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7 **HOUSE RESOLUTION**

8 A RESOLUTION TO AMEND THE RULES OF THE HOUSE OF
9 REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-FIRST GENERAL ASSEMBLY
10 OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS; TO AMEND THE RULE REGARDING
11 SELECTION OF THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF
12 REPRESENTATIVES; TO AMEND THE RULE REGARDING THE
13 SELECTION OF THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE OF THE HOUSE OF
14 REPRESENTATIVES.

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17 **Subtitle**

18 TO AMEND THE RULES OF THE HOUSE OF
19 REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-FIRST
20 GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF
21 ARKANSAS.

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24 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-FIRST GENERAL
25 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

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27 SECTION 1. Rule 10.(a) of the Rules of the House of Representatives of
28 the Ninety-First General Assembly of the State of Arkansas is amended to add
29 an additional subdivision to read as follows:

30 10.(a)(7) No member of the House of Representatives may serve as
31 Speaker of the House of Representatives more than one (1) two-year term.

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33 SECTION 2. Rule 11.(j) of the Rules of the House of Representatives of
34 the Ninety-First General Assembly of the State of Arkansas is amended to read
35 as follows:

36 11.(j) ~~Appoint~~ Serve as the Speaker Pro Tempore for the next Speaker of



1 the House of Representatives following his or her term as Speaker of the
2 House of Representatives. In the event that the outgoing Speaker of the
3 House of Representatives will no longer be a member of the House of
4 Representatives following his or her term as Speaker of the House of
5 Representatives, the Speaker-Designate shall appoint, at the beginning of
6 each session, a member of the House of Representatives to serve as Speaker
7 Pro Tempore. The Speaker Pro Tempore shall serve during the absences of the
8 Speaker of the House of Representatives and shall perform the Speaker's
9 duties. The Speaker Pro Tempore shall not serve more than ten (10)
10 consecutive legislative days without the consent of the House of
11 Representatives, or beyond adjournment. The Speaker of the House of
12 Representatives may appoint four (4) Assistant Speakers Pro Tempore;

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