

WISCONSIN LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL AMENDMENT MEMO

| 2007 Senate Joint Resolution 5 | Senate Amendment 1 |
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Senate Joint Resolution 5 is a proposed constitutional amendment that prohibits the Governor from using the partial veto power to create a new sentence by combining parts of two or more sentences of an enrolled bill. The joint resolution provides that the proposed constitutional amendment was to be submitted to the electorate on the first Tuesday of April 2007.

Senate Amendment 1 provides that the proposed constitutional amendment will be submitted to the electorate on the first Tuesday of April 2008.

Legislative History

On November 14, 2007, the Senate Committee on Ethics Reform and Government Operations introduced and adopted Senate Amendment 1 and recommended adoption of Senate Joint Resolution 5, as amended, both on votes of Ayes, 4; Noes, 0.

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