

As Introduced

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H. J. R. No. 10

Representatives Amstutz, Curtin

A JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing to enact Section 18 of Article VIII and to 1
repeal Sections 2b, 2c, 2d, 2e, 2f, 2g, 2h, 2j, and 2k 2
of Article VIII of the Constitution of the State of 3
Ohio to adopt the recommendation of the Ohio 4
Constitutional Modernization Commission that obsolete 5
bond-authorizing provisions be eliminated. 6

Be it resolved by the General Assembly of the State of 7
Ohio, three-fifths of the members elected to each house 8
concurring herein, that there shall be submitted to the electors 9
of the state, in the manner prescribed by law at the general 10
election to be held on November 7, 2017, a proposal to enact 11
Section 18 of Article VIII and to repeal Sections 2b, 2c, 2d, 12
2e, 2f, 2g, 2h, 2j, and 2k of Article VIII of the Constitution 13
of the State of Ohio, the section enacted to read as follows: 14

ARTICLE VIII 15

Section 18. If any section of this article that authorizes 16
the issuance of debt or other obligations is repealed, any 17
outstanding debt or other obligations issued under authority of 18
that section prior to its repeal shall remain in full force and 19
effect and continue to be secured in accordance with the 20
original terms of the debt or obligations. 21

EFFECTIVE DATE 22

If adopted by a majority of the electors voting on the 23
proposal: 24

(A) Section 18 of Article VIII of the Constitution of the 25
State of Ohio shall take effect immediately. 26

(B) Sections 2b, 2c, 2d, 2e, 2f, 2g, 2h, 2j, and 2k of 27
Article VIII of the Constitution of the State of Ohio are 28
repealed effective immediately. 29