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SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION Y

July 31, 2013, Introduced by Senators ANANICH and WHITMER and referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

A joint resolution proposing an amendment to the state constitution of 1963, by adding section 28 to article I, to create a right to collective bargaining.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the state of Michigan, That the following amendment to the state constitution of 1963, to create a right to collective bargaining, is proposed, agreed to, and submitted to the people of the state:

ARTICLE I

SEC. 28. EVERY PERSON SHALL HAVE THE RIGHT TO FORM, JOIN, OR
ASSIST LABOR ORGANIZATIONS AND TO BARGAIN COLLECTIVELY THROUGH
REPRESENTATIVES CHOSEN BY THE MEMBERS OF THE LABOR ORGANIZATIONS AS

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- 1 TO WAGES, BENEFITS, AND CONDITIONS OF EMPLOYMENT.
- 2 Resolved further, That the foregoing amendment shall be
- 3 submitted to the people of the state at the next general election
- 4 in the manner provided by law.