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1 IN THE HOUSE

BY THE RULES COMMITTEE BY
REQUEST OF THE GOVERNOR

2 HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 126 *amm*

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 SEVENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 Proposing an amendment to the
6 Constitution of the State of Alaska
7 regarding residency requirements for
8 voting in state and local elections.

9 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:

10 * Section 1. Sec. 1, art. V of the Constitution of the State of Alaska
11 is amended to read:

12 SECTION 1. QUALIFIED VOTERS. Every citizen of the United States who
13 is at least eighteen years of age, who meets registration requirements which
14 may be prescribed by law, and who is qualified to vote under this article,
15 may vote in any state or local election. A voter shall have been, immedi-
16 ately preceding the election, [FOR ONE YEAR A RESIDENT OF ALASKA AND] for
17 thirty days a resident of the election district in which he seeks to vote,
18 except that for purposes of voting for President and Vice President of the
19 United States other residency requirements may be prescribed by law.
20 Additional voting qualifications may be prescribed by law for bond issue
21 elections of political subdivisions.

22 * Sec. 2. The amendment proposed by this resolution shall be placed
23 before the voters of the state at the next statewide election in conformity
24 with sec. 1, art. XIII of the Constitution of the State of Alaska and the
25 state election laws.

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