



100TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

2017 and 2018

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT

HC0032

Introduced , by Rep. Luis Arroyo

SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

ILCON Art. IV, Sec. 2.5 new

Proposes to amend the Legislature Article of the Illinois Constitution. Provides that a person may not be elected to the office of State Senator or State Representative for terms totalling more than 16 years in each house of the General Assembly. Provides that service before the second Wednesday in January of 2019 shall not be considered in the calculation of a person's service. Effective upon being declared adopted.

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1 HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION
 2 CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT

3 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE
 4 HUNDREDTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, THE SENATE
 5 CONCURRING HEREIN, that there shall be submitted to the
 6 electors of the State for adoption or rejection at the general
 7 election next occurring at least 6 months after the adoption of
 8 this resolution a proposition to add Section 2.5 to Article IV
 9 of the Illinois Constitution as follows:

10 ARTICLE IV
 11 THE LEGISLATURE

12 (ILCON Art. IV, Sec. 2.5 new)

13 SECTION 2.5. TERM LIMITS.

14 A person may not be elected to the office of State Senator
 15 or State Representative for terms totalling more than 16 years
 16 in each house of the General Assembly. Service before the
 17 second Wednesday in January of 2019 shall not be considered in
 18 the calculation of a person's service.

19 SCHEDULE

20 This Constitutional Amendment takes effect upon being
 21 declared adopted in accordance with Section 7 of the Illinois
 22 Constitutional Amendment Act.