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11	Senator Campbell moved the following amendment:
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13	Senate Amendment
14	On page 153, lines 11-25, delete those lines
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16	and insert:
17	BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the following statement be
18	placed on the ballot:
19	CONSTITUTIONAL REVISION
20	MULTIPLE ARTICLES
21	REPEAL OF OBSOLETE PROVISIONS; LEGISLATION BY CITIZEN
22	INITIATIVE; PRESERVATION OF CONSTITUTIONAL PROVISIONS AS
23	STATUTESProposing a revision of the State Constitution to
24	correct spelling errors, punctuation errors, and grammatical
25	errors, repeal obsolete provisions, repeal provisions that
26	violate the United States Constitution, and make technical
27	changes; to correct an erroneous filing date in Article XI,
28	section 6(e), which relates to the Taxation and Budget Reform
29	Commission; to authorize legislation by citizen initiative;
30	and to provide for the repeal of certain constitutional
31	provisions and their preservation as statutes. Legislation by $\frac{1}{2}$
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citizen initiative and the repeal and preservation of certain
constitutional provisions as statutes are described in detail
below.

4 ARTICLE III, SECTION 19 Legislation by citizen initiative.--Proposing the 5 creation of a new section to the State Constitution to provide 6 7 for the introduction of proposed legislation by filing with the custodian of state records a petition signed by a 8 specified number of electors, to provide for such proposed 9 10 legislation to be brought before the Legislature for enactment 11 at the regular session following submission of the petition, to provide for the proposed legislation to be placed on the 12 13 ballot at a subsequent general election if the Legislature fails to enact the proposed legislation and if a petition 14 15 signed by a specified number of electors is filed with the custodian of state records, to require that the proposed 16 legislation embrace one subject and matter directly connected 17 therewith, to prohibit the proposal of legislation by 18 19 initiative which concerns certain subjects, to prohibit the 20 Governor from vetoing legislation proposed by initiative and approved by the electors, to require a three-fourths vote of 21 22 the Legislature in order to amend or repeal legislation proposed by initiative during the 5 years immediately 23 2.4 following enactment and a majority vote of the Legislature thereafter, to require the statewide publication of notice of 25 legislation proposed by initiative during the 10th and 6th 26 week before the election at which the proposed legislation is 27 28 considered, and to provide for legislation proposed by 29 initiative to take effect on July 1 following the general 30 election at which it is approved by the electors. 31 ARTICLE XII, SECTION 8 2 3:47 PM 05/01/06 s1918.32ju.001

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1	Preservation of constitutional provisions as
2	statutesProposing to repeal the following provisions from
3	the State Constitution, codify them in the Florida Statutes,
4	and prohibit the Legislature from modifying, repealing, or
5	acting inconsistently with those statutes until January 2,
6	2015, except upon a three-fourths vote of both houses of the
7	Legislature:
8	ARTICLE I, SECTION 26
9	Claimant's right to fair compensationThis provision
10	provides that an injured claimant who enters into a
11	contingency fee agreement with an attorney in a claim for
12	medical liability is entitled to no less than 70 percent of
13	the first \$250,000.00 in all damages received by the claimant,
14	and 90 percent of damages in excess of \$250,000.00, exclusive
15	of reasonable and customary costs and regardless of the number
16	of defendants.
17	ARTICLE X, SECTION 21
18	Limiting cruel and inhumane confinement of pigs during
19	pregnancyThis provision makes it unlawful to confine a pig
20	during pregnancy in a cage, crate or other enclosure, or
21	tether a pregnant pig, on a farm so that the pig is prevented
22	from turning around freely, except for veterinary purposes and
23	during the prebirthing period.
24	ARTICLE X, SECTION 25
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1	malpracticeThis provision prohibits medical doctors who
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3	medical malpractice from being licensed to practice medicine
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