
SUBSTITUTE HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 4203

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By House Committee on Law & Justice (originally sponsored by Representatives Padden, Campbell, Boldt, Stevens, Carrell, Benton, Johnson, L. Thomas, McMorris, Crouse, Casada, Backlund, Mulliken, Elliot, McMahan, Buck, Thompson, Hargrove, Sherstad and Koster)

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1 BE IT RESOLVED, BY THE SENATE AND HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
2 STATE OF WASHINGTON, IN LEGISLATIVE SESSION ASSEMBLED:

3 THAT, At the next general election to be held in this state there
4 shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the state for their
5 approval and ratification, or rejection, an amendment to Article I of
6 the Constitution of the state of Washington by adding a new section to
7 read as follows:

8 Article I, section . . . It is a fundamental principle that the
9 paramount right of parents to direct the upbringing and education of
10 their children shall not be infringed. The legislature shall have
11 power to enforce, by appropriate legislation, the provisions of this
12 section.

13 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the secretary of state shall cause
14 notice of the foregoing constitutional amendment to be published at
15 least four times during the four weeks next preceding the election in
16 every legal newspaper in the state.

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