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## A JOINT RESOLUTION

- 1 proposing a constitutional amendment clarifying the Texas
- 2 Constitution does not secure or protect the right to an abortion or
- 3 require the expenditure of public money for an abortion.
- 4 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
- 5 SECTION 1. Article I, Texas Constitution, is amended by
- 6 adding Section 35 to read as follows:
- 7 Sec. 35. Nothing in this constitution shall be construed to
- 8 secure or protect the right to obtain an abortion or to require the
- 9 expenditure of public money for the performance of an abortion.
- 10 SECTION 2. This proposed constitutional amendment shall be
- 11 submitted to the voters at an election to be held November 2, 2021.
- 12 The ballot shall be printed to provide for voting for or against the
- 13 proposition: "The constitutional amendment clarifying the Texas
- 14 Constitution does not secure or protect the right to an abortion or
- 15 require the expenditure of public money for an abortion."