

ONE HUNDRED SEVENTH LEGISLATURE

SECOND SESSION

**LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 282CA**

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT

Introduced by Slama, 1.

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Committee: Executive Board

1 THE MEMBERS OF THE ONE HUNDRED SEVENTH LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA,  
2 SECOND SESSION, RESOLVE THAT:

3 Section 1. At the general election in November 2022 the following  
4 proposed amendment to the Constitution of Nebraska shall be submitted to  
5 the electors of the State of Nebraska for approval or rejection:

6 To amend Article III, section 7:

7 III-7 At the general election to be held in November 1964, one-half  
8 the members of the Legislature, or as nearly thereto as may be  
9 practicable, shall be elected for a term of four years and the remainder  
10 for a term of two years, and thereafter all members shall be elected for  
11 a term of four years, with the manner of such election to be determined  
12 by the Legislature. When the Legislature is redistricted, the members  
13 elected prior to the redistricting shall continue in office, and the law  
14 providing for such redistricting shall where necessary specify the newly  
15 established district which they shall represent for the balance of their  
16 term. ~~Each member shall be nominated and elected in a nonpartisan manner~~  
17 ~~and without any indication on the ballot that he or she is affiliated~~  
18 ~~with or endorsed by any political party or organization.~~ Each member of  
19 the Legislature shall receive a salary of not to exceed one thousand  
20 dollars per month during the term of his or her office. In addition to  
21 his or her salary, each member shall receive an amount equal to his or  
22 her actual expenses in traveling by the most usual route once to and  
23 returning from each regular or special session of the Legislature.

1 Members of the Legislature shall receive no pay nor perquisites other  
2 than his or her salary and expenses, and employees of the Legislature  
3 shall receive no compensation other than their salary or per diem.

4 Sec. 2. The proposed amendment shall be submitted to the electors  
5 in the manner prescribed by the Constitution of Nebraska, Article XVI,  
6 section 1, with the following ballot language:

7 A constitutional amendment to eliminate the requirement that members  
8 of the Legislature be nominated and elected in a nonpartisan manner.

9 For

10 Against.