

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2 1st Session of the 57th Legislature (2019)

3 HOUSE JOINT
4 RESOLUTION 1001

By: Burns

7 AS INTRODUCED

8 A Joint Resolution directing the Secretary of State
9 to refer to the people for their approval or
10 rejection a proposed amendment to Section 23 of
11 Article 5 of the Constitution of the State of
12 Oklahoma; allowing a member of the Legislature to be
employed as a certified teacher with a public school
district immediately following the term for which he
or she was elected; providing ballot title; and
directing filing.

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15 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND THE SENATE OF THE
16 1ST SESSION OF THE 57TH OKLAHOMA LEGISLATURE:

17 SECTION 1. The Secretary of State shall refer to the people for
18 their approval or rejection, as and in the manner provided by law,
19 the following proposed amendment to Section 23 of Article 5 of the
20 Constitution of the State of Oklahoma to read as follows:

21 Section 23. ~~No~~ A. Except as otherwise provided in subsection B
22 of this section, no member of the Legislature shall, during the term
23 for which he or she was elected, be appointed or elected to any
24 office or commission in the State, which shall have been created, or

1 the emoluments of which shall have been increased, during his or her
2 term of office, nor shall any member receive any appointment from
3 the Governor, the Governor and Senate, or from the Legislature,
4 during the term for which he or she shall have been elected, nor
5 shall any member, during the term for which he or she shall have
6 been elected, or within two years thereafter, be interested,
7 directly or indirectly, in any contract with the State, or any
8 county or other subdivision thereof, authorized by law passed during
9 the term for which he or she shall have been elected.

10 B. A member of the Legislature may, immediately following the
11 term for which he or she was elected be employed with a public
12 school district in this state to serve as district superintendent,
13 principal, supervisor, a counselor, librarian, school nurse or
14 classroom teacher or in any other instructional, supervisory or
15 administrative capacity. This subsection shall only apply to a
16 person that holds a valid certificate issued by and in accordance
17 with the rules of the State Board of Education or the rules of the
18 State Board of Career and Technology Education to perform the
19 particular services for which the person is employed.

20 SECTION 2. The Ballot Title for the proposed Constitutional
21 amendment as set forth in SECTION 1 of this resolution shall be in
22 the following form:

23 BALLOT TITLE
24 Legislative Referendum No. _____ State Question No. _____

1 THE GIST OF THE PROPOSITION IS AS FOLLOWS:

2 This measure amends Section 23 of Article 5 of the Oklahoma
3 Constitution. It allows a member of the Legislature to be
4 employed as a certified teacher with a public school district
5 immediately following the term for which he or she was elected.

6 SHALL THE PROPOSAL BE APPROVED?

7 FOR THE PROPOSAL - YES _____

8 AGAINST THE PROPOSAL - NO _____

9 SECTION 3. The Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives,
10 immediately after the passage of this resolution, shall prepare and
11 file one copy thereof, including the Ballot Title set forth in
12 SECTION 2 hereof, with the Secretary of State and one copy with the
13 Attorney General.

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