

1 SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 5

2 **54TH LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - SECOND SESSION, 2020**

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10 A JOINT RESOLUTION

11 PROPOSING TO AMEND ARTICLE 4, SECTION 4 OF THE CONSTITUTION OF
12 NEW MEXICO TO CHANGE THE LENGTH OF THE TERMS OF STATE
13 LEGISLATORS AND LIMIT THE NUMBER OF CONSECUTIVE TERMS THAT
14 STATE LEGISLATORS MAY SERVE.

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

17 SECTION 1. It is proposed to amend Article 4, Section 4
18 of the constitution of New Mexico to read:

19 "Members of the legislature shall be elected as follows:
20 ~~[those senators from Bernalillo, Chaves, Curry, DeBaca, Grant,~~
21 ~~Lea, Lincoln, Luna, Sandoval, San Juan, San Miguel, Socorro,~~
22 ~~Faos, Torrance, Union and Valencia counties for a term of six~~
23 ~~years starting January 1, 1961, and after serving such terms~~
24 ~~shall be elected for a term of four years, thereafter; those~~
25 ~~senators from all other counties for the] senators for terms of~~

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