

26 *Be it enacted by the Legislature of the state of Utah:*

27 Section 1. Section **53-5-703** is amended to read:

28 **53-5-703. Board -- Membership -- Compensation -- Terms -- Duties.**

29 (1) There is created within the bureau the Concealed Firearm Review Board.

30 (2) (a) The board is comprised of not more than ~~H→~~ **[eight]** nine ~~←H~~ members.

31 (b) five of the members shall be appointed by the commissioner on a bipartisan basis[

32 ~~(b) The board]~~ and shall include a member representing law enforcement and at least two
33 citizens, one of whom represents sporting interests.

34 (c) ~~H→~~ **[Three]** Four ~~←H~~ members of the board shall include:

34a ~~H→~~ **(i) the governor, or the governor's designee;**

35 ~~[(i)] (ii) ←H~~ the attorney general, or the attorney general's designee;

36 ~~H→~~ ~~[(ii)] (iii) ←H~~ a member of the Senate, appointed by the president of the Senate; and

37 ~~H→~~ ~~[(iii)] (iv) ←H~~ a member of the House of Representatives, appointed by the speaker of

37a the House

38 of Representatives.

39 (d) Members of the board appointed in accordance with Subsections (2)(c)(ii) and (iii)
40 shall serve two year terms.

41 (e) When a vacancy occurs in the membership as prescribed in Subsections (2)(c)(ii)
42 and (iii) for any reason, the replacement shall be appointed for the unexpired term in the same
43 manner as the original appointment.

44 (3) (a) Except as required by ~~[Subsection]~~ Subsections (2)(e) and (3)(b), as terms of
45 current board members expire, the commissioner shall appoint each new member or
46 reappointed member to a four-year term.

47 (b) Notwithstanding the requirements of Subsection (3)(a), the commissioner shall, at
48 the time of appointment or reappointment, adjust the length of terms to ensure that the terms of
49 board members are staggered so that approximately half of the board is appointed every two
50 years.

51 (4) When a vacancy occurs in the membership for any reason, the replacement shall be
52 appointed for the unexpired term.

53 (5) A member may not receive compensation or benefits for the member's service, but
54 may receive per diem and travel expenses in accordance with:

55 (a) Section 63A-3-106;

56 (b) Section 63A-3-107; and