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A JOINT RESOLUTION

- 1 proposing a constitutional amendment authorizing the borrowing of
- 2 money by a state transportation agency for transportation-related
- 3 projects.
- 4 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
- 5 SECTION 1. Section 49-m(b), Article III, Texas 6 Constitution, is amended to read as follows:
- 7 (b) [Notes issued or a loan obtained under this section may
- 8 not have a term of more than two years.] The legislature may
- 9 appropriate money from any source, including money dedicated by
- 10 Sections 7-a and 7-b, Article VIII, of this constitution for the
- 11 purpose of paying a debt created by the notes or loan.
- 12 SECTION 2. This proposed constitutional amendment shall be
- 13 submitted to the voters at an election to be held November 6, 2007.
- 14 The ballot shall be printed to permit voting for or against the
- 15 proposition: "The constitutional amendment authorizing the
- 16 borrowing of money by a state transportation agency for
- 17 transportation-related projects."