

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 189 Session of
1989

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PRESTON, OLASZ AND SERAFINI, FEBRUARY 1, 1989

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON STATE GOVERNMENT, FEBRUARY 1, 1989

A JOINT RESOLUTION

1 Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the Commonwealth
2 of Pennsylvania, providing for four-year terms for members of
3 the House of Representatives.

4 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
5 hereby resolves as follows:

6 Section 1. The following amendment to the Constitution of
7 Pennsylvania is proposed in accordance with Article XI:

8 That section 3 of Article II be amended to read:

9 § 3. Terms of members.

10 Senators shall be elected for the term of four years and
11 Representatives for the term of [two] four years.

12 Section 2. At the first general election after the adoption
13 of this amendment, Representatives in odd-numbered districts
14 shall be elected for terms of four years and the Representatives
15 in even-numbered districts shall be elected for terms of two
16 years. Thereafter all members of the House of Representatives

1 shall be elected for four years.