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IN ASSEMBLY

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Introduced by M. of A. ABINANTI -- read once and referred to the Committee on Judiciary

CONCURRENT RESOLUTION OF THE SENATE AND ASSEMBLY

proposing an amendment to article 4 of the constitution, in relation to the number of terms a person may serve as governor

Section 1. Resolved (if the Senate concur), That article 4 of the constitution be amended by adding a new section 2-a to read as follows:

§ 2-a. No person shall be elected to the office of the governor more than twice, and no person who has held the office of governor, or acted as governor, for more than two years of a term to which some other person was elected governor shall be elected to the office of the governor more than once; provided that this section shall not apply to any person holding the office of governor when this section takes effect, and shall not prevent any person who may be holding the office of governor, or acting as governor during the term within which this section becomes operative from holding the office of governor or acting as governor during the remainder of such term.

§ 2. Resolved (if the Senate concur), That the foregoing amendment be referred to the first regular legislative session convening after the next succeeding general election of members of the assembly, and, in conformity with section 1 of article 19 of the constitution, be published for 3 months previous to the time of such election.

EXPLANATION--Matter in *italics* (underscored) is new; matter in brackets [-] is old law to be omitted.

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