

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 6
IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA
EIGHTEENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

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A RESOLUTION

1 Proposing amendments to the Constitution of the State of Alaska limiting the
2 number of terms a person may serve in the legislature.

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
7 following election unless otherwise provided by law. The term of representatives
8 shall be two years, and the term of senators, four years. One-half of the senators shall
9 be elected every two years. However, no person may serve more than four full
10 terms as a representative and two full terms as a senator. This limitation does
11 not apply to partial terms.

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

14 SECTION 29. TENURE OF LEGISLATORS. The 1994 amendment limiting
15 the number of years a person may serve as a legislator (Section 3 of Article II) applies
16 only to terms beginning after the effective date of the amendment.

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