

1-1 By: Campbell S.J.R. No. 58  
 1-2 (In the Senate - Filed March 10, 2021; March 24, 2021, read  
 1-3 first time and referred to Committee on State Affairs;  
 1-4 May 21, 2021, reported favorably by the following vote: Yeas 8,  
 1-5 Nays 1; May 21, 2021, sent to printer.)

1-6 COMMITTEE VOTE

	Yea	Nay	Absent	PNV
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1-17 SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION

1-18 proposing a constitutional amendment to prohibit a person from  
 1-19 being placed on a ballot as a candidate for public office if the  
 1-20 person has an outstanding financial obligation payable to the Texas  
 1-21 Ethics Commission.

1-22 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-23 SECTION 1. Article XVI, Texas Constitution, is amended by  
 1-24 adding Section 2-a to read as follows:

1-25 Sec. 2-a. Notwithstanding any other provision of this  
 1-26 constitution, a person is ineligible to be placed on a ballot as a  
 1-27 candidate for public office if on the date the person files to be  
 1-28 placed on the ballot the person has an outstanding financial  
 1-29 obligation payable to the Texas Ethics Commission.

1-30 SECTION 2. The following temporary provision is added to  
 1-31 the Texas Constitution:

1-32 TEMPORARY PROVISION. (a) This temporary provision applies  
 1-33 to the constitutional amendment proposed by the 87th Legislature,  
 1-34 Regular Session, 2021, to prohibit a person from being placed on a  
 1-35 ballot as a candidate for public office if the person has an  
 1-36 outstanding financial obligation payable to the Texas Ethics  
 1-37 Commission.

1-38 (b) Section 2-a, Article XVI, of this constitution takes  
 1-39 effect January 1, 2022, and applies only to an election the filing  
 1-40 period for which begins on or after that date.

1-41 (c) This temporary provision expires January 1, 2023.

1-42 SECTION 3. This proposed constitutional amendment shall be  
 1-43 submitted to the voters at an election to be held November 2, 2021.  
 1-44 The ballot shall be printed to provide for voting for or against the  
 1-45 proposition: "The constitutional amendment prohibiting a person  
 1-46 from being placed on a ballot as a candidate for public office if  
 1-47 the person has an outstanding financial obligation payable to the  
 1-48 Texas Ethics Commission."

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