

Amendment No. (for drafter's use only)

CHAMBER ACTION

Senate

House

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1 Representative Carroll offered the following:

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3 **Amendment (with ballot statement and title amendments)**

4 Remove line(s) 18-41, and insert:

5 TEN MILLION DOLLARS EACH YEAR BASED UPON THE MOST RECENT  
6 DECENNIAL CENSUS.--Each amendment proposed to this Constitution  
7 that imposes a cost on state government greater than ten million  
8 dollars per fiscal year, based upon the most recent decennial  
9 census, as estimated in a manner provided by general law, shall  
10 directly impose additional taxes or fees sufficient to fund the  
11 expenditures required by implementation of the amendment,  
12 including the cost of levying and collecting such additional  
13 taxes or fees. The imposition of such taxes or fees shall not be  
14 deemed a violation of the single-subject requirement of Section  
15 3. Each such amendment shall not be effective unless approved by  
16 a vote of at least two-thirds of the electors voting on the  
17 proposal. No amendment approved after the effective date of this

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18 section shall be construed to require expenditures in excess of  
19 the taxes or fees imposed by the amendment, but the legislature  
20 may by general law revise the taxes and fees so imposed,  
21 provided such authority shall not affect the level of  
22 expenditures that would otherwise be required by the amendment.  
23 The legislature may but need not appropriate funds to implement  
24 the purposes of such amendments in amounts greater than the  
25 expenditures required under the provisions of this section. A  
26 proposed amendment that imposes a cost on state government  
27 greater than ten million dollars per fiscal year, based upon the  
28 most recent decennial census,

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30 ===== B A L L O T S T A T E M E N T A M E N D M E N T =====

31 Remove line(s) 46-51, and insert:

32 EXCESS OF TEN MILLION DOLLARS ANNUALLY

33 BASED UPON THE MOST RECENT DECENNIAL CENSUS

34 Proposes the creation of Section 8 of Article XI of the  
35 State Constitution to prohibit any amendment to the constitution  
36 that requires the expenditure by the state of more than \$10  
37 million per fiscal year, based upon the most recent decennial

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39 ===== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T =====

40 Remove line(s) 5 and 6, and insert:

41 of \$10 million each year to impose taxes or fees