

House Concurrent Resolution No. 103

99TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

INTRODUCED BY REPRESENTATIVE MARSHALL.

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D. ADAM CRUMBLISS, Chief Clerk

WHEREAS, under Article V of the Constitution of the United States:

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3 “The Congress, whenever two thirds of both houses shall deem it necessary, shall propose
4 amendments to this Constitution, or, on the application of the legislatures of two thirds of the
5 several states, shall call a convention for proposing amendments, which, in either case, shall be
6 valid to all intents and purposes, as part of this Constitution, when ratified by the legislatures of
7 three fourths of the several states, or by conventions in three fourths thereof, as the one or the
8 other mode of ratification may be proposed by the Congress; provided that no amendment which
9 may be made prior to the year one thousand eight hundred and eight shall in any manner affect
10 the first and fourth clauses in the ninth section of the first article; and that no state, without its
11 consent, shall be deprived of its equal suffrage in the Senate.”; and

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13 **WHEREAS**, the following amendment to the Constitution of the United States is
14 proposed:

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16 “Section 1. With respect to the right to life, the word ‘person’ as used in this article and
17 in the fifth and fourteenth articles of amendment applies to all human beings irrespective of age,
18 health, function, or condition of dependency, including the unborn at every stage of biological
19 development.

20 Section 2. No unborn person shall be deprived of life by any person. Nothing in this
21 Constitution secures or protects a right to abortion or requires the funding of an abortion.

22 Section 3. The Congress and the several States shall have power to enforce this article
23 by appropriate legislation.”:

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25 **NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that the members of the House of
26 Representatives of the Ninety-ninth General Assembly, Second Regular Session, the Senate
27 concurring therein, hereby submit this resolution for an amendment to the Constitution of the
28 United States and, under Article V of the Constitution of the United States, respectfully urge the
29 United States Congress to submit the proposed amendment to the Constitution of the United
30 States for ratification and inclusion in the United States Constitution; and

31 **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of
32 Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for the
33 Majority and Minority Leaders of the United States Senate and House of Representatives, and
34 each member of the Missouri Congressional delegation.

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