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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

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The Committee on Ethics and Elections (Grall) recommended the following:

Senate Amendment

Delete lines 46 - 96
and insert:
served, in that office for a total of twelve consecutive years.
(2) Beginning November 3, 2026, no person may appear on the
ballot for election or re-election to the office of state
representative or state senator if, by the end of the current
term of office, the person will have served, or, but for
resignation, would have served, in state legislative office for



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a total of twenty-four years, regardless of whether such service was consecutive or nonconsecutive.

(3) After November 3, 2026, a person may appear on the ballot for re-election to the office of state senator if service of a complete term of office was shortened by apportionment. Such person may still qualify for election or re-election for this subsequent term, even if the term exceeds the limits provided in paragraph (1) or paragraph (2).

ARTICLE XII

SCHEDULE

Implementation of revised term limits for legislators.-

(a) This section and the amendment to Section 4 of Article VI imposing term limits of twenty-four years of service on state representatives and state senators shall take effect upon approval by the electors.

(b) If a person would otherwise be prohibited from appearing on the ballot for election or re-election by paragraph (d) (1) of Section 4 of Article VI, but the person's term of office was shortened as a result of apportionment, such person may subsequently appear on the ballot for election or re-election to a state legislative office for another term. Service of this additional term does not count toward the limit in paragraph (d) (2) of Section 4 of Article VI. Such person may not seek additional terms in such legislative office.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the following statement be placed on the ballot:

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT

ARTICLE VI, SECTION 4

ARTICLE XII



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40 TERM LIMITS FOR STATE SENATORS AND STATE REPRESENTATIVES.—
41 This amendment revises term limits for state representatives and
42 state senators from 8 consecutive years to 12 total years in
43 either office. This amendment specifies that state legislators
44 are limited to 24