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HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 8

42ND LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - SECOND SESSION, 1996

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A JOINT RESOLUTION

PROPOSING TO AMEND THE CONSTITUTION OF NEW MEXICO BY ADDING A
NEW SECTION PERMITTING REGISTERED QUALIFIED ELECTORS TO VOTE FOR
ANY CANDIDATE IN A PRIMARY ELECTION.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

Section 1. It is proposed to amend the constitution of New
Mexico by adding a new section to read:

"A registered qualified elector may vote in a primary
election for a candidate of a party different from the party
designation shown on the registered qualified elector's
certificate of voter registration. "

Section 2. The amendment proposed by this resolution shall
be submitted to the people for their approval or rejection at
the next general election or at any special election prior to
that date which may be called for that purpose.

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