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119TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

H. J. RES. _____

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States regarding
the right to vote.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Mr. JACKSON of Illinois introduced the following joint resolution; which was
referred to the Committee on _____

JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United
States regarding the right to vote.

1 *Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives*
2 *of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*
3 That the following article is proposed as an amendment
4 to the Constitution of the United States, which shall be
5 valid to all intents and purposes as part of the Constitu-
6 tion when ratified by the legislatures of three-fourths of
7 the several States:

1 “ARTICLE —

2 “SECTION 1. Each citizen of the United States who
3 is of legal voting age shall have the right to vote in any
4 public election held in the jurisdiction in which the citizen
5 resides. The right to vote in a public election shall not
6 be denied or abridged by the United States, any State,
7 or any other public or private person or entity, except that
8 the United States or, in the case of elections held in the
9 State, a State may establish requirements narrowly tai-
10 lored to preserve the integrity of elections.

11 “SECTION 2. Each State shall administer public elec-
12 tions in the State in accordance with election performance
13 standards that the Congress shall establish by law.

14 “SECTION 3. Each State shall provide any eligible
15 voter the opportunity to register and vote on the day of
16 any public election.

17 “SECTION 4. The Congress shall have power to en-
18 force and implement this article by appropriate legisla-
19 tion.”.