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HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION **3**

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Jesse, Chairman
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KREAMER, BITTLE, KNOKE,
ROORDA, NEWHARD, CRAWFORD,
SMALL, MONROE, CARR,
SCHROEDER, MIDDLESWART,
STROMER, EDELEN, READINGER,
DEN HERDER, JESSE, DUNTON,
CLARK of Lee and STANLEY

Passed House, Date 2-2-73 (252) Passed Senate, Date 5-4-74 (2067)

Vote: Ayes 88 Nays 0 Vote: Ayes 36 Nays 10

Approved _____

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION

1 A Joint Resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitu-

2 tion of the State of Iowa to provide means for the General

3 Assembly to convene itself into special session between

4 regular sessions.

5 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

6 Section 1. The following amendment to the Constitution

7 of the State of Iowa is hereby proposed:

8 Section two (2) of Article three (III) of the Constitution

9 of the State of Iowa, as amended by amendment number one (1)

10 of the Amendments of 1968 to the Constitution of the State

11 of Iowa, is repealed and the following adopted in lieu thereof:

12 The General Assembly shall meet in session on the second

13 Monday of January of each year. Upon the written request

14 to the presiding officer of each House of the General Assembly

15 by two-thirds of the members of each House, the General

16 Assembly shall convene in special session. The Governor of

17 the state may convene the General Assembly by proclamation

18 in the interim.

19 Sec. 2. The foregoing proposed amendment, having been

20 adopted and agreed to by the Sixty-fourth General Assembly,

1 Second Session, thereafter duly published, and now adopted
2 and agreed to by the Sixty-fifth General Assembly in this
3 Joint Resolution, shall be submitted to the people of the
4 state of Iowa at the general election in November of the year
5 nineteen hundred seventy-four in the manner required by the
6 Constitution of the State of Iowa and the laws of the state
7 of Iowa.

8 EXPLANATION

9 This resolution allows the general assembly to call itself
10 into special session. It was approved by the Sixty-fourth
11 General Assembly.

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