

ONE HUNDRED FIRST LEGISLATURE

FIRST SESSION

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 5CA

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT

Introduced by Friend, 10.

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Committee: Executive Board

1 THE MEMBERS OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIRST LEGISLATURE OF  
2 NEBRASKA, FIRST SESSION, RESOLVE THAT:

3 Section 1. At the general election in November 2010 the  
4 following proposed amendment to the Constitution of Nebraska shall  
5 be submitted to the electors of the State of Nebraska for approval  
6 or rejection:

7 To amend Article III, section 12:

8 III-12 (1) No person shall be eligible to serve as  
9 a member of the Legislature for four years next after the  
10 expiration of ~~two~~ three consecutive terms regardless of the  
11 district represented.

12 ~~(2) Service prior to January 1, 2001, as a member of the~~  
13 ~~Legislature shall not be counted for the purpose of calculating~~  
14 ~~consecutive terms in subsection (1) of this section.~~

15 ~~(3)~~ (2) For the purpose of this section, service in  
16 office for more than one-half of a term shall be deemed service for

1 a term.

2           Sec. 2. The proposed amendment shall be submitted to the  
3 electors in the manner prescribed by the Constitution of Nebraska,  
4 Article XVI, section 1, with the following ballot language:

5           A constitutional amendment to change the limit on terms  
6 in the Nebraska Legislature from two consecutive terms to  
7 three consecutive terms.

8           For

9           Against.