

CS FOR HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 3(STA)
IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA
EIGHTEENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

BY THE HOUSE STATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

Offered: 2/11/93

Referred: Judiciary, Finance

Sponsor(s): REPRESENTATIVES MARTIN, Kott

A RESOLUTION

1 Proposing amendments to the Constitution of the State of Alaska relating to
2 terms of legislators.

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

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

5 SECTION 3. ELECTION AND TERMS. Legislators shall be elected at
6 general elections. Their terms begin on the fourth Monday of the January following
7 election unless otherwise provided by law. The term of representatives shall be two
8 years, and the term of senators, four years. One-half of the senators shall be elected
9 every two years. No person may serve consecutively more than four full or partial
10 terms as a representative. No person may serve consecutively more than two full
11 or partial terms as a senator. In addition, no person may serve consecutively
12 during more than eleven full or partial calendar years in the legislature.

13 * Sec. 2. Article XV, Constitution of the State of Alaska, is amended by adding a new
14 section to read:

15 SECTION 29. APPLICATION OF 1994 TENURE AMENDMENT. Years
16 served in the legislature before the convening of the First Regular Session of the

1 Nineteenth Alaska State Legislature shall not be considered for purposes of applying
2 the tenure limit added by the 1994 amendment to Section 3 of Article II.

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