

HJRES 57

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States allowing the States to call a limited convention solely for the purposes of considering whether to propose a specific amendment to the Constitution.

Congress: 112 (2011–2013, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Law

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Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution. (Jun 1, 2011)

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Sponsor

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Party: Republican • **State:** TX • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
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Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Jun 1, 2011

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Law

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of May 10, 2011)

Constitutional Amendment - Requires Congress, on application of the legislatures of two-thirds of the several states, each of which contains an identical amendment to the Constitution, to call a convention solely to decide whether to propose that specific amendment to the states.

Actions Timeline

- **Jun 1, 2011:** Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution.
- **May 10, 2011:** Introduced in House
- **May 10, 2011:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.