



General Assembly

***Proposed House Joint  
Resolution No. 11***

*January Session, 2007*

LCO No. 2069

Referred to Committee on Government Administration and  
Elections

Introduced by:  
REP. SPALLONE, 36th Dist.

***RESOLUTION PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE STATE  
CONSTITUTION TO ALLOW SEVENTEEN-YEAR-OLD PERSONS WHO  
WILL BE EIGHTEEN YEARS OF AGE AT THE NEXT REGULAR  
ELECTION TO VOTE IN PRIMARIES RELATED TO SUCH ELECTION.***

Resolved by this Assembly:

- 1 That article fourteenth of the amendments to the Constitution of the
- 2 State be amended to authorize seventeen-year-old persons who pre-
- 3 register to vote and who will attain the age of eighteen years on or
- 4 before the day of a regular election to vote in a primary for such
- 5 regular election.

***Statement of Purpose:***

To encourage participation in the election process by younger voters.