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# H. J. RES. 49

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States.

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

FEBRUARY 11, 1997

Mr. HUTCHINSON (for himself and Mr. DICKEY) introduced the following joint resolution; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

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## JOINT RESOLUTION

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1       *Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives*  
2       *of the United States of America in Congress assembled*  
3       *(two-thirds of each House concurring therein),* That the fol-  
4       lowing article is proposed as an amendment to the Con-  
5       stitution of the United States, which shall be valid to all  
6       intents and purposes as part of the Constitution when  
7       ratified by the legislatures of three-fourths of the several  
8       States:

9               “CONGRESSIONAL TERM LIMITS AMENDMENT

10              “SECTION A. No person shall serve in the office of  
11      United States Representative for more than three terms,

1 but upon ratification of the Congressional Term Limits  
2 Amendment no person who has held the office of United  
3 States Representative or who then holds the office shall  
4 serve for more than two additional terms.

5       “SECTION B. No person shall serve in the office of  
6 United States Senator for more than two terms, but upon  
7 ratification of the Congressional Term Limits Amendment  
8 no person who has held the office of United States Senator  
9 or who then holds the office shall serve more than one  
10 additional term.

11       “SECTION C. This article shall have no time limit  
12 within which it must be ratified by the legislatures of  
13 three-fourths of the several States.”.

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