



MIC3 MEMBER PROFILE NEVADA



OVERVIEW

The Interstate Compact on Educational Opportunity for Military Children was developed jointly by The Council of State Governments' National Center for Interstate Compacts and the U.S. Department of Defense, with input from policy experts, national associations, teachers, school administrators, military families, and federal, state, and local officials. The Compact eases interstate education transition challenges encountered by the children of active duty service members such as enrollment, eligibility, placement and graduation. On average, military students will attend six to nine different school systems from kindergarten to 12th grade.

Initial discussions about the Compact began in 2006, and drafting began early in 2007. First available for legislative consideration in 2008, the Compact was adopted by all 50 states and the District of Columbia in just 6 legislative sessions.

HISTORY

Nevada adopted the Compact in June 2009. The model language was adopted with modifications for statutory format. However, the legislature clarified the appointment of the State Council, Commissioner, Military Family Education Liaison, payment of dues, and responsibilities of state and local administrators in separate subsections. The dues are paid by the Nevada Department of Public Instruction

Bill sponsor(s): Senator Dennis Nolan

Location in Statute or Code: Nevada Revised Statutes, Chapter 392C

COMMISSIONER	Brett Barley	2018 - Present
	Scott Bensing	2012 – 2018

APPOINTING AUTHORITY: Governor

STATE COUNCIL

NRS 388F.020 *State Council for the Coordination of the Compact; membership; terms; removal from office; vacancies; service without compensation.*

1. *In furtherance of the provisions contained in the Interstate Compact on Educational Opportunity for Military Children, there is hereby created a State Council for the Coordination of the Interstate Compact on Educational Opportunity for Military Children, consisting of the following members:*
 - (a) *One representative of the Nevada National Guard, appointed by the Governor.*
 - (b) *One representative of each military installation in this State, appointed by the commanding officer of that military installation.*
 - (c) *The Superintendent of Public Instruction.*
 - (d) *The superintendent of each school district in which a military installation is located.*
 - (e) *One Legislator or other person appointed by the Legislative Commission to represent the interests of the Legislature.*
 - (f) *One person appointed by the Governor to represent the interests of the Governor.*
2. *A member of the State Council serves a term of 2 years and until his or her successor is appointed. A member may be reappointed.*
3. *A member of the State Council may be removed from office by the appointing authority at any time.*
4. *A vacancy on the State Council must be filled in the same manner as the original appointment.*
5. *The members of the State Council serve without compensation and are not entitled to any per diem or travel expenses.*
(Added to NRS by [2009, 2614](#)) — (Substituted in revision for NRS 392C.020)

STATE COUNCIL MEETINGS

The State Council meets twice a year.

ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- The State Council was established 2016
- The State Council had their first meeting in February 5, 2016

ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING ATTENDANCE

Nevada has attended the meeting every year since 2012.