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1 IN THE SENATE

2 SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 42

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 ELEVENTH LEGISLATURE - SECOND SESSION

5 Proposing an amendment to the Consti-
6 tution of the State of Alaska re-
7 lating to the terms of legislators.

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

9 * Section 1. Article II, sec. 3, Constitution of the State of Alaska is
10 amended to read:

11 SECTION 3. ELECTION AND TERMS. Legislators shall be elected at
12 general elections. Their terms begin on the fourth Monday of the
13 January following election unless otherwise provided by law. The term
14 of representatives shall be two years, and the term of senators, four
15 years. One-half of the senators shall be elected every two years.
16 A representative who has been elected for three full successive terms
17 shall not be again eligible to hold that office until one full term
18 has intervened. A senator who has been elected for two full successive
19 terms shall not be again eligible to hold that office until one full
20 term has intervened.

21 * Sec. 2. The amendment proposed by this resolution applies to terms that
22 begin after its effective date.

23 * Sec. 3. The amendment proposed by this resolution shall be placed
24 before the voters of the state at the next general election in conformity
25 with art. XIII, sec. 1, Constitution of the State of Alaska, and the election
26 laws of the state.

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