

HCS HJR 63 -- INITIATIVE PETITIONS (Parson)

COMMITTEE OF ORIGIN: Special Committee on General Laws

Currently, petitions proposing amendments to the Missouri Constitution must be signed by 8% of the legal voters in each of two-thirds of the Congressional districts in the state and petitions proposing laws must be signed by 5% of these voters. Upon voter approval, this proposed constitutional amendment removes the two-thirds requirement and instead requires petitions to be signed by the required percentage of voters in each Congressional district.

FISCAL NOTE: Estimated Effect on General Revenue Fund of an income of \$0 or a cost of More than \$7,000,000 in FY 2011, an income of \$0 in FY 2012, and an income of \$0 or a cost of \$85,080 in FY 2013. No impact on Other State Funds in FY 2011, FY 2012, and FY 2013.