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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

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Senator Gelber moved the following:

## Senate Amendment

Delete lines 23 - 57

and insert:

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their choice without subordination to any other provision of

this article. Districts and plans are valid if the balancing and

implementation of standards is rationally related to the

standards contained in this constitution and is consistent with

9 <u>federal law.</u>

11BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the following statement be12placed on the ballot:

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SENATOR AMENDMENT

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14 ARTICLE III, SECTION 20 15 STANDARDS FOR LEGISLATURE TO FOLLOW IN LEGISLATIVE AND 16 CONGRESSIONAL REDISTRICTING. - In establishing congressional and 17 legislative district boundaries or plans, the state shall apply federal requirements and balance and implement the standards in 18 19 the State Constitution. The state shall take into consideration the ability of racial and language minorities to participate in 20 21 the political process and elect candidates of their choice 22 without subordination to any other provision of Article III of 23 the State Constitution. Districts and plans are valid if the 24 balancing and implementation of standards is rationally related 25 to the standards contained in the State Constitution and is 26 consistent with federal law.