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# HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION No. 1

### DIGEST OF INTRODUCED RESOLUTION

**Citations Affected:** Article 4 of the Constitution of the State of Indiana.

**Synopsis:** Membership of the general assembly. Increases the membership of the Indiana senate to 100 members and the membership of the Indiana house of representatives to 200 members beginning November 8, 2022.

**Effective:** This proposed amendment must be agreed to by two consecutive general assemblies and ratified by a majority of the state's voters voting on the question to be effective.

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PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in this style type, and deletions will appear in this style type.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in *this style type* or *this style type* reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 2017 Regular Session of the General Assembly.

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A JOINT RESOLUTION proposing an amendment to Article 4 of the Indiana Constitution concerning the general assembly.

Be it resolved by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

1	SECTION 1. The following amendment to the Constitution of the
2	State of Indiana is proposed and agreed to by this, the One Hundred
3	Twentieth General Assembly of the State of Indiana, and is referred to
4	the next General Assembly for reconsideration and agreement.
5	SECTION 2. ARTICLE 4, SECTION 2 OF THE CONSTITUTION
6	OF THE STATE OF INDIANA IS AMENDED TO READ AS
7	FOLLOWS: Section 2. (a) The Senate shall not exceed fifty nor have
8	the following number of members:
9	(1) Before November 8, 2022, not more than fifty (50)
10	members.
11	(2) Beginning November 8, 2022, one hundred (100) members.
12	(b) The House of Representatives shall have the following number
13	of members:



1	(1) Before November 8, 2022, not more than one hundred (100)
2	members. <del>and they</del>
3	(2) Beginning November 8, 2022, two hundred (200) members.
4	(c) Senators and Representatives shall be chosen by the electors
5	of the respective districts into which the State Indiana may, from time
6	to time, be divided.



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