

HJRES 7

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States to limit the number of years an individual may serve as a Member of Congress.

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Sponsor

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Cosponsors (3 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Gaetz, Matt [R-FL-1]	R · FL		Feb 27, 2017
Rep. Gallagher, Mike [R-WI-8]	R · WI		Mar 21, 2017
Rep. Hollingsworth, Trey [R-IN-9]	R · IN		Jun 2, 2017

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Jan 11, 2017

Subjects & Policy Tags

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Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
115 HJRES 134	Related bill	May 22, 2018: Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution and Civil Justice.
115 HJRES 24	Related bill	Jan 12, 2017: Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution and Civil Justice.

Summary (as of Jan 3, 2017)

Constitutional Amendment

This joint resolution proposes a constitutional amendment limiting the total period an individual may serve as a Member of Congress to 12 years.

Actions Timeline

- **Jan 11, 2017:** Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution and Civil Justice.
- **Jan 3, 2017:** Introduced in House
- **Jan 3, 2017:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.