HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION R

June 10, 2015, Introduced by Rep. Glenn and referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

A joint resolution proposing an amendment to the state constitution of 1963, by amending section 37 of article IV, to allow the legislature to disapprove any rule, regulation, or enforcement action of an executive branch agency.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the state of Michigan, That the following amendment to the state constitution of 1963, to allow the legislature to disapprove any rule, regulation, or enforcement action of an executive branch agency, is proposed, agreed to, and submitted to the people of the state:

ARTICLE IV

Sec. 37. The legislature may by concurrent resolution empower a joint committee of the legislature, acting between sessions, to

00085'15 KHS

- 1 suspend any rule or regulation promulgated by an administrative
- 2 agency subsequent to the adjournment of the last preceding regular
- 3 legislative session. Such suspension shall continue no longer than
- 4 the end of the next regular legislative session. ADOPTED BY A
- 5 MAJORITY OF THE MEMBERS ELECTED TO AND SERVING IN EACH HOUSE
- 6 DISAPPROVE ANY RULE, REGULATION, OR ENFORCEMENT ACTION PROPOSED OR
- 7 PREVIOUSLY ADOPTED OR TAKEN BY AN EXECUTIVE BRANCH AGENCY. ANY
- 8 RULE, REGULATION, OR ENFORCEMENT ACTION DISAPPROVED BY THE
- 9 LEGISLATURE UNDER THIS SECTION IS VOID. ANY DISAPPROVAL BY THE
- 10 LEGISLATURE UNDER THIS SECTION IS NOT SUBJECT TO VETO BY THE
- 11 GOVERNOR.
- 12 Resolved further, That the foregoing amendment shall be
- 13 submitted to the people of the state at the next general election
- 14 in the manner provided by law.