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1 IN THE HOUSE

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HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1

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IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

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THIRTEENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

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Proposing an amendment to the Constitu-

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tion of the State of Alaska providing

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that a legislator who is convicted of a

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felony forfeits legislative office.

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

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* Section 1. Article II, Constitution of the State of Alaska, is

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amended by adding a new section to read:

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SECTION 22. FORFEITURE OF OFFICE. A legislator who is convicted

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of a felony involving moral turpitude forfeits legislative office.

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The office is vacant on the date that judgment of conviction is

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entered by the trial court. The vacancy shall be filled for the

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unexpired term as provided by law for vacancies in the legislature.

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* Sec. 2. The amendment proposed by this resolution shall be placed

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before the voters of the state at the next general election in conformity

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with art. XIII, sec. 1, Constitution of the State of Alaska, and the elec-

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tion laws of the state.