3. EFFECTIVE DATE.--The effective date of the provisions of this act is July 1, 2011.

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