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HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 3

43RD LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - SECOND SESSION, 1998

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A JOINT RESOLUTION

PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE 4, SECTION 4 OF THE
CONSTITUTION OF NEW MEXICO TO INCREASE TERMS OF MEMBERS OF THE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES TO FOUR YEARS AND OF MEMBERS OF THE
SENATE TO SIX YEARS AND TO PROVIDE FOR STAGGERED TERMS FOR
STATE LEGISLATORS.

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

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

"Effective with the 2000 general election, members of the
legislature shall be elected as follows: [~~those senators from~~
~~Bernalillo, Chaves, Curry, DeBaca, Grant, Lea, Lincoln, Luna,~~
~~Sandoval, San Juan, San Miguel, Socorro, Taos, Torrance, Union~~
~~and Valencia counties for a term of six years starting January~~
~~1, 1961, and after serving such terms shall be elected for a~~

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