E AND R AMENDMENTS TO LR 1CA

Introduced by Enrollment and Review Committee: McGill, 26, Chairperson

- 1 1. Strike the original sections and all amendments
- 2 thereto and insert the following new sections:
- 3 Section 1. At a special election held in conjunction
- 4 with the statewide primary election in 2010 the following proposed
- 5 amendment to the Constitution of Nebraska shall be submitted to the
- 6 electors of the State of Nebraska for approval or rejection:
- 7 To amend Article III, section 7:
- 8 III-7 At the general election to be held in November
- 9 1964, one-half the members of the Legislature, or as nearly thereto
- 10 as may be practicable, shall be elected for a term of four years
- 11 and the remainder for a term of two years, and thereafter all
- 12 members shall be elected for a term of four years, with the
- 13 manner of such election to be determined by the Legislature. When
- 14 the Legislature is redistricted, the members elected prior to
- 15 the redistricting shall continue in office, and the law providing
- 16 for such redistricting shall where necessary specify the newly
- 17 established district which they shall represent for the balance
- 18 of their term. Each member shall be nominated and elected in a
- 19 nonpartisan manner and without any indication on the ballot that
- 20 he or she is affiliated with or endorsed by any political party
- 21 or organization. Each Until January 5, 2011, each member of the
- 22 Legislature shall receive a salary of not to exceed one thousand
- 23 dollars per month during the term of his or her office. Beginning

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- January 5, 2011, each member of the Legislature shall receive an 1
- 2 annual salary during his or her term of office equal to twenty-two
- 3 thousand dollars. In addition to his or her salary, each member
- shall receive an amount equal to his or her actual expenses in 4
- 5 traveling by the most usual route once to and returning from each
- 6 regular or special session of the Legislature. Members of the
- 7 Legislature shall receive no pay nor perquisites other than his or
- her salary and expenses, and employees of the Legislature shall 8
- 9 receive no compensation other than their salary or per diem.
- 10 Sec. 2. The proposed amendment shall be submitted to the
- 11 electors in the manner prescribed by the Constitution of Nebraska,
- 12 Article XVI, section 1, with the following ballot language:
- 13 A constitutional amendment to change the salary of the
- 14 members of the Legislature to twenty-two thousand dollars per year.
- 15 For
- 16 Against.