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SUBSTITUTE SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 8202

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By Senate Ways & Means (originally sponsored by Senators Zarelli, Benton, Murray, and Kilmer)

READ FIRST TIME 02/25/11.

BE IT RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE AND HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON, IN LEGISLATIVE SESSION ASSEMBLED:

THAT, At the next general election to be held in this state the secretary of state shall submit to the qualified voters of the state for their approval and ratification, or rejection, an amendment to Article XXX, section 1 of the Constitution of the state of Washington to read as follows:

Article XXX, section 1. The compensation of all elective and appointive state, county, and municipal officers who do not fix their own compensation, including judges of courts of record and the justice courts may be increased during their terms of office to the end that such officers and judges shall each severally receive compensation for their services in accordance with the law in effect at the time the services are being rendered. The compensation of such officers, other than judges, may be decreased during their terms of office to reflect compensation reductions implemented for other public employees in the jurisdiction in which such officers serve.

The provisions of section 25 of Article II (Amendment 35), section

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- 25 of Article III (Amendment 31), section 13 of Article IV, section 8 of Article XI, and section 1 of Article XXVIII (Amendment 20) insofar 3 as they are inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.
- BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the secretary of state shall cause notice of this constitutional amendment to be published at least four times during the four weeks next preceding the election in every legal newspaper in the state.

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