



General Assembly

***Proposed House Joint
Resolution No. 27***

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Referred to Committee on GOVERNMENT ADMINISTRATION
AND ELECTIONS

Introduced by:
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***RESOLUTION PROPOSING A STATE CONSTITUTIONAL
AMENDMENT TO DISQUALIFY FELONY CONVICTS FROM HOLDING
STATE-WIDE ELECTIVE OFFICE.***

Resolved by this Assembly:

- 1 That section five of article fourth of the Constitution of the state and
- 2 article two of the amendments to the Constitution of the state, as
- 3 amended by article fifteen of said amendments, be amended to
- 4 provide that any individual who has been convicted of any felony shall
- 5 be ineligible to the offices of Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary
- 6 of the State, Treasurer, Comptroller and Attorney General.

Statement of Purpose:

To provide that felony convicts shall be ineligible to hold any state office voted upon by all electors of the state.