

HOUSE BILL 40

Introduced by Fagg

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CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT

1 HOUSE BILL NO. 40
2 INTRODUCED BY FAGG

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4 A BILL FOR AN ACT ENTITLED: "AN ACT TO SUBMIT TO THE
5 QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF MONTANA AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE V,
6 SECTION 9, OF THE MONTANA CONSTITUTION LIMITING THE NUMBER
7 OF CONSECUTIVE YEARS THAT MAY BE SERVED IN EACH HOUSE OF THE
8 LEGISLATURE; AND PROVIDING AN APPLICABILITY DATE AND AN
9 EFFECTIVE DATE."

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11 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MONTANA:

12 Section 1. Article V, section 9, of The Constitution of
13 the State of Montana is amended to read:

14 "Section 9. Disqualification. (1) No member of the
15 legislature shall, during the term for which he shall have
16 been elected, be appointed to any civil office under the
17 state; and no member of congress, or other person holding an
18 office (except notary public, or the militia) under the
19 United States or this state, shall be a member of the
20 legislature during his continuance in office.

21 (2) A legislator may not serve more than 8 consecutive
22 years in either the senate or the house of representatives."

23 NEW SECTION. Section 2. Applicability. [Section 1]
24 applies to legislative terms that begin during or after
25 January 1993.

1 NEW SECTION. Section 3. Effective date. If approved by
2 the electorate, [sections 1 and 2] are effective January 1,
3 1993.

4 NEW SECTION. Section 4. Submission to electorate. This
5 amendment shall be submitted to the qualified electors of
6 Montana at the general election to be held in November 1992
7 by printing on the ballot the full title of this act and the
8 following:

- 9 FOR limiting the number of consecutive years that
10 may be served in either house of the legislature or
11 in the legislature as a whole.
- 12 AGAINST limiting the number of consecutive years
13 that may be served in either house of the
14 legislature or in the legislature as a whole.

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STATE OF MONTANA - FISCAL NOTE
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In compliance with a written request, there is hereby submitted a Fiscal Note for HB40, as introduced.

DESCRIPTION OF PROPOSED LEGISLATION:


An act to submit to the qualified electors of Montana an amendment to Article V, Section 9, of the Montana Constitution to limit the number of consecutive years that may be served in each house of the legislature; and providing an applicability date and an effective date.

ASSUMPTIONS:

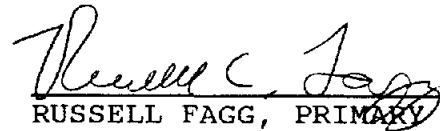
1. HB40 will not change the duties and responsibilities of legislators.

FISCAL IMPACT:

None



ROD SUNDSTED, BUDGET DIRECTOR DATE
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RUSSELL FAGG, PRIMARY SPONSOR DATE
Fiscal Note for HB040 as introduced