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11	Senator Saunders moved the following amendment:
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13	Senate Amendment
14	Delete everything after the resolving clause
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16	and insert:
17	That the following amendment to Section 6 of Article X
18	of the State Constitution is agreed to and shall be submitted
19	to the electors of this state for approval or rejection at the
20	next general election or at an earlier special election
21	specifically authorized by law for that purpose:
22	ARTICLE X
23	MISCELLANEOUS
24	SECTION 6. Eminent domain
25	(a) No private property shall be taken except for a
26	public purpose and with full compensation therefor paid to
27	each owner or secured by deposit in the registry of the court
28	and available to the owner.
29	(b) Provision may be made by law for the taking of
30	easements, by like proceedings, for the drainage of the land
31	of one person over or through the land of another.

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1	(c) Private property may not be taken and conveyed to
2	a natural person or private entity except as provided by
3	general law passed by a three-fifths vote of the membership of
4	each house of the Legislature.
5	BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the following statement be
6	placed on the ballot:
7	CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT
8	ARTICLE X, SECTION 6
9	EMINENT DOMAINProposing an amendment to the State
10	Constitution to provide that private property may not be taken
11	through the exercise of eminent domain and conveyed to a
12	natural person or private entity except as provided by general
13	law passed by a three-fifths vote of the membership of each
14	house of the Legislature.
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