



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 5015

LCO No. 61

Referred to Committee on Government Administration and Elections

Introduced by:
REP. MIOLI, 136th Dist.

AN ACT INCREASING THE TERM OF OFFICE FOR MEMBERS OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That the constitution of the state and the general statutes be
- 2 amended to increase the term of office for members of the General
- 3 Assembly from two years to four years. Additionally, the election of
- 4 such members shall be staggered to have one-half of the members of
- 5 each chamber of the General Assembly elected at each general election.

Statement of Purpose:

To reduce administrative costs and campaign expenditures for the Citizens' Election Fund by more than fifty per cent.