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1 IN THE SENATE

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2 SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 9

3 IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

4 TWELFTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

5 Proposing an amendment to the Con-
6 stitution 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. A
16 representative may not serve more than four consecutive full two-year
17 terms which begin after December 31, 1982. A senator may not serve more
18 than two consecutive full four-year terms which begin after December 31,
19 1982.

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