

CHAPTER 1306

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT RELATING TO DISCIPLINE
AND REMOVAL OF JUDGES
(First time passed)

S. J. R. 1002

A JOINT RESOLUTION proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the state of Iowa relating to judges of the district court and supreme court.

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

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

3 Article five (V), Constitution of the State of Iowa, is hereby
4 amended by adding thereto the following new section:

5 "In addition to the legislative power of impeachment of judges as
6 set forth in Article three (III), sections nineteen (19) and twenty
7 (20) of the Constitution, the Supreme Court shall have power to retire
8 judges for disability and to discipline or remove them for good cause,
9 upon application by a commission on judicial qualifications. The Gen-
10 eral Assembly shall provide by law for the implementation of this
11 section."

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

CHAPTER 1307

TERMS OF ELECTED STATE OFFICIALS
(First time passed)

H. J. R. 6

A JOINT RESOLUTION proposing an amendment to the constitution of the state of Iowa relating to the terms of office of elected state officials.

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

1 SECTION 1. The following amendment to the Constitution of the
2 State of Iowa is proposed for the election and terms of state officers
3 beginning with the general election in the year nineteen hundred sev-
4 enty-four (1974):

5 Section two (2) of Article four (IV) of the Constitution of the
6 State of Iowa is repealed and the following adopted in lieu thereof:

7 "Sec. 2. The Governor shall be elected by the qualified electors at
8 the time and place of voting for members of the General Assembly,
9 and shall hold his office for four years from the time of his installation,
10 and until his successor is elected and qualifies."

11 Section three (3) of Article four (IV) of the Constitution of the
12 State of Iowa is hereby repealed and the following adopted in lieu
13 thereof:

14 "Sec. 3. There shall be a Lieutenant Governor who shall hold his
 15 office for the same term, and be elected at the same time as the Gov-
 16 ernor. In voting for Governor and Lieutenant Governor, the electors
 17 shall designate for whom they vote as Governor, and for whom as
 18 Lieutenant Governor. The returns of every election for Governor,
 19 and Lieutenant Governor, shall be sealed up and transmitted to the
 20 seat of government of the State, directed to the Speaker of the House
 21 of Representatives, who shall open and publish them in the presence
 22 of both Houses of the General Assembly."

23 Section fifteen (15) of Article four (IV) of the Constitution of
 24 the State of Iowa is hereby repealed and the following adopted in
 25 lieu thereof:

26 "Sec. 15. The official term of the Governor, and Lieutenant Gov-
 27 ernor, shall commence on the second Monday of January next after
 28 their election, and continue until their successors are elected and qual-
 29 ify. The Lieutenant Governor, while acting as Governor, shall receive
 30 the same compensation as provided for Governor; and while presiding
 31 in the Senate, and between sessions such compensation and expenses
 32 as provided by law."

33 Section twenty-two (22) of Article four (IV) of the Constitution
 34 of the State of Iowa is repealed and the following adopted in lieu
 35 thereof:

36 "Sec. 22. A Secretary of State, an Auditor of State and a Treas-
 37 urer of State shall be elected by the qualified electors at the same time
 38 that the governor is elected and for a four-year term commencing on
 39 the first day of January next after their election, and they shall per-
 40 form such duties as may be provided by law."

41 Section twelve (12) of Article five (V) of the Constitution of the
 42 State of Iowa is repealed and the following adopted in lieu thereof:

43 "Sec. 12. The General Assembly shall provide, by law, for the
 44 election of an Attorney General by the people, whose term of office
 45 shall be four years, and until his successor is elected and qualifies."

1 SEC. 2. The foregoing proposed amendments to the Constitution of
 2 the State of Iowa are hereby referred to the General Assembly to be
 3 chosen at the next general election for members of the General Assem-
 4 bly, and the Secretary of State is directed to cause the same to be
 5 published for three consecutive months previous to the date of said
 6 election as provided by law.

CHAPTER 1308

LOTTERY PROHIBITION REPEAL

(First time passed)

H. J. R. 10

A JOINT RESOLUTION proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Iowa repealing the prohibition against lotteries in order that they may be regulated by the general assembly.

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

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