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By **DYKHOUSE.**

Passed House, Date.....

Vote: Ayes..... Nays.....

## SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION

A Joint Resolution to propose a Constitutional amendment to provide for annual sessions of the General Assembly.

*Be It Resolved by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:*

1 Section 1. The following amendment to the Constitution of  
 2 the state of Iowa is proposed, to wit:

3 Section two (2) of Article Three (III) of the Constitution  
 4 of Iowa is repealed and the following adopted in lieu thereof:

5 "The regular sessions of the General Assembly shall be bi-  
 6 ennial, and shall commence on the second Monday in January of  
 7 each odd-numbered year and continue for eighty calendar days,  
 8 at the end of which time it shall stand adjourned and all bills  
 9 passed by only one house shall be placed in appropriate commit-  
 10 tees in the other house for consideration at the following ad-  
 11 journed session. On the second Monday in January of each even-  
 12 numbered year the General Assembly shall reconvene in adjourned  
 13 session and continue for forty calendar days for consideration  
 14 only of matters concerning taxation, fiscal policies, bills  
 15 carried over from the previous regular session, impeachments,  
 16 and such other matters as shall be determined by the Governor.  
 17 The Governor may in the meantime between such sessions convene  
 18 the General Assembly by proclamation for consideration of any  
 19 matter he shall determine."

1 Sec. 2. The foregoing proposed amendment is referred to the  
 2 General Assembly to be chosen at the next general election and

- 3 the Secretary of State is directed to cause the same to be pub-
- 4 lished as provided by law.