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To: Rules

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 515

1 A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION APPLYING FOR A UNITED STATES
2 CONSTITUTION ARTICLE V AMENDMENTS CONVENTION SPECIFICALLY RELATING
3 TO CONGRESSIONAL TERM LIMITS.

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI:

5 WHEREAS, Article V of the Constitution of the United States
6 provides authority for a Convention to be called by the Congress
7 of the United States for the purpose of proposing Amendments to
8 the Constitution upon application of two-thirds of the
9 legislatures of the separate states ("Madison Amendments
10 Convention"); and

11 WHEREAS, the Legislature of the State of Mississippi favors
12 the proposal and ratification of an Amendment to said Constitution
13 which shall provide Congressional Term Limits; NOW, THEREFORE,

14 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, THE
15 HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING THEREIN:

16 **SECTION 1.** That, as provided for in Article V of the
17 Constitution of the United States, the Legislature of the State of
18 Mississippi herewith respectfully applies for an Amendments



19 Convention to be called for the purpose of proposing an Amendment
20 to the Constitution of the United States of America to set a limit
21 on the number of terms that a person may be elected as a Member of
22 the United States House of Representatives and to set a limit on
23 the number of terms that a person may be elected as a Member of
24 the United States Senate.

25 **SECTION 2.** This application shall be considered as covering
26 the same subject matter as the applications from other States to
27 Congress to call an Amendments Convention to set a limit on the
28 number of terms that a person may be elected to the House of
29 Representatives of the Congress of the United States and the
30 Senate of the United States; and this application shall be
31 aggregated with the same for the purpose of attaining the
32 two-thirds of states necessary to require Congress to call a
33 limited convention on this subject, but shall not be aggregated
34 with any other applications on any other subject.

35 **SECTION 3.** This application constitutes a continuing
36 application in accordance with Article V of the Constitution of
37 the United States of America until the legislatures of at least
38 two-thirds of the several states have made applications on the
39 same subject.

40 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That a certified copy of this
41 application be transmitted by the Secretary of State, to the
42 President of the United States Senate, to the Speaker of the
43 United States House of Representatives, to each member of the



44 applicant's delegation to the United States Congress, and to the
45 presiding officers of each house of the several state
46 legislatures, requesting their cooperation in applying for the
47 Amendments Convention limited to the subject matter contemplated
48 by this application.

