

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 70

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A RESOLUTION to propose amendments to Article II, of the Constitution of Tennessee, relative to the General Assembly.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that a majority of all the members of each house concurring, as shown by the yeas and nays entered on their journals, that it is proposed that Article II, § 8 of the Constitution of Tennessee be amended by deleting the third sentence of the section in its entirety and substituting instead the following:

Thereafter, the General Assembly shall meet in regular session each year beginning on the first Tuesday in February and ending not later than the fourth Thursday in May.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that a majority of all the members of each house concurring, as shown by the yeas and nays entered on their journals, that Article II, § 23 of the Constitution of Tennessee be amended by deleting the fifth sentence of the section in its entirety and by substituting instead the following:

However, no member shall be paid expenses, nor travel allowances for more than thirty (30) legislative days of any extraordinary session.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the foregoing amendments be referred to the One Hundred Eighth General Assembly and that this resolution proposing such amendments be published by the Secretary of State in accordance with Article XI, Section 3, of the Constitution of Tennessee by means of posting this resolution on the official web site of the secretary of state.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is directed to deliver a copy of this resolution to the Secretary of State.