HOUSE AMENDMENT

Bill No. HJR 1 (2017)

Amendment No.

	CHAMBER ACTION
	Senate House
	•
1	Representative Moskowitz offered the following:
2	
3	Amendment (with schedule, ballot and title amendments)
4	Remove lines 75-87 and insert:
5	(c) The name of a justice of the supreme court may not
6	appear on the ballot for retention if, by the end of his or her
7	current term of office, the justice will have served in that
8	office for sixteen consecutive years. A justice who is
9	ineligible for retention under this subsection or who resigns
10	from office may not be appointed to fill a vacancy on the
11	supreme court for at least one year following the last date the
12	justice served on the supreme court.
13	
3	368361
	Approved For Filing: 3/24/2017 1:45:02 PM

Page 1 of 2

HOUSE AMENDMENT

Bill No. HJR 1 (2017)

Amendment No.

14	
15	SCHEDULE AMENDMENT
16	Remove lines 90-97 and insert:
17	Applicability of limitations on the terms of justicesThe
18	amendment to Section 10 of Article V takes effect on January 9,
19	2019, and applies to each justice in office on that date and to
20	each justice who assumes office thereafter. When determining
21	whether a justice in office on January 9, 2019, may appear on
22	the ballot for retention, time served by the justice in that
23	office
24	
25	
26	BALLOT AMENDMENT
27	Remove lines 107-113 and insert:
28	TERM LIMITS FOR JUSTICESProposing an amendment to the
29	State Constitution to prohibit the name of a supreme court
30	justice from appearing on a ballot for retention if he or she
31	has served more than 16 consecutive years in the same office and
32	prohibit reappointment of a justice for one year after leaving
33	office. The term limit applies to justices in office on January
34	
35	
36	TITLE AMENDMENT
37	Remove lines 5-6 and insert:
38	limits for Supreme Court justices; providing an effective
368361	
	Approved For Filing: 3/24/2017 1:45:02 PM
	Page 2 of 2