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H.J.R. No. 165

A JOINT RESOLUTION

1 proposing a constitutional amendment providing additional powers 2 to the State Commission on Judicial Conduct with respect to 3 candidates for judicial office.

4 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

5 SECTION 1. Section 1-a, Article V, Texas Constitution, is 6 amended by adding Subsection (13-a) to read as follows:

7 <u>(13-a) The Commission may accept complaints or</u> 8 <u>reports, conduct investigations, and take any other action</u> 9 <u>authorized by this section with respect to a candidate for an office</u> 10 <u>named in Subsection (6)(A) of this section in the same manner the</u> 11 <u>Commission is authorized to take those actions with respect to a</u> 12 person holding that office.

13 SECTION 2. This proposed constitutional amendment shall be 14 submitted to the voters at an election to be held November 2, 2021. 15 The ballot shall be printed to permit voting for or against the 16 proposition: "The constitutional amendment providing additional 17 powers to the State Commission on Judicial Conduct with respect to 18 candidates for judicial office."

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