

HCR 255

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## 1 House Concurrent Resolution

2 A concurrent resolution ratifying the proposed  
3 amendment to the Constitution of the United States  
4 relating to equal rights for men and women.

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6 WHEREAS, during the Second Session of the Ninety-second  
7 Congress of the United States of America, by a constitutional  
8 majority of two-thirds, both houses approved the Equal Rights  
9 Amendment, and

10 WHEREAS, on March 22, 1972, this proposed amendment to the  
11 Constitution of the United States was sent to the states for  
12 ratification, and

13 WHEREAS, Article V of the United States Constitution  
14 authorizes the Legislature of Florida to ratify proposed  
15 amendments to the Constitution of the United States, and

16 WHEREAS, thirty-five of the necessary thirty-eight states  
17 have already ratified the Equal Rights Amendment, and

18 WHEREAS, constitutional equality for men and women  
19 continues to be timely in the United States and worldwide, and  
20 many other nations have achieved constitutional equality for  
21 their men and women, NOW, THEREFORE,

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23 Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives of the State of  
24 Florida, the Senate Concurring:

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