

House Concurrent Resolution No. 86

98TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

INTRODUCED BY REPRESENTATIVE MCDANIEL.

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D. ADAM CRUMBLISS, Chief Clerk

AN ACT

Relating to the calling of a convention proposing an amendment to the United States Constitution.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the state of Missouri, as follows:

WHEREAS, Article V of the Constitution of the United States provides authority for a
2 Convention to be called by the Congress of the United States for the purpose of proposing an
3 amendment to the Constitution upon application of two-thirds of the Legislatures of the several
4 states ("amendments convention"); and

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6 **WHEREAS**, the Legislature of the State of Missouri favors a proposal and ratification
7 of an amendment to said Constitution which shall set a limit on the number of terms that a
8 person may be elected as a Member of the United States House of Representatives and as a
9 Member of the United States Senate:

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11 **NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that the members of the House of
12 Representatives of the Ninety-eighth General Assembly, Second Regular Session, the Senate
13 concurring therein, hereby respectfully applies, as provided for in Article V of the Constitution
14 of the United States, for an amendments convention to be called for the purpose of proposing an
15 amendment which shall set a limit on the number of terms that a person may be elected as a
16 Member of the United States House of Representatives and as a Member of the United States
17 Senate; and

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19 **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the amendments convention contemplated by this
20 application shall be entirely focused upon and exclusively limited to the subject matter of
21 proposing for ratification an amendment to the Constitution of the United States setting a limit
22 on the number of terms that a person may be elected as a Member of the United States House of
23 Representatives and as a Member of the United States Senate; and

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25 **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that this application constitutes a continuing
26 application in accordance with Article V of the Constitution of the United States until at least
27 two-thirds of the Legislatures of the several states have made application for an equivalently
28 limited amendments convention; and

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30 **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that a certified copy of this application be dispatched
31 by the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives to the President of the United States
32 Senate, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, each member of the Missouri
33 Congressional delegation, and the presiding officers of each house of the several State
34 Legislatures requesting their cooperation in applying for the amendments convention limited to
35 the subject matter contemplated by this application.

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