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Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States to limit the number of terms that a Member of Congress may serve to four in the House of Representatives and two in the Senate.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Mr. HOLLINGSWORTH submitted the following joint resolution; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

JOINT RESOLUTION

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1   *Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives*

2 *of the United States of America in Congress assembled*

3 *(two-thirds of each House concurring therein),* That the fol-

4 lowing article is proposed as an amendment to the Con-

5 stitution of the United States, which shall be valid to all

6 intents and purposes as part of the Constitution when

7 ratified by the legislatures of three-fourths of the several

1 States within seven years after the date of its submission

2 for ratification:

3   "ARTICLE —

4   "SECTION 1. No person who has served four terms

5 as a Representative shall be eligible for election to the

6 House of Representatives. Any period during which a per-

7 son serves as a Representative pursuant to an election to

8 fill a vacancy shall not be included as a term served by

9 the person for purposes of this section.

10   "SECTION 2. No person who has served two terms

11 as a Senator shall be eligible for election or appointment

12 to the Senate. For purposes of this section, any period

13 during which a person serves as a Senator pursuant to

14 an election or appointment to fill a vacancy shall not be

15 included as a term served by the person for purposes of

16 this section.

17   "SECTION 3. No term beginning before the date of

18 the ratification of this article shall be taken into account

19 in determining eligibility for election or appointment under

20 this article.".

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