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## SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION

A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Iowa to require that members of the General Assembly be elected from single member legislative districts.

*Be It Resolved by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:*

1 Section 1. The following amendment to the Constitution  
2 of the State of Iowa is hereby proposed:

3 Article three (III) of the Constitution of the State of  
4 Iowa is hereby amended by adding thereto the following new  
5 section:

6 "Section 39. In establishing senatorial and representative  
7 districts, the state shall be divided into as many senatorial  
8 districts as there are members of the senate and into as many  
9 representative districts as there are members of the house of  
10 representatives. One (1) senator shall be elected from each  
11 senatorial district and one (1) representative shall be elected  
12 from each representative district."

1 Sec. 2. The foregoing proposed amendment to the Constitution  
2 of the State of Iowa is hereby referred to the general assembly  
3 to be chosen at the next general election for members of the  
4 general assembly and the secretary of state is directed to  
5 cause the same to be published for three (3) consecutive months  
6 previous to the date of said election as provided by law.