By: Brimer S.J.R. No. 6

1 SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION

2 proposing a constitutional amendment relating to appropriations

- 3 for the preservation and perpetuation of certain items of
- 4 historical value; allowing the legislature and state agencies to
- 5 accept on behalf of the state gifts of items of historical value and
- 6 contributions to purchase such items.
- 7 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
- 8 SECTION 1. Section 39, Article XVI, Texas Constitution, is
- 9 amended to read as follows:
- 10 Sec. 39. The Legislature may, from time to time, make
- 11 appropriations for preserving and perpetuating memorials of the
- 12 history of Texas, by means of monuments, statues, paintings, films,
- 13 videotapes, audiotapes, computer files or other electronic storage
- 14 media, and documents of historical value. The Legislature or an
- 15 agency of the state may accept on behalf of the state gifts of items
- 16 of historical value and contributions to purchase items of
- 17 <u>historical value.</u>
- 18 SECTION 2. This proposed constitutional amendment shall be
- 19 submitted to the voters at an election to be held November 7, 2006.
- 20 The ballot shall be printed to permit voting for or against the
- 21 proposition: "The constitutional amendment allowing the
- legislature to make appropriations for preserving and perpetuating
- 23 certain items of historical value and allowing the legislature and
- 24 state agencies to accept on behalf of the state gifts of items of

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- 2 items."