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A J O I N T R E S O L U T I O N

Applying to the Congress of the United States for a limited national convention for the exclusive purpose of proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States to establish term limits for members of Congress.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF OHIO:

WHEREAS, Article V of the Constitution of the United States requires the Congress of the United States to call a convention for proposing amendments to the Constitution of the United States upon the application of two-thirds of the legislatures of the several States; now therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the Ohio General Assembly hereby makes an application to Congress, as provided by Article V of the Constitution of the United States, to call a convention limited to proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States to set a limit on the number of terms that a person may be elected as a Member of the United States House of Representatives and to set a limit on the number of terms that a person may be elected as a Member of the United States Senate; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Clerk of the House of Representatives

is hereby directed to transmit duly authenticated copies of this resolution to the President and Secretary of the United States Senate, the Speaker, Clerk, and Chairperson of the Judiciary Committee of the United States House of Representatives, the members of the United States Senate and United States House of Representatives from this State, and the presiding officers of all of the legislative houses in the several States, requesting their cooperation; and be it further

RESOLVED, That this application shall be considered as covering the same subject matter as the applications from other States to Congress to call a convention to set a limit on the number of terms that a person may be elected to the United States House of Representatives and the United States Senate, and this application shall be aggregated with the same for the purpose of attaining the two-thirds of States necessary to require Congress to call a limited convention on this subject, but shall not be aggregated with any other applications on any other subject; and be it further

RESOLVED, That this application constitutes a continuing application in accordance with Article V of the Constitution of the United States until the legislatures of at least two-thirds of the several States have made applications on the same subject.