**HOUSE** ———————————————— **AMENDMENT NO.** ___

**Offered By**

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1   AMEND Senate Committee Substitute for Senate Joint Resolution No. 51, Page 2, Section 25(d),

2   Lines 21-23, by deleting all of said lines and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

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4   "shall appoint [one citizen, not a member of the bar] four citizens, two of whom may be members

5   of the same political party as the governor and two of whom shall be members of the political

6   party whose candidate received the second largest number of votes for the office of governor in

7   the most recent general election, as voting members of said commission [from among the

8   residents of each court of appeals district, to serve as a member of said commission,]"; and

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10  Further amend said bill, page, and section, Line 24, by inserting after the period "." on said line,

11  the following:

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13  "One of the gubernatorial appointees to the commission shall come from each court of appeals

14  district and one from the state at large."; and

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16  Further amend said bill, page and section, Lines 27-28, by deleting all of said lines and inserting

17  in lieu thereof the following:

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19  "to the commission for terms ending January 15, 2015, one of whom may be a member of the

20  same political party as the governor and one of whom shall be a member of the political party

21  whose candidate received the second largest number of votes for the office of governor in the

22  most recent general election, and the governor shall appoint two members for terms ending

23  January 15, 2017, one of whom may be a member of the same political party as the governor and

24  one of whom shall be a member of the political party whose candidate received the second largest

25  number of votes for the office of governor in the most recent general election.  Gubernatorial

26  appointees to the commission shall not take office except with the advice and consent of the

27  senate, except in the case of a vacancy occurring when the senate is not in session.  The appointee

28  to fill a vacancy occurring when the senate is not in session shall cease to serve as a member of

1    the commission if he or she has not received the advice and consent of the senate within thirty

2    days of the first day of the next session of the senate. The terms of all"; and

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4    Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references

5    accordingly.