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Amendment Form

Subtitle of House Joint Resolution No. 1008

AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION TO AMEND THE PROCESS FOR THE SUBMISSION AND APPROVAL OF PROPOSED INITIATED ACTS, CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS, AND REFERENDA.

Amendment No. 2 to House Joint Resolution 1008

Amend House Joint Resolution No. 1008 as engrossed, H3/11/19 (version: 03/11/2019 10:19:06 AM)

Page 2, delete lines 34 through 36 and substitute the following:
"SECTION 3. The subsection of Arkansas Constitution, Article 5, § 1, titled "Court Decisions", is amended to read as follows:

Court Decisions. If the sufficiency of any petition is challenged such cause shall be a preference cause and shall be tried at once. A challenge to the sufficiency of a state-wide initiative petition shall be filed no later than April 15 of the year of the general election at which it shall be voted upon. but the The failure of the courts to decide prior to the election as to the sufficiency of any such petition, shall not prevent the question from being placed upon the ballot at the election named in such petition, nor militate against the validity of such measure, if it shall have been approved by a vote of the people."

AND

Page 3, delete lines 1 through 16



The Amendment was read

By: Representative Vaught

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