

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 6CA

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT

Passed by the Legislature April 11, 2000

Introduced by Kristensen, 37; Beutler, 28; Brown, 6; Coordsen, 32;  
Hudkins, 21; Thompson, 14

THE MEMBERS OF THE NINETY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA, SECOND SESSION, RESOLVE THAT:

Section 1. At the general election in November 2000 the following proposed amendment to the Constitution of Nebraska shall be submitted to the electors of the State of Nebraska for approval or rejection:

To amend Article III, section 9:

III-9 "No person holding office under the authority of the United States, or any lucrative office under the authority of this state, shall be eligible to, or have a seat in the Legislature. No person elected or appointed to the Legislature shall receive any civil appointment to a state office while holding membership in the Legislature or while the Legislature is in session, and all such appointments shall be void. Except as otherwise provided by law, a member of the Legislature who is elected to any other state or local office prior to the end of his or her term in the Legislature shall resign from the Legislature prior to the commencement of the legislative session during which the term of the state or local office will begin."

Sec. 2. The proposed amendment shall be submitted to the electors in the manner prescribed by the Constitution of Nebraska, Article XVI, section 1, with the following ballot language:

"A constitutional amendment to require the resignation of members of the Legislature elected to other state or local offices except as otherwise provided by law.

For  
Against".