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## **HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION HH**

March 15, 2018, Introduced by Reps. Dianda, Sabo, Zemke, Marino, Geiss, Elder, Cochran, Gay-Dagnogo, Yanez and Wittenberg and referred to the Committee on Elections and Ethics.

A joint resolution proposing an amendment to the state constitution of 1963, by amending section 10 of article IV, to prohibit a legislator from voting on certain bills.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the state of Michigan, That the following amendment to the state constitution of 1963, to prohibit a legislator from voting on certain bills, is proposed, agreed to, and submitted to the people of the state:

ARTICLE IV

Sec. 10. (1) No member of the legislature nor any A LEGISLATOR OR A state officer shall NOT be interested directly or indirectly in any contract with the THIS state or any political subdivision thereof which OF THIS STATE THAT shall cause a substantial conflict

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- 1 of interest.
- 2 (2) A LEGISLATOR SHALL NOT VOTE ON A BILL IN WHICH THE
- 3 LEGISLATOR HAS OR THE LEGISLATOR KNOWS OR REASONABLY SHOULD KNOW A
- 4 RELATED PERSON HAS A DIRECT FINANCIAL INTEREST.
- 5 (3) The legislature shall further implement this provision
- 6 SECTION by appropriate legislation.
- 7 (4) AS USED IN THIS SECTION, "LEGISLATOR" MEANS A MEMBER OF
- 8 THE LEGISLATURE.
- 9 Resolved further, That the foregoing amendment shall be
- 10 submitted to the people of the state at the next general election
- 11 in the manner provided by law.